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March 31, 2010

The Honorable Michael Waddoups
President of the Senate

and

The Honorable David Clark
Speaker of the House

Dear President Waddoups and Speaker Clark:

I have carefully reviewed S.B. 22, Fourth Substitute, NOTARY PUBLIC AMENDMENTS. This bill would repeal the provisions of Utah law requiring that those seeking to become notaries pass a written test. Many states throughout the country have looked to Utah's testing procedures as a model to help ensure that notaries understand the responsibilities and duties they undertake. The people of Utah will not be well served by removing the testing requirement.

As a result, I have vetoed S.B. 22, Fourth Substitute.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gary R. Herbert".

Gary R. Herbert
Governor