

AB 643
Uninterrupted Scholars Act

- The Federal Uninterrupted Scholars Act signed into law by President Obama on January 14, 2013 amended the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) to permit schools to disclose a student's education records, without parental consent, to a local child welfare agency representative, when such agency is legally responsible for the care and protection of the student.

- AB 643 is the State conforming law to the above Federal Law.

- Note: The above requires the student be under court jurisdiction. Emergency Response, Voluntary and non-court legal guardian cases require signed DCFS 179, parental consent to release records.