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Representative Jacob L. Anderegg proposes the following substitute bill:

GRANTS FOR DIGITAL TEXTBOOKS

2014 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Jacob L. Anderegg

Senate Sponsor: _____

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill provides funding for school districts and charter schools to facilitate the adoption of digital textbooks.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ provides for grants to school districts and charter schools for~~{}~~:
 - the purchase of digital textbooks, personal mobile devices, and desktop or laptop computers;~~{~~

~~—> specifies that a grant award may not:}~~

- ~~{exceed \$500 per student; or~~

~~—> be used for peripherals and networking equipment or }~~ professional development for educators; and

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- peripherals and networking equipment;

- ▶ requires the State Board of Education to report on the use of the grants to facilitate the adoption of digital textbooks; and
- ▶ repeals provisions related to grants for digital textbooks on July 1, 2024.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

This bill appropriates:

- ▶ to the State Board of Education - Utah State Office of Education - Initiative Programs, as an ongoing appropriation:
 - from the Education Fund, ~~(\$500)~~ \$1,000,000.

Other Special Clauses:

This bill provides an effective date.

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

63I-2-253, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2013, Chapters 173 and 434

ENACTS:

53A-1-710, Utah Code Annotated 1953

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

Section 1. Section **53A-1-710** is enacted to read:

53A-1-710. Grants for digital textbooks.

(1) ~~{(a) The State Board of Education shall award grants to a school district or charter school to facilitate the adoption of digital textbooks.~~

~~— (b) A school district or charter school that receives a grant described in Subsection (1)(a) may use the grant to purchase:~~

~~— (i) digital textbooks;~~

~~— (ii) As used in this section "hardware" means:~~

(a) personal mobile devices; and

(~~iii~~) b) desktop or laptop computers.

(2) (a) The State Board of Education shall ~~{solicit proposals from}~~ award grants to a school ~~{districts and}~~ district or charter ~~{schools for the use of the grant}~~ school to facilitate the adoption of digital textbooks.

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~~(b) In awarding A school district or charter school that receives a grant under Subsection ~~(1)~~, the State Board of Education shall consider the applicant's capacity to use the grant to serve the greatest number of students possible.~~

~~— (3) A grant awarded under Subsection (1) may not:~~

~~— (a) exceed \$500 per student; or~~

~~— (b) be used for:~~

~~(i) 2(a) may use the grant for:~~

~~(i) digital textbooks;~~

~~(ii) hardware;~~

~~(iii) professional development for educators related to the use of the technology described in Subsections (2)(b)(i) and (ii); or~~

~~(iv) peripherals or networking equipment, including a wireless network; or~~

~~— (ii) professional development for educators.~~

~~— (4);~~

~~(3) (a) The State Board of Education shall solicit proposals from school districts and charter schools for the use of the grant to facilitate the adoption of digital textbooks.~~

~~(b) In awarding a grant under Subsection (2), the State Board of Education shall consider the applicant's capacity to use the grant to serve the greatest number of students possible.~~

~~(4) The State Board of Education may not award a grant under Subsection (2) that exceeds \$500 per student for the purchase of digital textbooks and hardware.~~

~~(5) (a) The State Board of Education shall report annually ~~report~~ to the ~~Legislature's~~ Public Education Appropriations Subcommittee on the following:~~

~~(i) the subject area of the classes that converted to digital textbooks;~~

~~(ii) the cost per student for the conversion to digital textbooks; and~~

~~(iii) student and teacher satisfaction with digital textbooks.~~

~~(b) ~~A~~ Upon request of the State Board of Education, a school district or charter school that receives a grant ~~described in~~ under Subsection ~~(1) 2~~ shall provide to the State Board of Education information that is necessary for the ~~board's~~ report ~~to the Legislature's Public Education Appropriations Subcommittee as~~ required in Subsection ~~(4) 5~~(a).~~

Section 2. Section **63I-2-253** is amended to read:

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63I-2-253. Repeal dates -- Titles 53, 53A, and 53B.

(1) Section 53A-1-402.7 is repealed July 1, 2014.

(2) Section 53A-1-403.5 is repealed July 1, 2017.

(3) Section 53A-1-411 is repealed July 1, 2016.

~~[(4) Section 53A-1-412 is repealed July 1, 2013.]~~

~~[(5)]~~ (4) Section 53A-1a-513.5 is repealed July 1, 2017.

(5) Section 53A-1-710 is repealed July 1, 2024.

(6) Title 53A, Chapter 1a, Part 10, UPSTART, is repealed July 1, 2014.

(7) Title 53A, Chapter 8a, Part 8, Peer Assistance and Review Pilot Program, is repealed July 1, 2017.

~~[(8) Subsection 53A-13-110(4) is repealed July 1, 2013.]~~

~~[(9)]~~ (8) Section 53A-17a-169 is repealed July 1, 2016.

Section 3. Appropriation.

Under the terms and conditions of Title 63J, Chapter 1, Budgetary Procedures Act, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2014, and ending June 30, 2015, the following sums of money are appropriated from resources not otherwise appropriated, or reduced from amounts previously appropriated, out of the funds or accounts indicated. These sums of money are in addition to any amounts previously appropriated for fiscal year 2015.

To State Board of Education - Utah State Office of Education - Initiative Programs

From Education Fund ~~}{500}~~\$1,000,000

Schedule of Programs:

Contracts and Grants ~~}{500}~~\$1,000,000

~~{Under Section 63J-1-603, the}~~The Legislature intends that ~~{ appropriations provided in this section are:~~

~~{ (1) to be used as provided in Section }:~~

~~{ (1) \$500,000 of the appropriation under this section is to be used to purchase the digital textbooks and hardware described in Subsections 53A-1-710(2)(b)(i) and (ii);~~

~~{ (2) \$500,000 of the appropriation under this section is to be used for the professional development described in Subsection 53A-1-710(2)(b)(iii) or to purchase peripherals or networking equipment described in Subsection 53A-1-710(2)(b)(iv); and~~

~~{ (3) the appropriation under this section is:~~

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~~(2)a~~ ongoing, subject to availability of funds; and

~~(3)b~~ ~~nonlapsing~~ non-lapsing.

Section 4. **Effective date.**

(1) Except as provided in Subsection (2), this bill takes effect on May 13, 2014.

(2) Uncodified Section 3, Appropriation, takes effect on July 1, 2014.

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Legislative Review Note

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