SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chairman of Committee

<u>April 9, 2014</u> Date

Committee on <u>Education</u>.

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

- <u>SB14-167</u> be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on <u>Appropriations</u> with favorable recommendation:
- 1 Amend printed bill, page 4, after line 23 insert:

"(3) THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY DECLARES THAT, FOR PURPOSES OF
SECTION 17 OF ARTICLE IX OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION, THE
OPPORTUNITY SCHOOLS PILOT INITIATIVE CREATED IN THIS ARTICLE IS A
PROGRAM OF ACCOUNTABLE EDUCATION REFORM AND MAY THEREFORE
RECEIVE FUNDING FROM THE STATE EDUCATION FUND CREATED IN SECTION
17 (4) OF ARTICLE IX OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION.".

Page 9, strike line 5 and substitute "22-30.7-102 (9.5); EXCEPT THAT A
MULTI-DISTRICT ON-LINE SCHOOL THAT OPERATES ONE OR MORE
LEARNING CENTERS AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 22-30.7-111 MAY APPLY TO
PARTICIPATE IN THE INITIATIVE.".

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