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Mr. President:

The Education Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **S.B. 163**, KINDERGARTEN AGE EXCEPTION AMENDMENTS, by Senator H. Stephenson, with the following amendments:

1. *Page 7, Lines 188 through 193:*

- 188       (3) (a) In accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking  
Act,  
189       and this Subsection (3), the State Board of Education shall make rules that :  
          (i) provide for a school  
190       district or charter school to enroll in kindergarten a student who is younger than five years  
old {-} :  
          (ii) except as provided in Subsection (3)(a)(iii), limit the enrollment in each  
school district or charter school of children under five years old to:  
          (A) .5% of children enrolled in kindergarten in the school district or charter  
school for the 2016-2017 school year; or  
          (B) 1% of children enrolled in kindergarten in the school district or charter  
school each year after the 2016-2017 school year; and  
          (iii) allow each school district or charter school to enroll at least one student  
who is younger than five years old in kindergarten.  
191       (b) {A} In accordance with State Board of Education rules described in  
Subsection (3)(a), a local school board or charter school governing board shall enroll

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192 in kindergarten  
193 a child who is younger than five years old on September 2 of the year the child seeks to enroll  
193 if:

Respectfully,

Ann Millner  
Committee Chair

Voting: 5-1-2

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