



# MINUTES

## SENATE EDUCATION STANDING COMMITTEE

LEGISLATURE

Friday, February 10, 2023 | 2:00 p.m. | 210 Senate Building

**Members Present:**

Sen. John D. Johnson, Chair  
Sen. Lincoln Fillmore  
Sen. Keith Grover  
Sen. David P. Hinkins  
Sen. Kathleen A. Riebe

President J. S. Adams  
Sen. Michael K. McKell  
Sen. Ann Millner  
Sen. Jerry W. Stevenson

**Staff Present:**

Micah Ann Wixom, Policy Analyst  
Tisha Gibby, Committee Secretary

**Members Absent:**

Note: A copy of related materials and an audio recording of the meeting can be found at [www.le.utah.gov](http://www.le.utah.gov).

Chair Johnson called the meeting to order at 2:02 p.m.

**MOTION:** Sen. Grover moved to approve the minutes of the February 8, 2023 meeting. The motion passed with a vote of 4 - 0 - 5.

Yeas - 4

Sen. K. Grover  
Sen. D. Hinkins  
Sen. J. Johnson  
Sen. K. Riebe

Nays - 0

Absent - 5

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. L. Fillmore  
Sen. M. McKell  
Sen. A. Millner  
Sen. J. Stevenson

**1. S.B. 183 Educator Salary Amendments (Vickers, E.)**

Sen. Evan Vickers presented the bill.

Jay Blain, Director, Utah Education Association, spoke in favor of the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Riebe moved to pass S.B. 183 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 4.

Yeas - 5

Sen. L. Fillmore  
Sen. K. Grover  
Sen. D. Hinkins  
Sen. J. Johnson  
Sen. K. Riebe

Nays - 0

Absent - 4

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. M. McKell  
Sen. A. Millner  
Sen. J. Stevenson

**2. S.B. 194 Higher Education Funding Amendments (Vickers, E.)**

Sen. Vickers presented the bill with the assistance of Geoff Landward, Deputy Commissioner, Utah System of Higher Education.

**MOTION:** Sen. Grover moved to pass S.B. 194 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 4.

Yeas - 5

Sen. L. Fillmore  
Sen. K. Grover  
Sen. D. Hinkins  
Sen. J. Johnson  
Sen. K. Riebe

Nays - 0

Absent - 4

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. M. McKell  
Sen. A. Millner  
Sen. J. Stevenson

**3. 2nd Sub. H.B. 209 Participation in Extracurricular Activities Amendments (Teuscher, J.)**

[H.B. 209 Participation in Extracurricular Activities](#)

Rep. Jordan Teuscher presented the bill with the assistance of Cambri Robinson, online-school student.

**MOTION:** Sen. Grover moved to replace 2nd Substitute H.B. 209 with 3rd Substitute H.B. 209. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 4.

Yeas - 5

Sen. L. Fillmore  
Sen. K. Grover  
Sen. D. Hinkins  
Sen. J. Johnson  
Sen. K. Riebe

Nays - 0

Absent - 4

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. M. McKell  
Sen. A. Millner  
Sen. J. Stevenson

David Spatafore, Utah High School Activities Association, spoke to the bill.

Richard Wells, basketball coach at Rockwell High School, spoke in favor of the bill.

Todd Hougaard, Utah PTA, spoke in favor of 2nd Substitute H.B. 209.

**MOTION:** Sen. Grover moved to pass 3rd Substitute H.B. 209 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 4.

Yeas - 5

Sen. L. Fillmore  
Sen. K. Grover  
Sen. D. Hinkins  
Sen. J. Johnson  
Sen. K. Riebe

Nays - 0

Absent - 4

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. M. McKell  
Sen. A. Millner  
Sen. J. Stevenson

**4. S.B. 176 Student Athlete Privacy Protections (Kwan, K.)**

Sen. Karen Kwan presented the bill with the assistance of Lisa Walker, Athletic Trainer at Springville High School.

David Spatafore spoke to the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Riebe moved to pass S.B. 176 out favorably.

**SUBSTITUTE MOTION:** Sen. Fillmore moved to adjourn. The substitute motion passed with a vote of 3 - 1 - 5.

Yeas - 3

Sen. L. Fillmore  
Sen. K. Grover  
Sen. J. Johnson

Nays - 1

Sen. K. Riebe

Absent - 5

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Hinkins  
Sen. M. McKell  
Sen. A. Millner  
Sen. J. Stevenson

Chair Johnson adjourned the meeting at 2:53 p.m.