

# SENATE MOTION

**MADAM PRESIDENT:**

**I move** that Engrossed House Bill 1002 be amended to read as follows:

- 1           Page 15, delete lines 28 through 42, begin a new paragraph and  
2           insert:
- 3           "SECTION 20. IC 20-24-7-13, AS AMENDED BY P.L.1-2010,  
4           SECTION 78, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
5           JULY 1, 2011]: Sec. 13. (a) As used in this section, "virtual charter  
6           school" means any charter school, including a conversion charter  
7           school, that provides for the delivery of more than fifty percent (50%)  
8           of instruction to students through:
- 9                 (1) virtual distance learning;  
10                (2) online technologies; or  
11                (3) computer based instruction.
- 12           (b) The department shall establish a ~~pilot~~ program to provide  
13           funding for a statewide total of up to ~~two hundred (200)~~ students who  
14           ~~attend virtual charter schools in the school year ending in 2010 and five~~  
15           ~~hundred (500)~~ **one thousand (1,000)** students who attend virtual  
16           charter schools. ~~in the school year ending 2011~~. The department shall  
17           choose an entity or entities to operate the virtual charter school. The  
18           ~~pilot~~ program must focus on children who have medical disabilities or  
19           circumstances that prevent them from attending school or for whom a  
20           virtual charter school is a better alternative than a traditional school. At  
21           least seventy-five percent (75%) of the students enrolled in virtual  
22           charter schools under this section must have been included in the ADM  
23           count for the previous school year.
- 24           (c) A virtual charter school is entitled to receive funding from the  
25           state in an amount equal to the product of:
- 26                 (1) the number of students included in the virtual charter school's  
27                 ADM who are participating in the pilot program; multiplied by  
28                 (2) eighty percent (80%) of the statewide average basic tuition  
29                 support.
- 30           (d) The department shall adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to govern the  
31           operation of virtual charter schools.
- 32           (e) Beginning in 2009, the department shall before December 1 of

1 each year submit an annual report to the budget committee concerning  
2 the program under this section."

(Reference is to EHB 1002 as printed March 25, 2011.)

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Senator LANANE