

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT EXPLANATION



Bill Number: **SB 1346**

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Floor Amendment

Repeals A.R.S. § 15-716(C).

Requires those school districts that deliver instruction on acquired immune deficiency syndrome and the human immunodeficiency virus to provide a description of the course curriculum for this instruction to all parents.

Makes technical and conforming changes to A.R.S. § 15-716.

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SHOPE FLOOR AMENDMENT
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AMENDMENTS TO S.B. 1346
(Reference to EDUCATION Committee amendment)

1 Page 1, between lines 1 and 2, insert:

2 "Section 1. Section 15-716, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 15-716. Instruction on acquired immune deficiency syndrome:
5 department assistance

6 A. Each common, high and unified school district may provide
7 instruction to PUPILS IN kindergarten programs AND GRADES ONE through the
8 ~~twelfth grade~~ TWELVE on acquired immune deficiency syndrome and the human
9 immunodeficiency virus.

10 B. Each SCHOOL district ~~is free to~~ MAY develop its own course of
11 study for each grade. At a minimum, instruction shall:

- 12 1. Be appropriate to the grade level in which it is offered.
13 2. Be medically accurate.
14 3. Promote abstinence.
15 4. Discourage drug abuse.
16 5. Dispel myths regarding transmission of the human immunodeficiency
17 virus.

18 ~~C. No district shall include in its course of study instruction~~
19 ~~which:~~

- 20 ~~1. Promotes a homosexual life-style.~~
21 ~~2. Portrays homosexuality as a positive alternative life-style.~~
22 ~~3. Suggests that some methods of sex are safe methods of homosexual~~
23 ~~sex.~~

1 ~~C.~~ C. At the request of a school district, the department of health
2 services or the department of education shall review instruction materials
3 to determine their medical accuracy.

4 ~~E.~~ D. At the request of a school district, the department of
5 education shall provide the following assistance:

- 6 1. A suggested course of study.
- 7 2. Teacher training.
- 8 3. A list of available films and other teaching aids.

9 ~~F.~~ E. At the request of a parent, a pupil shall be excused from
10 instruction on the acquired immune deficiency syndrome and the human
11 immunodeficiency virus as provided in subsection A of this section. The
12 school district shall PROVIDE A DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE CURRICULUM TO ALL
13 PARENTS AND notify all parents of their ability to withdraw their child
14 from the instruction."

15 Renumber to conform

16 Page 3, line 27, strike "2" insert "3"

17 Amend title to conform

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