FIFTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE FIRST SESSION, 2015

March 3, 2015

Mr. President:

Your FINANCE COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

SENATE BILL 304, as amended

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

- 1. Strike Senate Education Committee Amendment 2.
- 2. On page 1, line 12, strike "TOYS" and insert in lieu thereof "LEARNING RESOURCES".
- 3. 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 learning resources 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.".

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Respectfully submitted,

John Arthur Smith, Chairman

Adopted Not Adopted (Chief Clerk)

Date (Chief Clerk) (Chief Clerk)

The roll call vote was 10 For 0 Against
Yes: 10
No: 0
Excused: None
Absent: None

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