

**Senate Education**

**04/22/2026**

**SB26-166 School Board Member Disqualifying Convictions**

**Typed Text of Testimony Submitted**

| <b>Name, Position, Representing</b>               | <b>Typed Text of Testimony</b>  |
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| Bennett Rutledge<br><br>Against<br><br>themselves | Chair Kolker, mebers of the committee, god afternoon,<br><br>SB26-166 - Concerning School Board Member Disqualifying Convictions strikes me a blatant virtue signaling. Woudn't it be more effective to aim these additional restrictions at Principals, Faculty, and other school staff, who work with vulnerable youngsters every day?<br><br>Please vote no on SB26-166 which will only clutter up the Colorado Revised Statutes with mandates of little effect. |