



# UTAH STATE SENATE

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February 19, 2025

Mr. President,

The Judiciary, Law Enforcement, and Criminal Justice Committee recommends **2nd Sub. H.B. 209**, HOMESCHOOL AMENDMENTS, by Representative N. P. Peck, be replaced and reports a favorable recommendation on **3rd Sub. H.B. 209**, HOMESCHOOL AMENDMENTS with the following amendments:

1. *Page Line 7 through 9:*

7           This Bill:  
8                 →clarifies when {~~a letter of intent~~} notification to homeschool is  
                  required from parents;  
9                 →removes the requirement for parents to submit an affidavit for students who  
                  begin

2. *Page Line 152 through 154:*

152           (4)A local school board may not require a notification described in Subsection (3) if  
                  a  
153           parent of a school-age child provided a notification to the local school board on or  
                  before  
154           May, 7 2025, including through a home-school affidavit.

3. *Page Line 156 through 159:*

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- 156 (a)the local school board shall:
- 157 (i)maintain a record of the ~~{letter of intent}~~ notification ; and
- 158 (ii)acknowledge receipt of the ~~{letter}~~ notification to the parent within 30  
days; and
- 159 (b)the local school board and school of enrollment are not liable for the education or

Respectfully,

Todd Weiler  
Chair

Voting: 7-0-2

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