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MEMORANDUM

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**TO:** INTERESTED PARTIES  
**FROM:** CHRIS PERKINS - PARTNER  
**SUBJECT:** TEXAS HOME SCHOOL COALITION SURVEY RESULTS  
**DATE:** JANUARY 30, 2018

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The following memo details the results of a study of n=500 parents of homeschooled children in the state of Texas. A random sample of parents that home school their children in Texas were interviewed March 19-20, 2017. The survey has a margin of error of +4%.

## Participation in UIL

More than three-quarters (77%) of homeschool parents support a bill to allow homeschooled students to participate in the interscholastic activities administered by UIL.

- Across the ideological spectrum, participation in UIL has strong support. Those who consider themselves liberal are the most supportive of allowing homeschooled children to participate in UIL (84%).
- Conservative parents that home school their children are also on board, with 3 in 4 (75%) supporting participation in UIL.

UIL Participation				
	Total	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
Support	77%	75%	82%	84%
Oppose	16%	17%	13%	16%

UIL Participation							
	Total	Austin/ Waco	Dallas/ Ft Worth	Houston	San Antonio	East TX/ Gulf Coast	West TX
Support	77%	84%	77%	74%	78%	76%	77%
Oppose	16%	10%	16%	20%	16%	13%	16%

## Summary

It is clear that parents who home school support legislation that would allow their children to participate in athletics. This legislation would be extremely popular as, there is tremendous support across all ideological lines.