

A unified Task Force of homeschool advocates held a conference call earlier today to continue discussion previously held via email.

This bill has gone to Committee, and that Committee does not meet again until Oct 16. Right now many legislators are incommunicado during the High Holy Days.

We are working up a detailed "talking points" list, so that ***if*** we need people to call or write, they have something more than "we don't need no stinkin' regulations" to work from.

We are calling on contacts in State government to learn the origin and reasoning behind this bill. (Anyone who knows anything is more than welcome to contact us!)

Since this bill opens the way for State control over all forms of nonpublic education, we are making contact with other organizations that support educational freedom.

We are preparing a plan of action based on our findings.

We ask that you *****please do not call***** or contact legislators until we have determined who will or might support this bill, and who will support our freedom. We do not wish to offend our friends in the Legislature!
(If you have already made any calls, please contact us and let us know how it went!)

We will contact you by the beginning of next week with an Action Plan... unless we are able to "kill the bill" before then.

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