H.B. 2 MINIMUM SCHOOL PROGRAM AND PUBLIC EDUCATION BUDGET AMENDMENTS

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT 4

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Representative **Steve Eliason** proposes the following amendments:

- 1. Page 2, Line 30:
 - enacts provisions related to funding for International Baccalaureate programs;
 - establishes the value of the weighted pupil unit at \$3,035 for fiscal year 2011-12;
- 2. Page 2, Lines 49 through 50:
 - 49 ENACTS:
 - 50 53A-17a-164, Utah Code Annotated 1953
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- 3. Page 10, Line 301:
 - the Public Education Appropriations Subcommittee on the effectiveness of the program.

Section 6. Section 53A-17a-165 is enacted to read:

- 53A-17a-165. Enhancement for Accelerated Students Program.
- (1) The State Board of Education shall distribute money appropriated for the Enhancement for Accelerated Students Program to school districts and charter schools according to a formula adopted by the State Board of Education, after consultation with school districts and charter schools.
 - (2) A distribution formula adopted under Subsection (1) may include an allocation of money for:
 - (a) advanced placement courses;
- (b) gifted and talented programs, including professional development for teachers of high ability students; and
 - (c) International Baccalaureate programs.
- (3) The greater of 1.5% or \$100,000 of the appropriation for the Enhancement for Accelerated Students Program may be allowed for International Baccalaureate programs.
- (4) A school district or charter school shall use money distributed under this section to enhance the academic growth of students whose academic achievement is accelerated.
- (5) The State Board of Education shall develop performance criteria to measure the effectiveness of the Enhancement for Accelerated Students Program and make an annual report to the Public Education Appropriations Subcommittee on the effectiveness of the program.
- 4. Page 15, Lines 438 through 440:
 - 438 (1) not give effect to the repeal of Section 53A-17a-108 in S.B. 1; {-and-}

- 439 (2) that the enactment of Section 53A-17a-164 in this bill supersedes the enactment of
- 440 <u>Section 53A-17a-164 in S.B. 1</u> {-} ; and
 - (3) that the enactment of Section 53A-17a-165 in this bill supersedes the enactment of Section 53A-17a-165 in S.B. 1.

Renumber remaining sections accordingly.