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This bill is an attempt to further obstruct the enforcement of federal immigration laws and the deporting of criminals. It incorrectly thrusts district superintendents and their designees (school employees) into the ad-hoc position of legal analyst & paralegal. There is absolutely no one qualified to even attempt "verifying the validity of any warrant or court order", be it for immigration enforcement or any other purpose, other than an attorney serving as District Counsel. There is no logical reason to intentionally jeopardize the receiving of federal education funds. To do so is to ignore the legitimate needs of residents within the State legally, no matter their economic or education levels. ICE has not detained any child at and within an Oregon school to date with the only child that they have temporarily detained between school hours being a 17 year old who was doing ICE tracking/interfering/obstruction activites when his butt should have been in class. Furthermore there are many teenagers 13-18 within Oregon schools who are active gang members with criminal records in known gangs with high percentages of illegal alien membership as illegal alien children are highly sought after recruits of the vicious Norteno and Sureno gangs. If there is an issue with one of those varieties of "children" then I'm all for law enforcement coming and removing them in just such a scenario.