STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

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This legislation will allow more public school districts and public charter schools to participate in Idaho's mastery education initiative by removing the existing statutory cap on participation. The cap was put into place as the mastery initiative began, in order to create an incubator cohort of schools. As Idaho has made progress, more schools wish to participate. The legislation also adjusts the statute to support Idaho's long-term transition to mastery education.

FISCAL NOTE

There is no fiscal impact from this legislation. Superintendent Ybarra's FY19 budget request includes an additional \$1.4 million for mastery education. In conjunction with this legislation, the request will allow more schools to participate than have been able to participate in previous years.

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