

1 **ONLINE COURSE ACCESS AMENDMENTS**

2 2022 GENERAL SESSION

3 STATE OF UTAH

4 **Chief Sponsor: Kera Birkeland**

5 Senate Sponsor: Ann Millner

7 **LONG TITLE**

8 **General Description:**

9 This bill ensures payment of an online course fee for students attending small schools.

10 **Highlighted Provisions:**

11 This bill:

12 ▶ requires the State Board of Education to use funds from an appropriation to the
13 Statewide Online Education Program to pay an online course fee for a student
14 attending a small school.

15 **Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

16 None

17 **Other Special Clauses:**

18 None

19 **Utah Code Sections Affected:**

20 ENACTS:

21 **53F-4-518**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

23 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

24 Section 1. Section **53F-4-518** is enacted to read:

25 **53F-4-518. Small school student access to college and career readiness courses.**

26 Subject to legislative appropriations and notwithstanding Subsections [53F-4-509\(2\)](#) and
27 (3), in lieu of a deduction described in Subsection [53F-4-507\(2\)](#), the state board shall use funds
28 from an appropriation for the Statewide Online Education Program to pay for an online course

29 fee described in Section [53F-4-505](#) for a student who is enrolled in a public high school that
30 enrolls fewer than 1,000 students.