

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chairman of Committee

March 9, 2015
Date

Committee on Education.

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

HB15-1201 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 4, line 26, strike "LEARNING;" and substitute
2 "LEARNING AND ON-LINE LEARNING;".

3 Page 6, after line 24 insert:

4 "(d) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY PROVISION OF THIS SUBSECTION (3)
5 TO THE CONTRARY, A BOCES THAT RECEIVES A GRANT PURSUANT TO THIS
6 SECTION AND THAT PROVIDES UNIQUE CENTRALIZED OPERATING SERVICES
7 THAT ARE NOT PROVIDED BY ANOTHER BOCES IN THE STATE MAY USE
8 THE GRANT MONEYS TO PROVIDE THE UNIQUE CENTRALIZED OPERATING
9 SERVICES TO ANY ELIGIBLE SCHOOL DISTRICT AND TO A CHARTER SCHOOL
10 PHYSICALLY LOCATED WITHIN ANY ELIGIBLE SCHOOL DISTRICT."

11 Page 7, line 11, strike "DISTRICTS;" and substitute "DISTRICTS, OR THE
12 UNIQUE CENTRALIZED OPERATING SERVICES THE BOCES WILL PROVIDE;".

13 Page 8, after line 21 insert:

14 "(III) WITH REGARD TO AN APPLYING BOCES THAT PROVIDES
15 UNIQUE CENTRALIZED OPERATING SERVICES THAT ARE NOT PROVIDED BY
16 ANOTHER BOCES IN THE STATE, PROVIDE EVIDENCE THAT A SIGNIFICANT
17 PERCENTAGE OF THE ELIGIBLE SCHOOL DISTRICTS THROUGHOUT THE
18 STATE AND CHARTER SCHOOLS PHYSICALLY LOCATED WITHIN ELIGIBLE
19 SCHOOL DISTRICTS THROUGHOUT THE STATE ANTICIPATE USING THE
20 UNIQUE CENTRALIZED OPERATING SERVICES THAT THE BOCES
21 PROVIDES;".

1 Renumber succeeding subparagraphs accordingly.

2 Page 9, line 1, strike "DISTRICTS;" and substitute "DISTRICTS OR TO
3 PROVIDE UNIQUE CENTRALIZED OPERATING SERVICES TO ELIGIBLE SCHOOL
4 DISTRICTS THROUGHOUT THE STATE AND TO CHARTER SCHOOLS
5 PHYSICALLY LOCATED WITHIN ELIGIBLE SCHOOL DISTRICTS THROUGHOUT
6 THE STATE;".

7 Page 10, line 7, strike "PROVIDES;" and substitute "PROVIDES, OR IF THE
8 BOCES PROVIDES UNIQUE CENTRALIZED OPERATING SERVICES, THE
9 PERCENTAGE OF ELIGIBLE SCHOOL DISTRICTS THROUGHOUT THE STATE
10 AND CHARTER SCHOOLS PHYSICALLY LOCATED IN ELIGIBLE SCHOOL
11 DISTRICTS THROUGHOUT THE STATE THAT USE THE UNIQUE CENTRALIZED
12 OPERATING SERVICES THAT THE BOCES PROVIDES;".

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