HB 181 -- Electronic Video Instructional Materials

Sponsor: Sander

Beginning January 1, 2008, this bill requires closed or open captioning on electronic video instructional materials, as defined in the bill, designed for use in educational institutions. Exceptions are made for certain materials and transmission methods. If a publisher knowingly fails to comply with the requirements, the entity that paid for the materials may receive damages of 10 times the amount paid to have them captioned.