## 2nd Sub. H.B. 39 TUITION TAX CREDITS

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT 8

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Representative **Ross Romero** proposes the following amendments:

- 1. Page 2, Line 40:
  - 40 59-10-136, Utah Code Annotated 1953
    - **59-10-137, Utah Code Annotated 1953**
- 2. Page 6, Line 180d through Page 7, Line 181
  House Committee Amendments
  2-21-2005:

180d

- (b) may not be carried forward or carried back. ←Ĥ.
- Section 4. Section 59-10-137 is enacted to read:
- 59-10-137. Refundable tax credit for public school expenditures.
  - (1) As used in this section:
- (a) "Public school" means any elementary or secondary school subject to the general control and supervision of the State Board of Education.
  - (b) "School expenses" means:
- (i) fees required of a student or the student's parent or guardian, as a condition for student participation in an activity, class, or program provided, sponsored, or supported by or through a public school; or
  - (ii) costs incurred for school uniforms required by a public school.
- (2) For taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2005, a taxpayer may claim, as provided in this section, a refundable tax credit against the taxes imposed by this chapter for school expenses paid by the taxpayer during the taxable year for school expenses.
- (3) A taxpayer may claim a refundable tax credit under Subsection (2) for school expenses paid by the taxpayer during the taxable year for one or more public school students.
- (4) The refundable tax credit for each student's school expenses may not exceed the total school expenses paid for the public school student, up to a maximum of \$500.
- 181 Section {-4-} <u>5.</u> Retrospective operation.