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APPROPRIATIONS

HOUSE FILE 2069
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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to state aid to school districts by eliminating
2 the provision limiting the state aid appropriation for the
3 instructional support program and providing effective and
4 applicability date provisions.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 257.20, subsection 1, Code 1995, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 1. In order to determine the amount of instructional
4 support state aid and the amount of local funding for the
5 instructional support program for a district, the department
6 of management shall divide the total assessed valuation in the
7 state by the total budget enrollment for the budget year in
8 the state to determine a state assessed valuation per pupil
9 and shall divide the assessed valuation in each district by
10 the district's budget enrollment for the budget year to
11 determine the district assessed valuation per pupil. The
12 department of management shall multiply the ratio of the
13 state's valuation per pupil to the district's valuation per
14 pupil by twenty-five hundredths and subtract that result from
15 one to determine the portion of the instructional support
16 program budget that is local funding. The remaining portion
17 of the budget shall be funded by instructional support state
18 aid. ~~However, for the budget year beginning July 1, 1992,~~
19 ~~only, the amount of state aid is three and one-quarter percent~~
20 ~~less than the amount computed under this paragraph for that~~
21 ~~budget year.~~

22 Sec. 2. Section 257.20, subsection 2, paragraphs a and b,
23 Code 1995, are amended by striking the paragraphs.

24 Sec. 3. Section 257.20, subsection 3, Code 1995, is
25 amended by striking the subsection.

26 Sec. 4. EFFECTIVE AND APPLICABILITY DATES. This Act,
27 being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon
28 enactment and applies to the school budget year beginning July
29 1, 1996, and succeeding years.

30 EXPLANATION

31 During the 1992 Session, laws were enacted that reduced the
32 amount of state aid to be paid under the instructional support
33 program of a school district by 3.5 percent and also, for
34 subsequent years, limited the appropriations to that which was
35 appropriated in 1992-1993 fiscal year. This bill eliminates

1 the freeze on the appropriation and returns the appropriation
2 for the instructional support program to a standing unlimited
3 appropriation.

4 The bill takes effect upon enactment and applies to the
5 school budget year beginning July 1, 1996, and succeeding
6 years.

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