

1 **SHB 2910** - H AMD to H AMD (H 5246.1) **363 WITHDRAWN 2-27-96**

2 By Representatives Quall, Linville and Brumsickle

3 On page 7, after line 31 of the amendment, insert the  
4 following:

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6 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 8. LIMIT ON NUMBER. The total number of  
7 charter schools operating in the state in the 1996-97 and 1997-98  
8 school years shall not exceed twenty-five. For purposes of  
9 implementing this subsection in the 1996-97 and 1997-98 school  
10 years, a sponsor shall notify the superintendent of public  
11 instruction when it receives a charter school application, when it  
12 approves a charter school pursuant to this section, and when a  
13 charter school contract expires or is terminated. Once twenty-five  
14 charter schools are approved, the superintendent shall notify  
15 school districts. The superintendent also shall notify sponsors  
16 when additional charter schools may be approved due to any charter  
17 school contract terminations."

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19 Renumber remaining sections and correct internal references  
20 accordingly.

**EFFECT:** Places a limit of 25 on the number of charter schools  
that may operate in the 1996-97 and 1997-98 school years.