



# UTAH STATE SENATE

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Mr. President:

The Education Committee recommends **S.B. 295, INTELLECTUAL DIVERSITY IN EDUCATION AND GOVERNMENT**, by Senator J. D. Johnson, be replaced and reports a favorable recommendation on **1st Sub. S.B. 295, INTELLECTUAL DIVERSITY IN EDUCATION AND GOVERNMENT** with the following amendments:

## Amendment 1

### 1 Line 405 through 411:

- 405 (b) limit or deny authorization or school facilities use to proposed clubs that[ ]:
- 406 (i) do not meet the requirements of this part, rules of the state board, [~~and policies of~~
- 407 ~~the ]~~or LEA governing board[ ] rules;
- 408 (ii) promote {;} or degrade {, or otherwise identify} , in the club's general purpose, a
- 409 personal
- 409 identity characteristic; or
- 410 (iii) promote or encourage a prohibited discriminatory practice.
- 411 (4) Rules of the state board or an LEA governing board regarding clubs and actions of a

### 2 Line 1059 through 1065:

- 1059 (A) a presentation or instruction by a guest lecturer in an academic course; or
- 1060 (B) a speaker an administrative unit of the institution, faculty member or faculty
- 1061 organization, staff member or staff organization, or student club or
- 1062 organization invites to speak, virtually or in person, at the institution, { not }
- 1063 including a public policy event described in Section 53H-6-302;

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1064    [~~(d)~~ ](v) a grant that would otherwise require:

1065    [~~(i)~~ ](A) a department, office, division, or other unit of an institution to engage in a

Respectfully,

John D. Johnson  
Chair

Voting: 6-0-1

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