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Comments:

I support a shorter statute be written to allow the Department of Education to accept homeschooled students to participate in extra-curricular activities (such as the short statute allowing the DOE to adopt rules and policies to allow for geographical exceptions. Charter schools are granting their students the opportunity to participate in sports at their geographic home school. Students who are home schooled according to statute and Department of Education standards will also benefit from the opportunity to participate with their peers in their neighborhood.

Thank you for the opportunity to submit testimony.