

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO REENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2162

Page 1, line 4, replace "subsection 2 of section" with "sections" and remove "sections"

Page 1, line 9, replace "Subsection 2 of section" with "Section"

Page 1, after line 10, insert:

"15-40.1-06. Declaration of legislative intent - Educational support per student - School district equalization factor - Limitations.

1. It is the intent of the legislative assembly, ~~not considering any separate and supplemental payments as may be provided by law,~~ to support elementary and secondary education in this state from state funds based on the educational cost per student. For purposes of this section, state funds include all appropriations for foundation aid, tuition apportionment, supplemental per student payments, special education, vocational education, school district technology, the governor's school, teacher centers, and the leadership in educational administration development consortium. In determining the educational cost per student, the following criteria may not be used:
 - a. Expenditures for capital outlay for buildings and sites, or debt service.
 - b. Expenditures from school activities and school lunch programs.
 - c. Expenditures for the cost of transportation, including the cost of schoolbuses."

Page 3, after line 3, insert:

- "3. In determining the amount of payments due school districts for tuition apportionment provided in section 15-44-03, and per student aid under this section, the amount of tuition apportionment, foundation aid, special education aid, and transportation aid for which a school district is eligible must be added together, and from that total, the following amounts must be subtracted:
 - a. The product of thirty-two mills times the latest available net assessed and equalized valuation of property of the school district.
 - b. The amount that the unobligated general fund balance of a school district on the preceding June thirtieth is in excess of three-fourths of the actual expenditures, plus an additional twenty thousand dollars.
4. No school district may receive foundation payments beyond the October payment unless the following reports have been filed with the superintendent of public instruction:
 - a. Annual average daily membership report.
 - b. Annual school district financial report.

- c. The September tenth fall enrollment report.
 - d. The personnel report forms for certified and noncertified employees.
5. No school district may receive the January foundation payment unless the taxable valuation and mill levy certifications are on file with the department of public instruction by December fifteenth."

Renumber accordingly