



General Assembly

**Amendment**

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To: Subst. House Bill No. 5468

File No. 724

Cal. No. 461

**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE PROVISION OF PARENT-MANAGED LEARNING."**

1 Strike lines 136 to 154, inclusive, in their entirety and insert the  
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "(e) (1) For the school year commencing July 1, 2027, and each school  
4 year thereafter, the parent or guardian of a child enrolled in public  
5 school may withdraw such child from public school for the purpose of  
6 causing such child to attend a nonpublic school. Such parent or  
7 guardian shall complete a withdrawal form. Such withdrawal form may  
8 be completed and submitted electronically to the school district office.

9 (2) (A) Subject to the provisions of subparagraph (B) of this  
10 subdivision, for the school year commencing July 1, 2027, and each  
11 school year thereafter, the parent or guardian of a child enrolled in

12 public school may withdraw such child from public school for the  
13 purpose of causing such child to be instructed through parent-managed  
14 learning. Such parent or guardian shall complete a withdrawal form.  
15 Such withdrawal form may be completed and submitted electronically  
16 to the school district office. Such withdrawal shall not be effective until  
17 the superintendent of schools, or the superintendent's designee, notifies  
18 such parent or guardian that such child may be withdrawn following  
19 receipt of notice under subparagraph (B) of this subdivision."

20 Strike lines 185 to 203, inclusive, and insert the following in lieu  
21 thereof:

22 "(3) The parent or guardian of a child seventeen years of age may  
23 withdraw such child from public school and enroll such child in an  
24 adult education program pursuant to section 10-69. Such parent or  
25 guardian shall complete a withdrawal form. Such withdrawal form shall  
26 include an attestation (A) from a school counselor or school  
27 administrator of the school that such school district has provided such  
28 parent or guardian with information on the educational options  
29 available in the school system and in the community, and (B) from such  
30 parent or guardian that such child will be enrolled in an adult education  
31 program upon such child's withdrawal from public school. Such  
32 withdrawal form may be completed and submitted electronically to the  
33 school district office.

34 (4) A student who is eighteen years of age or older may withdraw  
35 from public school. The parent or guardian of such student or such  
36 student shall complete a withdrawal form. Such withdrawal form shall  
37 include an attestation from a guidance counselor, school counselor or  
38 school administrator of the school that such school district has provided  
39 such parent, guardian or student with information on the educational  
40 options available in the school system and in the community. Such  
41 withdrawal form may be completed and submitted electronically to the  
42 school district office."