

FIFTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE
FIRST SESSION, 2015

SB 304/a

February 27, 2015

Mr. President:

Your **EDUCATION COMMITTEE**, to whom has been referred

SENATE BILL 304

has had it under consideration and reports same with recommendation that it **DO PASS**, amended as follows:

1. On page 1, line 11, strike "TO THE PUBLIC EDUCATION DEPARTMENT".

2. On page 1, strike Section 1 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following new section:

"SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION--TEMPORARY PROVISION--USE OF DEPARTMENT FUNDS.--For fiscal year 2016, the children, youth and families department shall enter into an inter-governmental agreement with regional education cooperatives statewide to use two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) in department funds for books and toys to be purchased and then loaned by regional education cooperatives on a prorated, per-student basis to providers of state-funded early childhood assistance programs.".,

and thence referred to the **FINANCE COMMITTEE**.

Respectfully submitted,

John M. Sapien, Chairman

Adopted _____ Not Adopted _____
(Chief Clerk) (Chief Clerk)
Date _____

The roll call vote was 7 For 0 Against

Yes: 7

No: 0

Excused: Kernan, O'Neill

Absent: None