

**IC 21-28**

**ARTICLE 28. STATE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS: COOPERATIVE ARRANGEMENTS, INTERSTATE COMPACTS; EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT ENTITIES**

**IC 21-28-1**

**Chapter 1. General Provisions; Definitions**

**IC 21-28-1-1**

**Definitions**

Sec. 1. The definitions in this chapter apply throughout this article.

*As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.269.*

**IC 21-28-1-2**

**"Agreement"**

Sec. 2. "Agreement", for purposes of IC 21-28-4, refers to an agreement entered into under IC 21-28-4 by the board of trustees of a state educational institution.

*As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.269.*

**IC 21-28-1-3**

**"Chief information officer"**

Sec. 3. "Chief information officer" means the chief information officer of the office of technology appointed under IC 4-13.1-2-3.

*As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.269.*

**IC 21-28-1-4**

**"Commission"**

Sec. 4. "Commission" refers to the Midwestern Higher Education Commission.

*As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.269.*

**IC 21-28-1-5**

**"Compact"**

Sec. 5. "Compact" refers to the Midwestern Higher Education Compact established by IC 21-28-3.

*As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.269.*

**IC 21-28-1-6**

**"Coordinating unit"**

Sec. 6. "Coordinating unit" refers to the committee or body established under IC 21-28-5-8 to coordinate use of the transmission system or the designated electronic format, or both.

*As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.269.*

**IC 21-28-1-7**

**"Designated electronic format"**

Sec. 7. "Designated electronic format" refers to the electronic format established under IC 21-28-5-3.

*As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.269.*

**IC 21-28-1-8**

**"Electronic format"**

Sec. 8. "Electronic format" means a format using the most appropriate technological medium.

*As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.269.*

**IC 21-28-1-9**

**"Enabling statute"**

Sec. 9. "Enabling statute" means the following:

- (1) In the case of the Ball State University board of trustees, one (1) or more of the following:

IC 21-33.  
IC 21-34.  
IC 21-35-2.  
IC 21-35-3.  
IC 21-35-5.  
IC 20-24.5-2.

- (2) In the case of the trustees of Indiana University, one (1) or more of the following:

IC 21-33.  
IC 21-34.  
IC 21-35-2.  
IC 21-35-3.  
IC 21-35-5.  
IC 20-24.5-2.

- (3) In the case of the Indiana State University board of trustees, one (1) or more of the following:

IC 21-33.  
IC 21-34.  
IC 21-35-2.  
IC 21-35-3.  
IC 21-35-5.  
IC 20-24.5-2.

- (4) In the case of the trustees of Ivy Tech Community College, one (1) or more of the following:

IC 21-33.  
IC 21-34.

- (5) In the case of the trustees of Purdue University, one (1) or more of the following:

IC 21-33.  
IC 21-34.  
IC 21-35-2.

IC 21-35-3.  
IC 21-35-5.  
IC 20-24.5-2.

(6) In the case of the board of trustees for Vincennes University, one (1) or more of the following:

IC 21-33.  
IC 21-34.  
IC 21-35-6.

(7) In the case of the University of Southern Indiana board of trustees, one (1) or more of the following:

IC 21-33.  
IC 21-34.  
IC 21-35-2.  
IC 21-35-5.

*As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.269.*

#### **IC 21-28-1-10**

##### **"Fund"**

Sec. 10. "Fund" refers to the higher education statewide telecommunications fund established by IC 21-28-5-13.

*As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.269.*

#### **IC 21-28-1-11**

##### **"Office of technology"**

Sec. 11. "Office of technology" refers to the office of technology established by IC 4-13.1-2-1.

*As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.269.*

#### **IC 21-28-1-12**

##### **"Participating educational institution"**

Sec. 12. "Participating educational institution" refers to a state educational institution or private postsecondary educational institution that participates in a joint arrangement under IC 21-28-5.

*As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.269.*

#### **IC 21-28-1-13**

##### **"Separate legal entity"**

Sec. 13. "Separate legal entity" refers to a separate legal entity established under an agreement under IC 21-28-4 to carry out the purposes of an agreement.

*As added by P.L.2-2007, SEC.269.*

#### **IC 21-28-1-14**

##### **"Transmission system"**

Sec. 14. "Transmission system" refers to services and a telecommunication system provided under an arrangement entered into under IC 21-28-5-2.

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