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The Honorable Steve Montenegro
Speaker of the House
Arizona House of Representatives
1700 W. Washington Street
Phoenix, AZ 85007

RE: HB4005 artificial intelligence; course; public schools

Speaker Montenegro,

Today I vetoed HB4005. I do not support establishing different instructional content requirements between charter schools and school districts. Furthermore the development of academic content and requirements should be left to experts, not politicians forcing mandates on our teachers.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "KH", followed by a long horizontal flourish.

Katie Hobbs
Governor
State of Arizona

cc:

The Honorable Warren Petersen
The Honorable Nick Kupper
The Honorable Adrian Fontes