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Utah State Board of Education Seeking Public Feedback on School Accountability Exception Waiver

SALT LAKE CITY – The Utah State Board of Education (USBE) is seeking public feedback on a School Accountability Exception Waiver that it plans to submit to the United States Department of Education. S.B. 257 requires USBE to submit a waiver to exclude "a school with an opt-out rate on statewide assessments for accountability that exceeds 50%" from the school accountability system. A draft of the waiver request can be found in the link below. Please provide any feedback by October 12, 2023.

Direct link to waiver request draft and public feedback form:

[School Accountability Waiver Exception Request](#)

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