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[SB17-067 Educator Effectiveness 50 Percent of Student Academic Growth](#)/Sen. Michael Merrifield (D)

The Chamber opposes SB17-067. This proposal would remove a key provision of [SB10-191](#), which created an evaluation system to develop greater accountability for educators and principals. The Chamber has long supported education as one of its pillars for a healthy and thriving economy. We also support a high-performing education system and quality instruction; measuring educators by the academic growth of students is fundamental to understanding their success. Because of that, the Chamber continues to be supportive of SB10-191 in its entirety as well as our [education principles](#). We believe that if we follow these principles our children will be prepared to lead our workforce and economy in the future.