

Dear Sam Baker,

Thank you for the work you do. I'm asking you to advocate for our family and please remove homeschoolers from the language of both LD 1343 and LD 1426. Studies show that private home education is working well. Funding homeschoolers blurs the lines between private and public education, destroys the innovative spirit of the option, will be a breeding ground for fraud, and is bound to introduce into the home the very problems that plague our public schools.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

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"Yesterday is gone. Tomorrow has not yet come.
We have only today. Let us begin." *Mother Teresa*