



Statement on WA Supreme Court ruling on charter schools

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The recent decision of the Washington State Supreme Court declaring charter schools unconstitutional is consistent with the long-standing position of WSSDA on charter schools. WSSDA supports charter schools authorized by school districts but has opposed such schools formulated and approved through a special charter school commission. Nevertheless, WSSDA does support a transition period so that existing charter school students, parents and staff can continue to receive appropriate educational services.