

AMENDMENTS TO LB753

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM338)

Introduced by Cavanaugh, J., 9.

1 1. On page 2, line 19, strike "and"; and in line 21 after "79-318"
2 insert ", and (e) has adopted a written dress code and grooming policy
3 that:

4 (i) Facilitates and encourages an inclusive and positive learning
5 environment while complying with any applicable health or safety law,
6 rule, regulation, ordinance, or resolution;

7 (ii) Does not:

8 (A) Target, disproportionately impact, or discriminate against any
9 students on the basis of race, religion, sex, disability, or national
10 origin;

11 (B) Prohibit a student from wearing attire, including religious
12 attire, natural and protective hairstyles, adornments, or other
13 characteristics associated with race, national origin, or religion; or

14 (C) Require a student's hair to be permanently or temporarily
15 altered; and

16 (iii) Treats violations of the policy as minor on the continuum of
17 school rule violations. No violation of the policy shall:

18 (A) Subject a student to long-term suspension or expulsion;

19 (B) Require the student to miss substantial classroom time,
20 instruction time, or school activities; or

21 (C) Allow an administrator, teacher, or other staff member to
22 permanently or temporarily alter or cut a student's hair".