

House Engrossed Senate Bill

State of Arizona
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CHAPTER 215

SENATE BILL 1331

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 15-743, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO PUPIL ASSESSMENT.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 15-743, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 15-743. Test results; annual report

5 A. The state board of education shall provide annual reports for every
6 school and district and the state as a whole. The state board shall annually
7 submit these reports to school districts, the legislature and the county
8 school superintendents and shall make them available to the public. The
9 state board shall publish and distribute the reports by July SEPTMBER 1 and
10 shall also provide a cumulative summary of the reports every five years. The
11 annual reports and cumulative summary results shall include:

12 1. Average and range scores on the Arizona instrument to measure
13 standards test.

14 2. Standardized test scores by subject area according to grade
15 equivalents, percentiles and stanines for the school, school district,
16 county, state and nation.

17 3. Achievement related nontest indicator data collected in the survey
18 of teachers, principals and superintendents as required by section 15-741,
19 including information related to dropout rates by ethnicity for each grade
20 level and graduation rates and postsecondary employment and education by
21 ethnicity. In reporting such data, the state board of education shall not
22 violate the provisions of the family educational rights and privacy act (P.L.
23 93-380), as amended, nor disclose personally identifiable information.

24 4. The numbers of pupils who have completed the academic standards at
25 grades three, eight and twelve.

26 B. Test results on individual pupils shall not be made available to
27 the public by name or individually identifiable reference.

28 C. The state board shall provide a copy of the results from the tests
29 prescribed in section 15-741, subsection A for each school district to that
30 school district. No results may be released to the public until ten days
31 after the reports are provided to each school district.

32 D. The state board shall provide each school district participating
33 in the testing program with a copy of each pupil's standardized
34 norm-referenced test scores in reading, language arts and mathematics, and
35 the associated grade equivalents, percentiles and stanines for the school,
36 school district, county, state and nation, a report of pupil progress on an
37 ongoing and annual basis, showing the trends in gain or loss in pupil
38 achievement over time in reading, language arts and mathematics for all years
39 in which pupils are enrolled in the school district for an entire school year
40 and for which this information is available and a report of the pupil
41 progress for pupils not enrolled in a district for an entire school
42 year. The state board shall also provide each school district with each
43 pupil's Arizona instrument to measure standards test scores and the Arizona
44 instrument to measure standards test scores for the school, district, county
45 and state.

1 E. The school district shall provide a parent or guardian of each
2 pupil participating in the standardized norm-referenced testing part of the
3 program with a copy of the pupil's score in reading, language arts and
4 mathematics, and the associated grade equivalents, percentiles and stanines.
5 The school district shall provide a parent or guardian of each pupil with a
6 copy of the pupil's scores on the Arizona instrument to measure standards
7 test and the associated scores for the school, district, county and state.
8 The school district shall make available to the public through the reports
9 those scores for each school in the district and for the school district,
10 county, state and nation.

11 F. Each pupil's Arizona instrument to measure standards test results
12 for grade twelve shall be recorded on the pupil's high school
13 transcript. The state board of education shall prescribe the format for
14 recording Arizona instrument to measure standards test results on high school
15 transcripts.

16 Sec. 2. Retroactivity

17 This act applies retroactively to from and after June 1, 2002.

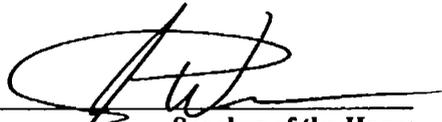
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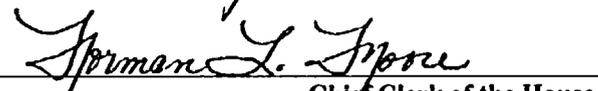
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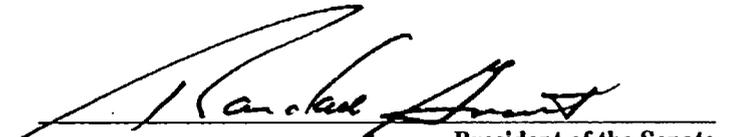

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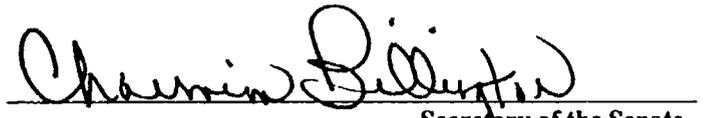

Chief Clerk of the House

Passed the Senate March 27, 2002,

by the following vote: 29 Ayes,

1 Nays, 0 Not Voting


President of the Senate


Secretary of the Senate

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OFFICE OF GOVERNOR

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 day of , 20 ,

at o'clock M.

Secretary to the Governor

Approved this day of

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Governor of Arizona

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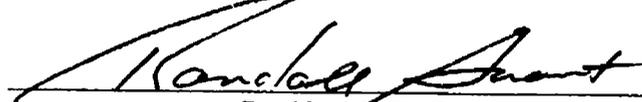
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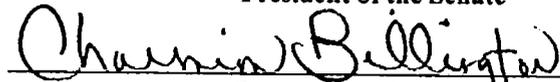
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President of the Senate



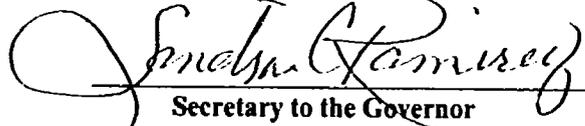
Secretary of the Senate

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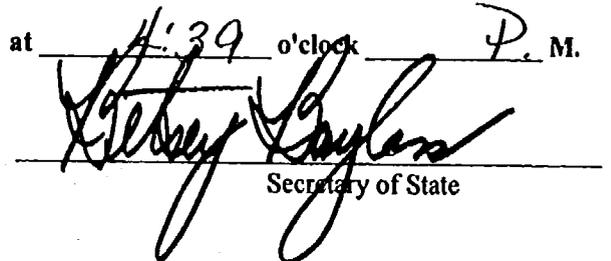
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