

FORTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE
FIRST SESSION, 2003

HB 708/a

March 14, 2003

Madam President:

Your EDUCATION COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

HOUSE BILL 708, as amended

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

1. Strike House Appropriations and Finance Committee Amendments 6 through 8.

2. On pages 3 through 10, strike Section 2 and insert in lieu thereof:

"Section 2. A new section of the Public School Code is enacted to read:

"[NEW MATERIAL] DISTANCE LEARNING AND COMPUTER-BASED COURSES. -- Public schools that offer distance learning and computer-based courses of study shall provide accompanying electronic formats that are usable by a person with a disability using assistive technology, and those formats shall be based on the American standard code for information interchange, hypertext markup language and extensible markup language."

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Respectfully submitted,

Cynthia Nava, Chairman

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

Date _____

The roll call vote was 5 For 0 Against

Yes: 5

No: 0

Excused: Boitano, Cravens, Garcia, Sanchez, B.

Absent: None

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