

**One Hundred Ninth Legislature - First Session - 2025**

**Introducer's Statement of Intent**

**LB497**

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**Chairperson: Senator Dave Murman**

**Committee: Education**

**Date of Hearing: March 03, 2025**

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

LB 497 would allow a student enrolled in a private, denominational, parochial, or nonaccredited school to participate in extracurricular activities in the closest district offering the activity if the district in which the student's parent resides does not offer the activity.

LB 497 also clarifies language that a part-time student wishing to participate in extracurricular activities must be enrolled in at least five credit hours but is not limited to five credit hours.

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Senator Dave Murman**