

# H.B. 346

## FOSTER CHILDREN AMENDMENTS

Representative **Johnny Anderson** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 1, Lines 10 through 19:*

10 Highlighted Provisions:

11 This bill:

12 ▶ defines terms;

13 ▶ requires the ~~{division}~~ Division of Child and Family Services (the division) to make efforts to normalize the life of a child in the division's

14 custody and to empower a caregiver to approve or disapprove a child's participation

15 in activities based on the caregiver's own assessment using a reasonable and prudent

16 parent standard, without prior approval of the division;

17 ▶ requires the division to verify that private agencies providing out-of-home

18 placement under contract with the division promote and protect the ability of a child to participate in age-appropriate

19 activities; and

2. *Page 3, Lines 75 through 79:*

75 proposed activity.

76 (c) The division shall verify that private agencies providing out-of-home placement under contract  
with the division :

77 (i) promote and protect the ability of a child to participate in age-appropriate activities;

78 and

79 (ii) implement policies consistent with this section.

3. *Page 3, Lines 84 through 87:*

84 statute.

85 (2) In accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, the

86 division shall adopt rules establishing the procedures for verifying that private agencies providing  
out-of-home placement under contract with the division comply

87 with and promote this part.