Date of Hearing: May 10, 2023

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Chris Holden, Chair

AB 10 (Lowenthal) – As Amended May 1, 2023

Policy Committee: Education Vote: 7 - 0

Urgency: No State Mandated Local Program: No Reimbursable: No

SUMMARY:

This bill requires, by June 30, 2024, the California Department of Education (CDE) to develop and post on its website a model policy and resources about body shaming for local educational agencies (LEAs). The bill also encourages LEAs to inform staff, teachers, parents, and students of the resources.

FISCAL EFFECT:

One-time costs of \$50,000 to CDE to develop and post the model policy and resources on its website.

COMMENTS:

Background. As defined by this bill, "body shaming" means the action or practice of mocking or stigmatizing a person by making critical comments or observations about the shape, size, or appearance of the person's body.

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