

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

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Chairman of Committee

January 24, 2011  
Date

Committee on Education.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB11-1077 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 2, after line 1 insert:

2 "SECTION 1. 22-20-102 (3), (4), and (5), Colorado Revised  
3 Statutes, are amended to read:

4 **22-20-102. Legislative declaration.** (3) It is further the intent of  
5 this ~~article~~ PART 1 to ensure that there is a coordination of all services  
6 available to children with disabilities and to promote interagency  
7 operating agreements or contracts between administrative units, other  
8 public agencies, nonprofit organizations, and eligible facilities for the  
9 provision of appropriate services for children with disabilities.

10 (4) It is further the intent of the general assembly that this ~~article~~  
11 PART 1, and the rules promulgated pursuant to this ~~article~~ PART 1 by the  
12 state board, align closely with the federal "Individuals with Disabilities  
13 Education Improvement Act of 2004", 20 U.S.C. sec. 1400 et seq., as  
14 amended, and its implementing regulations, 34 CFR part 300 and 34 CFR  
15 part 303, as they pertain to child find, in order to minimize the number of  
16 rules, regulations, and policies to which administrative units,  
17 state-operated programs, and eligible facilities are subject.

18 (5) Nothing in this ~~article~~ PART 1 shall be construed to affect the  
19 placement of children out of the home or alternatives to such placements  
20 as provided in section 19-1-116, C.R.S."

21 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

- 1 Page 2, line 5, strike "(1)", and before "and" insert "(15)".
- 2 Page 2, strike lines 9 through 12.
- 3 Page 3, after line 12 insert:
- 4 "(15) "Individualized education program" or "IEP" means a  
5 written statement for a child with a disability that is developed, reviewed,  
6 and revised in accordance with this ~~article~~ PART 1 and the rules  
7 promulgated by the state board."
- 8 Page 8, after line 21 insert:
- 9 "SECTION 9. 22-20-114 (5), Colorado Revised Statutes, is  
10 amended to read:
- 11 **22-20-114. Funding of programs.** (5) Payments made under the  
12 provisions of this ~~article~~ PART 1 shall not affect the amount of other state  
13 aid for which an administrative unit may qualify."
- 14 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.
- 15 Page 10, line 25, strike "PART" and substitute "ARTICLE."
- 16 Page 10, strike line 26.
- 17 Page 11, after line 3 insert:
- 18 "(3) "BOARD OF COOPERATIVE SERVICES" MEANS A REGIONAL  
19 EDUCATIONAL SERVICES UNIT CREATED PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 5 OF THIS  
20 TITLE AND DESIGNED TO PROVIDE SUPPORTING, INSTRUCTIONAL,  
21 ADMINISTRATIVE, FACILITY, COMMUNITY, OR ANY OTHER SERVICES  
22 CONTRACTED BY PARTICIPATING MEMBERS."
- 23 Renumber succeeding subsections accordingly.
- 24 Page 11, line 12, strike "(5)" and substitute "(6)".
- 25 Page 13, strike line 2 and substitute "ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT".
- 26 Page 16, line 9, strike "2011," and substitute "2008,".

- 1 Page 18, line 23, strike "(5)" and substitute "(6)".
- 2 Page 19, line 7, strike "(5)." and substitute "(6).".
- 3 Page 19, line 23, strike "(5)." and substitute "(6).".

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