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Sponsor: Thomas V. Hatch

This act establishes an Educational Enrichment Program for Hearing and Visually Impaired Students, funded by the interest and dividends from the permanent trust funds of the Schools for the Deaf and the Blind. The act takes effect on July 1, 2001.

This act affects sections of Utah Code Annotated 1953 as follows:

ENACTS:

53A-25-306, Utah Code Annotated 1953

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **53A-25-306** is enacted to read:

- <u>53A-25-306.</u> Educational Enrichment Program for Hearing and Visually Impaired Students -- Funding for the program.
- (1) There is established an Educational Enrichment Program for Hearing and Visually Impaired Students.
- (2) The purpose of the program is to provide opportunities that will, in a family friendly environment, enhance the educational services required for hearing impaired, visually impaired, or dual sensory impaired students.
- (3) The Institutional Council for the Schools for the Deaf and the Blind shall design and implement the program, subject to approval by the State Board of Education.
- (4) The program shall be funded from the interest and dividends derived from the permanent funds created for the Schools for the Deaf and the Blind pursuant to Section 12 of the Utah Enabling Act and distributed by the director of the School and Institutional Trust Lands Administration under Section 53C-3-103 in accordance with Title 51, Chapter 7, State Money Management Act.

Section 2. Effective date.

This act takes effect on July 1, 2001.