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A BILL FOR

1 An Act increasing the amount of supplementary weighting granted
2 to school districts for at-risk pupils, and providing an
3 effective and applicability date.

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

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1 Section 1. Section 257.11, subsection 4, paragraph a, Code
2 Supplement 2005, is amended to read as follows:

3 a. In order to provide additional funding to school
4 districts for programs serving at-risk pupils and alternative
5 school pupils in secondary schools, a supplementary weighting
6 plan for at-risk pupils is adopted. A supplementary weighting
7 of ~~forty-eight~~ seventy-two ten-thousandths per pupil shall be
8 assigned to the percentage of pupils in a school district
9 enrolled in grades one through six, as reported by the school
10 district on the basic educational data survey for the base
11 year, who are eligible for free and reduced price meals under
12 the federal National School Lunch Act and the federal Child
13 Nutrition Act of 1966, 42 U.S.C. § 1751-1785, multiplied by
14 the budget enrollment in the school district; and a
15 supplementary weighting of ~~one-hundred-fifty-six~~ two hundred
16 thirty-four one-hundred-thousandths per pupil shall be
17 assigned to pupils included in the budget enrollment of the
18 school district. Amounts received as supplementary weighting
19 for at-risk pupils shall be utilized by a school district to
20 develop or maintain at-risk pupils' programs, which may
21 include alternative school programs.

22 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE AND APPLICABILITY DATE. This Act, being
23 deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment
24 and is applicable for the school budget year beginning July 1,
25 2006, and succeeding budget years.

26 EXPLANATION

27 This bill provides for a 50 percent increase in the level
28 of supplementary weighting available to school districts
29 pursuant to Code section 257.11, subsection 4, in order to
30 provide additional funding for programs serving at-risk pupils
31 and alternative school pupils in secondary schools.

32 The bill takes effect upon enactment and is applicable for
33 the school budget year beginning July 1, 2006, and succeeding
34 budget years.

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