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MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Representative Ralph Tanner at 9:00 a.m. on March 7, 2000 in Room 313-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except: A quorum was present

Committee staff present: Avis Swartzman, Revisor of Statutes
Ben Barrett, Legislative Research Department
Carolyn Rampey, Legislative Research Department
Renaë Jefferies, Revisor of Statutes
Linda Taylor, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Others attending: See Attached List

Members of the committee participated in a discussion on **HB 2591 - State education technology network (KAN-ED) is established**.

Chairman Tanner made brief remarks concerning his informal meeting with members of the telecommunications industries the previous afternoon.

Members of the committee expressed concerns about the accessibility of pornographic materials through the network and the possibility of some sort of monitoring system being implemented.

Representative Morrison presented members of the committee with a proposed amendment to **HB 2591**. (Attachment 1)

Committee members also expressed concerns about site selection, the involvement of DISC, funding, site equity regardless of size and geographic location, and time constraints.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:30.