

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

Offered By _____

1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1858, Page 5, Section 161.841, Line 94,
2 by inserting after all of the said section and line the following:
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4 "170.231. 1. The school board of each school district and the governing board of each
5 charter school shall provide that all public school instructional material intended for use in
6 connection with any public school classroom instruction, or any public school research or
7 experimentation program or project, shall be available for inspection by any person. For the
8 purpose of this section, "classroom instruction" shall mean any public school instruction involving
9 teachers and students or peers and students; "research or experimentation program or project" shall
10 mean any public school research or experimentation program or project designed to explore or
11 develop new and unproven teaching methods and techniques.

12 2. (1) The school board of each school district and the governing board of each charter
13 school shall prominently post on the home page of the school board's or charter school's website, in
14 such a manner that the information is available to the public, the curricula intended for use by such
15 school district or charter school in connection with school instruction in math, social studies,
16 science, English, foreign language, fine arts, health, physical education, and vocational education.
17 If such school board or governing board adopts a change of any curriculum used by such school
18 district or charter school, such school board's or charter school's website shall be updated within
19 thirty days after such change is adopted.

20 (2) The school board of each school district and the governing board of each charter school
21 shall notify parents and guardians that the curricula list on the website has been updated by posting a
22 notice on such school board's or charter school's website and providing notice in a newsletter or
23 other written communication that is regularly distributed to parents and guardians.

24 (3) Where the curricular materials being made available to parents for review are subject to
25 copyright, trademark, or other intellectual property protection, the review process shall include
26 technical and procedural safeguards to ensure that the materials are not able to be widely
27 disseminated to the general public in violation of the intellectual property rights of the publisher and
28 content validity is not undermined.

29 (4) A resident of a school district may bring an action for injunctive relief or a writ of
30 mandamus in the circuit court with jurisdiction over the school district to compel the school board

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1 of such school district or the governing board of a charter school within the boundaries of such
2 school district to comply with this subsection. If the resident prevails, the court shall award to such
3 resident reasonable attorney's fees not to exceed fifteen thousand dollars.

4 (5) This subsection shall apply in the 2023-24 school year and all subsequent school years."
5 and

6 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
7 accordingly.