

LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA  
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**LEGISLATIVE BILL 356**

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Committee:

A BILL

- 1 FOR AN ACT relating to schools; to prohibit participation in co-
- 2 curricular or extracurricular activities as prescribed;
- 3 and to provide exceptions.
- 4 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1           Section 1. (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of  
2 this section, any nonpublic school which rejects an application for  
3 admission of any child with a disability as defined in section  
4 79-1117 shall not be eligible for participation in school-sponsored  
5 co-curricular or extracurricular activities administered or managed  
6 by an organization whose purpose is statewide administration and  
7 management of such activities.

8           (2) A nonpublic school described in subsection (1) of  
9 this section may participate in school-sponsored co-curricular or  
10 extracurricular activities if such school (a) reimburses the school  
11 district of residence of such child for its actual expenses in  
12 providing special education services for such child and (b) provides  
13 or pays for transportation services associated with such special  
14 education services.

15           (3) For purposes of this section:

16           (a) Co-curricular or extracurricular activity includes,  
17 but is not limited to, athletics and fine and performing arts; and

18           (b) Fine and performing arts includes, but is not limited  
19 to, debate, journalism, live theater production, music, and speech.