

1                                   **STATE GOVERNMENT LAW REVISIONS -**  
2                                   **WITHDRAWAL FROM EDUCATION COMPACT**

3                                   2005 GENERAL SESSION

4                                   STATE OF UTAH

5                                   **Sponsor: Margaret Dayton**

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7   **LONG TITLE**

8   **General Description:**

9           This bill provides for the withdrawal of the state from the Compact for Education.

10 **Highlighted Provisions:**

11       This bill:

12           ▶ repeals provisions relating to the Compact for Education, which is governed by the  
13 Education Commission of the States and organized for the purpose of facilitating  
14 the improvement of state and local educational systems; and

15           ▶ directs the governor to notify the party states of Utah's withdrawal from the  
16 compact.

17 **Monies Appropriated in this Bill:**

18       None

19 **Other Special Clauses:**

20       None

21 **Utah Code Sections Affected:**

22 **REPEALS:**

23       **53A-27-101**, as renumbered and amended by Chapter 78, Laws of Utah 1990

24       **53A-27-102**, as renumbered and amended by Chapter 78, Laws of Utah 1990

25       **53A-27-103**, as renumbered and amended by Chapter 78, Laws of Utah 1990

26 **Uncodified Material Affected:**

27 **ENACTS UNCODIFIED MATERIAL**



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

30 Section 1. **Repealer.**

31 This bill repeals:

32 Section **53A-27-101, Entrance into compact -- Text of compact.**

33 Section **53A-27-102, Delegates to education commission.**

34 Section **53A-27-103, Commission to file bylaws and amendments with governor.**

35 Section 2. **Notification of withdrawal from the Compact for Education.**

36 Pursuant to the withdrawal procedures prescribed in the Compact for Education, Article

37 VIII, the governor shall notify the governors of the party states of Utah's withdrawal from the

38 Compact for Education.

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**Legislative Review Note**  
as of 2-10-05 10:18 AM

Based on a limited legal review, this legislation has not been determined to have a high probability of being held unconstitutional.

**Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel**

**State Impact**

This bill provides for Utah's withdrawal from the Compact for Education, which is governed by the Education Commission of the States (ECS). By withdrawing from the Compact for Education, the State should realize some cost savings associated with the fees paid to ECS. The State, through the State Board of Education, currently pays \$60,200 in fees to ECS. There is also an indeterminate amount of saving for per diem and travel expenses associated with meeting and conference attendance.

	<u>FY 2006</u> <u>Approp.</u>	<u>FY 2007</u> <u>Approp.</u>	<u>FY 2006</u> <u>Revenue</u>	<u>FY 2007</u> <u>Revenue</u>
Uniform School Fund	(\$60,200)	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>(\$60,200)</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

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**Individual and Business Impact**

No fiscal impact

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