

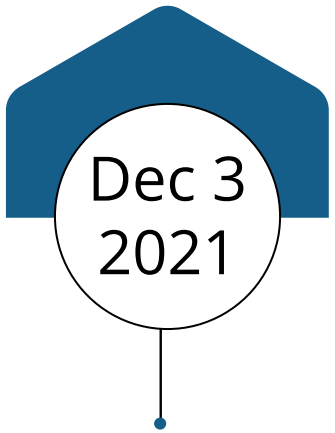
# HB 374 Implementation

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# Overview

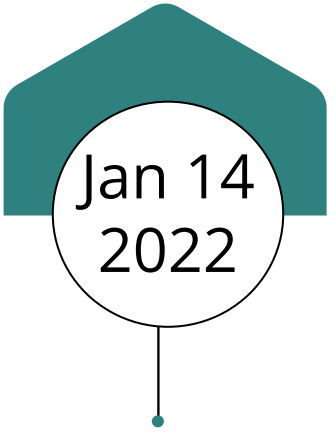
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# Timeline



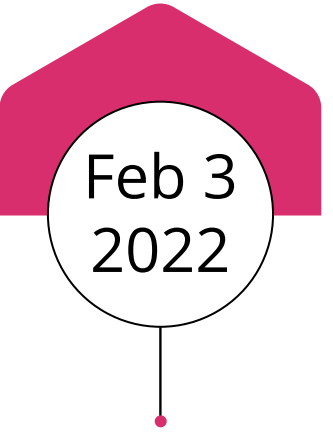
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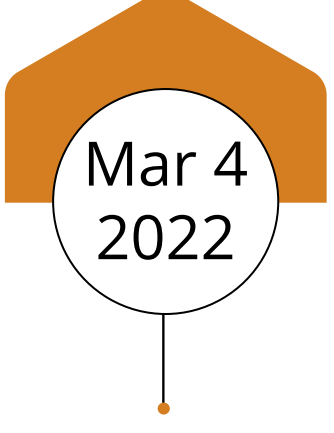
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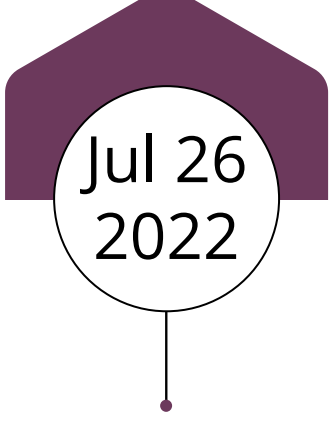
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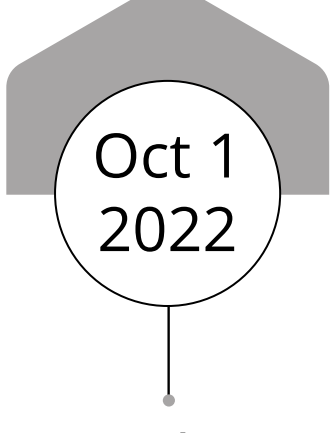
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LEA Library  
Policies  
Approval  
Deadline

# Related Policies and Rules

Instructions for LEAs to consider when creating a [Library Materials Policy](#):  
<https://www.schools.utah.gov/file/bac6e85f-fecf-4558-9222-2ee8690bd507>

## New or Amended Related Rules:

- [R277-628](#), School Libraries (enacted prior to passage of HB 374)
- [R277-123](#), Process for Members of the Public to Report Violations of Statute and Board Rule

# Related Policies and Rules

## Technical updates or adding references to Section 53G-10-103:

- [R277-468](#), Parents Review of Public Education Curriculum and Review of Complaint Process
- [R277-469](#), Instructional Materials Commission Operating Procedures

# USBE Technical Assistance to Support Implementation



## LEA Leaders

- Library Supervisors/Directors
- Curriculum Directors
- Utah Technology Coordinators Council



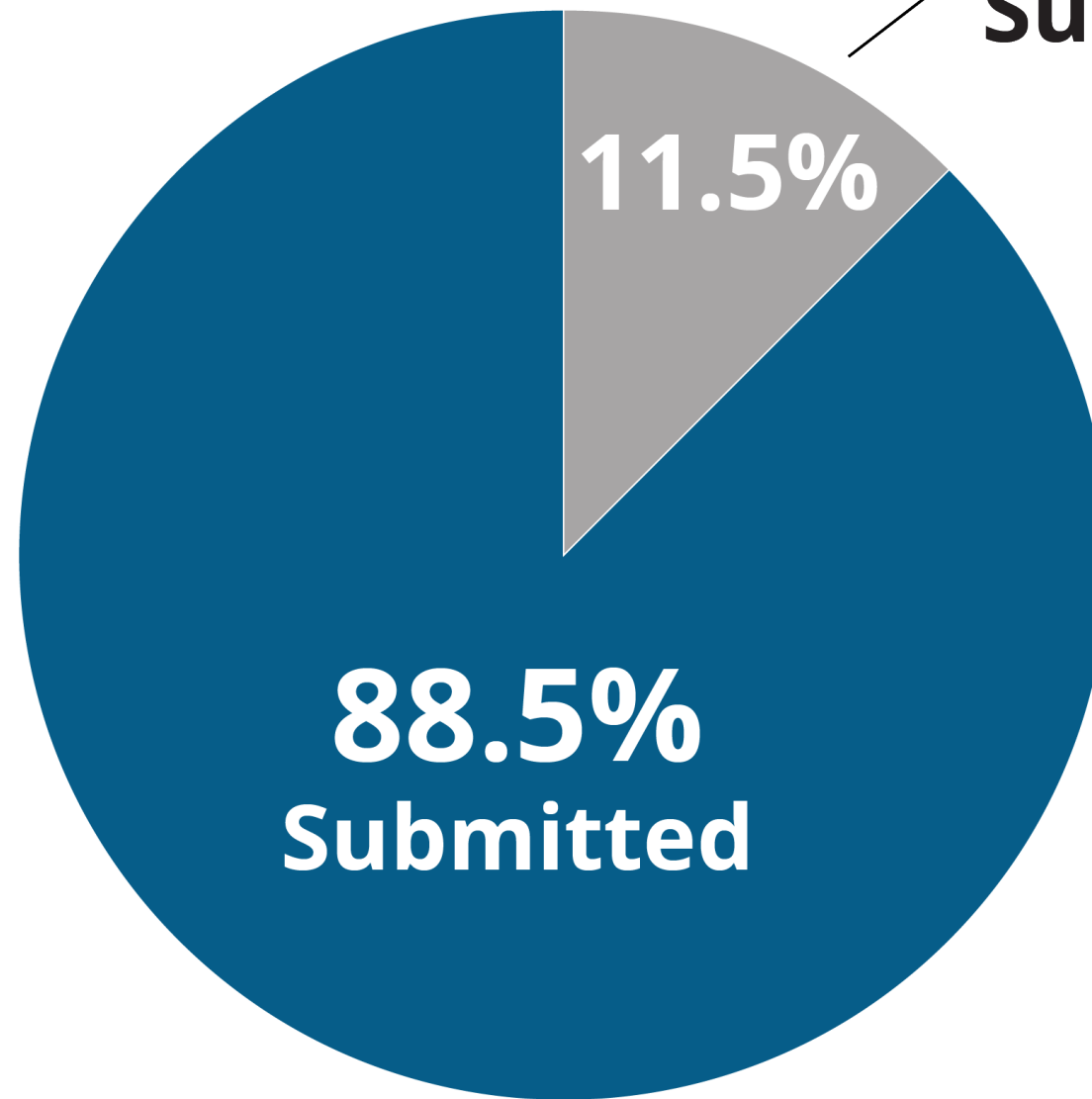
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## Educators

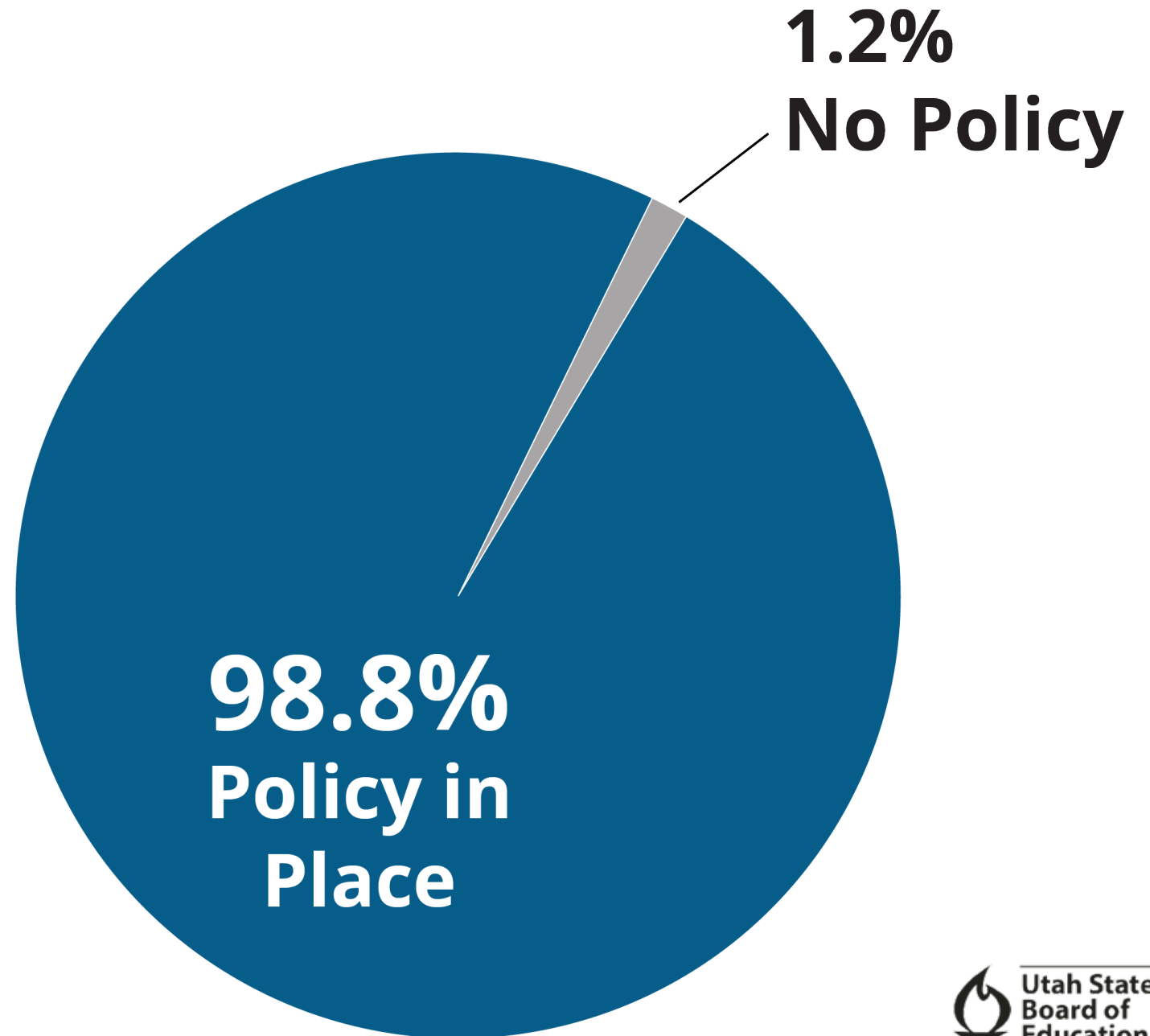
- San Juan School District
- Cache County School District
- Central Utah Educational Services Library Media Conference
- Southern Utah Media Specialist Conference

LEAs with  
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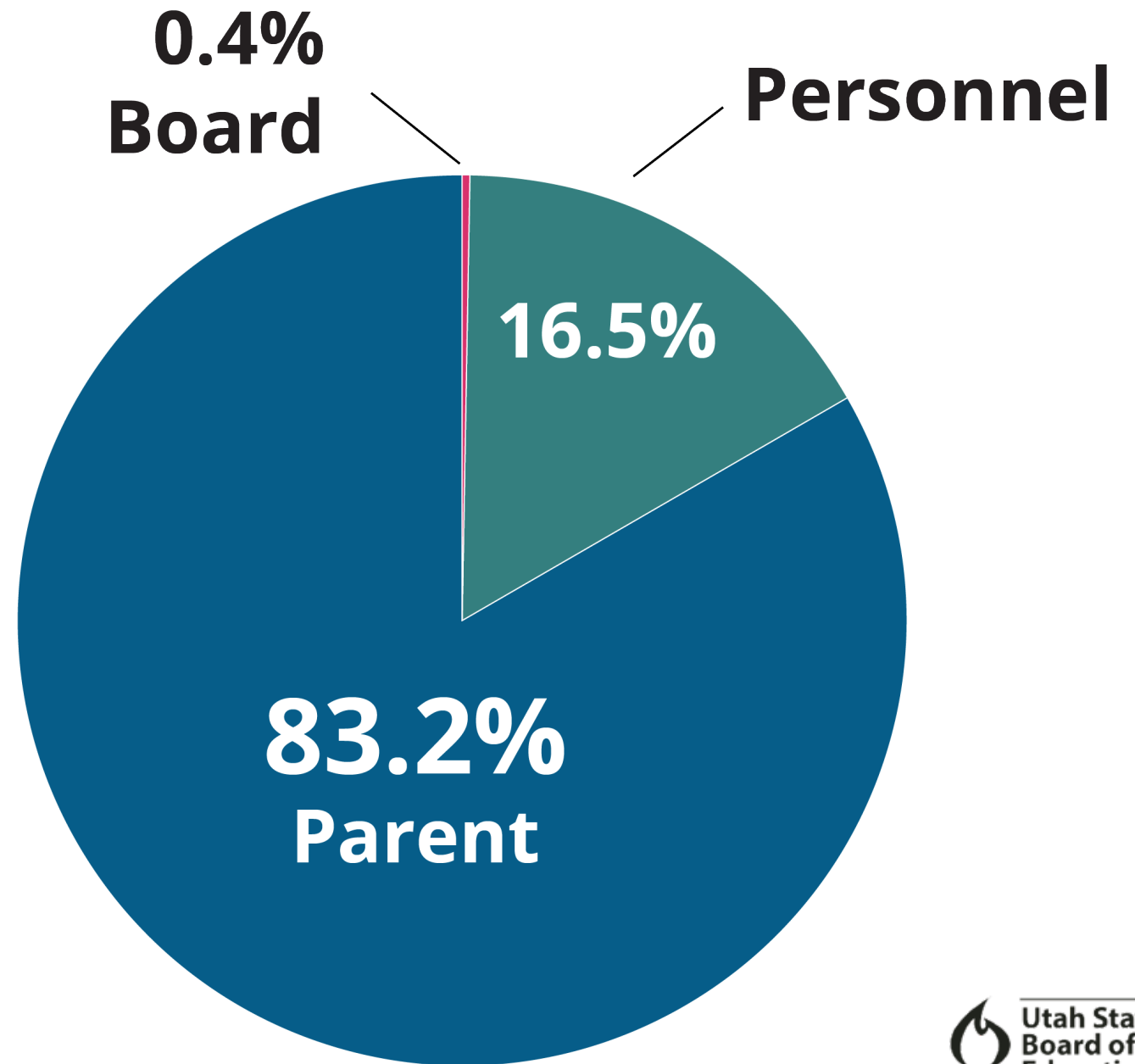
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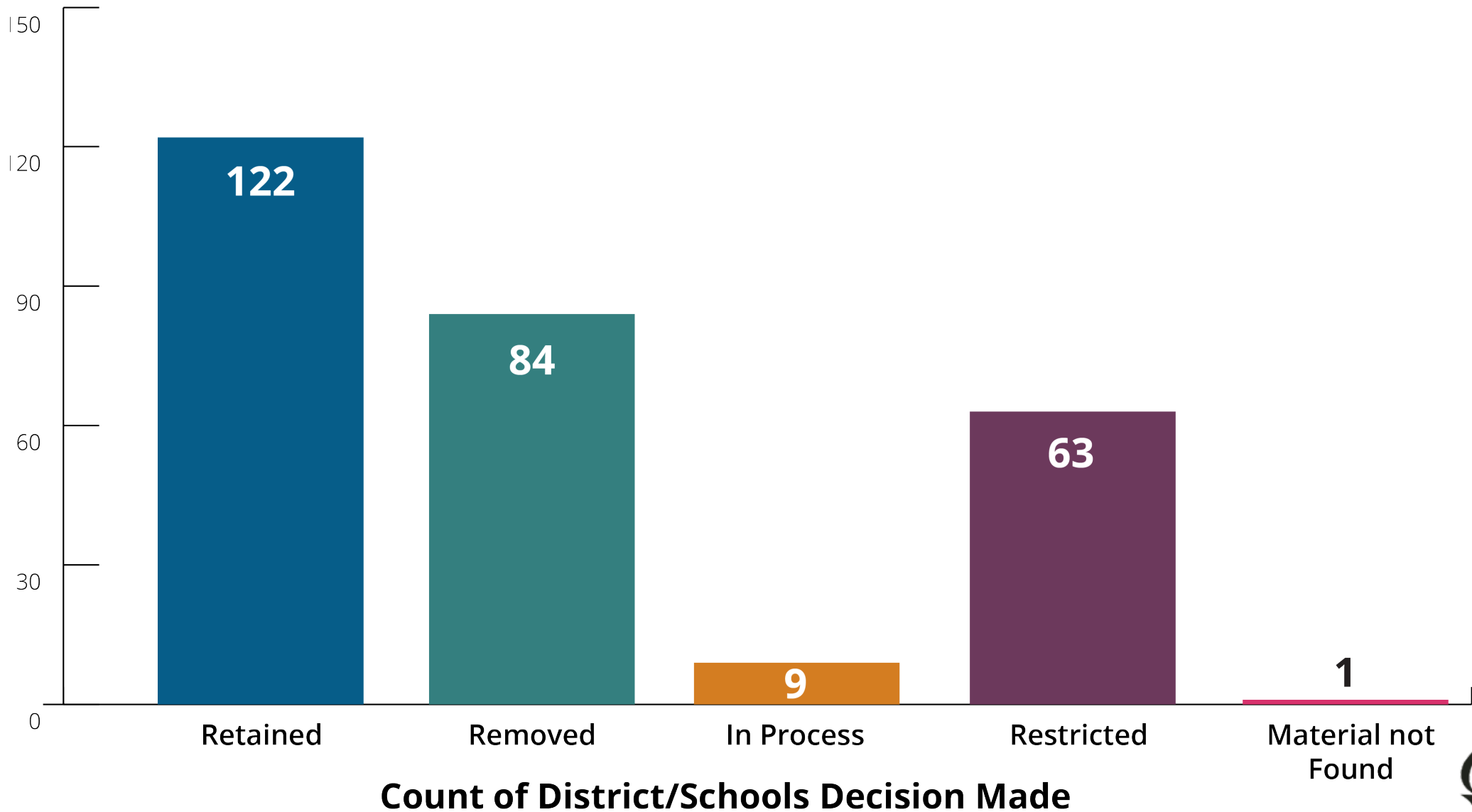




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# District / School with Decision Made



# Case Study

A Large Utah LEA

# 1 Large District



200,000 Unique Titles

# 202 Challenges



42 Unique Titles

# Challenges Received From

3 Staff Members

1 Parent

3 Parent Group



0.00021% of the total library  
collection received a  
challenge

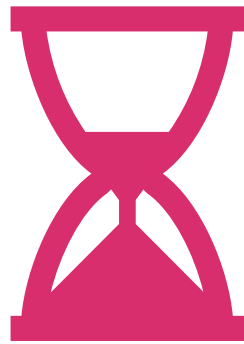
10 of 42 unique titles were  
removed



50 total books from 87 schools



District staff spent 500  
hours reviewing the  
complaints



# What We Know

- ➔ School personnel are intentional and thoughtful in determining sensitive materials
- ➔ Processes are in place
- ➔ USBE Library Specialist is essential
- ➔ Importance of professional learning for teacher librarians
- ➔ Parent involvement is crucial

# Where We Can Improve

- ➔ Mismatches with library catalogues
- ➔ Practice in implementing new LEA policies

# Additional Support Needed

- Clarification of applicable law:
  - Codified deadlines for Ongoing reporting
  - Application of three Utah Code Tests
- Funding to support the review process

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# Questions