

1st Sub. S.B. 80

STATEWIDE ONLINE EDUCATION AMENDMENTS

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT 2

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Representative Bradley G. Last proposes the following amendments:

1. Page 1, Lines 14 through 16:

14 {~~→ allows an institution within the state system of higher education to offer a secondary~~
15 ~~school level course or a concurrent enrollment course through the Statewide Online~~
16 ~~Education Program;~~}

2. Page 2, Line 35:

35 {~~53A-15-1205, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2012, Chapter 238~~}

3. Page 5, Line 149:

149 Education Program. =

(8) An online course provider and a primary LEA of enrollment may not discriminate in the enrollment of students in online courses on the same basis as other public schools may not discriminate in the enrollment of students.

4. Page 6, Lines 156 through 166:

156 {~~Section 4. Section 53A-15-1205 is amended to read:~~
157 ~~53A-15-1205. Authorized online course providers:~~
158 ~~The following entities may offer online courses to eligible students through the~~
159 ~~Statewide Online Education Program:~~
160 ~~(1) [beginning with the 2011-12 school year,] a charter school or district school created~~
161 ~~exclusively for the purpose of serving students online; [and]~~
162 ~~(2) [beginning with the 2011-12 school year,] an LEA program, approved by the LEA's~~
163 ~~governing board, that is created exclusively for the purpose of serving students online[.]; and~~
164 ~~(3) a program of an institution of higher education listed in Section 53B-2-101 that:~~
165 ~~(a) offers secondary school level courses or concurrent enrollment courses; and~~
166 ~~(b) is created exclusively for the purpose of serving students online.}~~}

5. Page 8, Lines 237 through 241:

237 (j) If the online course student has an individual education plan (IEP) or 504
238 accommodations, the primary LEA of enrollment shall forward the IEP or description of 504
239 accommodations **, for the adoption of the IEP or 504 accommodations,** to the online course provider

within 72 business hours after the primary LEA
240 of enrollment receives notice that the online course provider accepted the course credit
241 acknowledgment.

6. Page 10, Line 303 through Page 11, Line 306:

303 (1) A private school or home school student with a disability who enrolls in an online
304 course, and who may need additional education services or accommodations, may :

(a) request
305 appropriate education services or accommodations through the {~~student's school district of~~
306 residence.} online course provider; and

(b) may receive special education services through the online course provider, if the private school or home school student qualifies for special education services under Part 3, Education of Children with Disabilities, and rules adopted by the State Board of Education under that part.

(2) If a private school or home school student who qualifies for special education services pursuant to Subsection (1) enrolls in online courses with more than one online course provider, the student shall receive special education services in accordance with rules adopted by the State Board of Education that provide for cooperation and coordination in the provision of special education services.

(3) An online course provider that provides special education services to a private school or home school student with a disability in accordance with Part 3, Education of Children with Disabilities, and rules adopted by the State Board of Education under that part, qualifies for funding for students with disabilities under Section 53A-17a-111 to the extent the private school or home school student is enrolled in an online course.