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Mr. President:

The Education Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **S.B. 97**, HIGHER EDUCATION MISSION BASED FUNDING, by Senator S. Urquhart, with the following amendments:

- 1. Page 4, Lines 106 through 107:
  - 106 (ii) designed to improve the availability, effectiveness, or quality of higher education in
  - 107 <u>the state.</u>

<u>(d) When recommending an allocation of mission based funding to a</u> <u>doctorate-granting university, as defined by the board, or Southern Utah University,</u> <u>the board shall place greater emphasis on the university's fulfillment of the strategic</u> <u>priorities described in Subsection (2)(b)(ii).</u>

(e) Notwithstanding Subsection (2)(d), the board may allocate funding for a modest amount of growth to doctorate-granting institutions and Southern Utah <u>University.</u>







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- 2. Page 6, Lines 153 through 154:
  - 153 <u>(11) (a)</u> {<u>The Legislature shall provide an annual combined budget</u> <u>appropriation to the</u>} <u>If the Legislature appropriates money in accordance with</u> <u>this section, it shall be distributed to the</u>
  - 154 <u>State Board of Regents</u> <u>and higher education institutions</u> to fund the items described in Subsection (1)(b).

Respectfully,

Howard A. Stephenson Committee Chair

Voting: 5-0-1 3 SB0097.SC1.WPD /AMN AOS/CCS 2/10/11 3:20 pm





