

1 **HIGHER EDUCATION PARTNERSHIPS**

2 **APPROPRIATION**

3 2007 GENERAL SESSION

4 STATE OF UTAH

5 **Chief Sponsor: Gordon E. Snow**

6 Senate Sponsor: Kevin T. VanTassell

8 **LONG TITLE**

9 **General Description:**

10 This bill appropriates monies to institutions of higher education to extend partnerships
11 with other state institutions of higher education and to enhance regional programs.

12 **Highlighted Provisions:**

13 This bill:

- 14 ▶ appropriates monies to institutions of higher education to provide increased degree
15 opportunities in high-demand academic areas;
- 16 ▶ extends Utah State University's partnerships with the College of Eastern Utah, and
17 Snow College; and
- 18 ▶ develops Utah State University's regional programs at its Uintah Basin, Tooele, and
19 Brigham City campuses.

20 **Monies Appropriated in this Bill:**

21 This bill appropriates as an ongoing appropriation subject to future budget constraints,
22 \$4,789,200 from the Education Fund for fiscal year 2007-08.

23 **Other Special Clauses:**

24 This bill takes effect on July 1, 2007.

25 **Uncodified Material Affected:**

26 ENACTS UNCODIFIED MATERIAL

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

29 Section 1. **Ongoing appropriation.**

30 As an ongoing appropriation subject to future budget constraints, there is appropriated
31 from the Education Fund for fiscal year 2007-08:

32 (1) \$1,000,000 to the College of Eastern Utah to offer, in partnership with Utah State
33 University, degrees in education, business, and natural resources;

34 (2) \$1,000,000 to Snow College to offer, in partnership with Utah State University,
35 degrees in education, business, engineering, computer science, and natural resources; and

36 (3) the following amounts to Utah State University:

37 (a) \$1,000,000 to offer education, business, pre-engineering, and natural resources
38 degrees at the Uintah Basin Campus;

39 (b) \$900,000 to offer education, business, pre-engineering, and social work degrees at
40 the Tooele Campus; and

41 (c) \$889,200 to offer education, pre-engineering, social work, liberal arts, and family,
42 consumer, and human development degrees at the Brigham City Campus.

43 **Section 2. Effective date.**

44 This bill takes effect on July 1, 2007.