

2nd Sub. H.B. 345
EDUCATION ABUSE POLICY

Senator **Aaron Osmond** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 1, Lines 21 through 22:*

- 21 Other Special Clauses:
22 This bill provides a special effective date.

This bill provides a coordination clause.

2. *Page 2, Line 33:*

- 33 53A-6-501, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2011, Chapter 320

Utah Code Sections Affected by Coordination Clause:
53A-6-306, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2010, Chapter 283 =

3. *Page 5, Lines 123 through 130:*

- 123 opportunity to respond to the information.
124 { ~~(4) A local school board, a charter school governing board, or the Utah Schools for the~~
125 ~~Deaf and the Blind shall obtain references and a discipline record from prior employers of a~~
126 ~~potential employee before hiring:~~
127 ~~—— (a) an educator; or~~
128 ~~—— (b) an individual who:~~
129 ~~—— (i) works in a public school as an employee; and~~
130 ~~—— (ii) has significant unsupervised access to students. }~~ =

(4) A local school board, a charter school governing board, or the Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind shall obtain references and a discipline record from prior employers of an individual before hiring the individual to work:
(a) as an educator; or
(b) in a public school, if the individual would have significant unsupervised access to students.

4. *Page 14, Lines 398 through 399:*

- 398 Section 9. Effective date.
399 This bill takes effect on July 1, 2015.

Section 10. Coordinating H.B. 345 with H.B. 124 -- Substantive amendment.
If this H.B. 345 and H.B.124, Education Background Check Amendments, both pass and become law, it is the intent of the Legislature that the Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel, in preparing the Utah Code database for publication, amend Subsection 53A-6-306(3)(d) to read:

"(d) If UPPAC finds that reasonable cause exists during an investigation, UPPAC may recommend that the board initiate a background check on an educator as described in Section 53A-15-1504."