

## UTAH STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

**Subject:**

ACTION: R277-726, Statewide Online Education Program (SOEP) (Amendment)

**Agenda item type:**

Action Item

**Recommended Action:**

**MOTION FOR THE BOARD:** That the Board approve R277-726, Statewide Online Education Program (SOEP), Draft 3, on second and final reading.

**Purpose of Memo:**

Result of legislative action

**Background:**

Staff recommends amending R277-726 to reflect changes made in the legislative session, including HB246 and SB137.

Staff will present R277-726, Statewide Online Education Program, Draft 3, for consideration and approval.

The Finance committee approved Draft 1 in April. Following extensive review, staff recommended major changes, including a rewrite of the requirements for funding small schools in the rule. Draft 3 incorporates these edits.

[Statewide Online Education Program Video](#)

Authorizing, and Implemented or Interpreted Law: [Art X Sec 3](#); [53F-4-510](#); [53F-4-514](#); [53E-3-401](#)

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**Attachments:**

1. R277-726 - Draft 3 - June 2025 Committee
2. R277-726 - Draft 2 - May 2025 Board
3. R277-726 - Draft 1 - April 2025 Committee
4. R277- 726 - Reporting Burden and Fiscal Impact Estimate Form 4.1.25

