

March 31, 2010 - Legislative Session Overview:

1. Governor's Education Budget/Bill
2. House and Senate have laid most bills over for possible inclusion in Omnibus. Bills are sitting in Finance Committees waiting to be taken up for omnibus. They have not released their budget targets yet.

Bills:

HF 3478 and SF 3028 (Governor's Education Bill)

Currently in Finance Committees

1. Change required school days to instructional hours
2. Codifies Ed Payment Shift

SF 2326/HF 2645 (Bonoff/Greiling)

Repeal of school district state aid payment reduction prior to state short term borrowing

Laid over for possible inclusion in Ed Finance Omnibus Bill

SHARED SERVICES:

SF2511/HF2840 – Collaborative Governance Council (on the floor)

SF2818/HF3120 (Dahle, Bly) – School District Efficiency plus access task force (did not make policy deadline in Senate)

SF2901/HF3685 (Bonoff, Dittrich) – Shared Services Grant Program

-did not receive a hearing in the house, in Senate was laid over for possible inclusion in omnibus

SF2620/HF3011 (Bonoff,Downey) – Service Innovation Commission Establishment

-Senate – Hearing scheduled April 7th at 12:30 in Finance

-House – No Hearing

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SF2918/HF 3281 (Betzold, Murphy) – Omnibus Retirement Bill (in Finance)