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Legislative Alert: Jan. 27, 2016



Senate Ed Committee to discuss BEST bill on Thursday

Who: CASB Region 2 board members attending Day at the Capitol

What: Testimony on Senate Bill 16-72, concerning the Building Excellent Schools Today (BEST) program, which will be up for discussion in the Senate Education Committee. The bill, sponsored by Sen. Andy Kerr, proposes to increase the amount of money available annually to the BEST program with revenues earned from Public Schools Lands. [Read about the legislation.](#)

When: The Senate Education Committee is scheduled to convene at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 28, but the time may be delayed depending on business earlier in the day.

Where: Colorado Capitol, Senate Committee Room 356

Why: CASB members have long supported the BEST program, which has improved learning for thousands of students, and as school board members in districts that have or could benefit from the program, your voices will carry weight with lawmakers. **You can have a direct impact on this legislation.**

CASB's Advocacy team is ready, willing and able to help you prepare to testify. [Register for the CASB Day at the Capitol.](#) We look forward to seeing all of our members at one of the CASB Day at the Capitol events during the General Assembly's 2016 session.

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