

**Senate File 2079 - Introduced**

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BY COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

(SUCCESSOR TO SSB 3105)

**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act establishing the state percent of growth and including  
2 effective date provisions.

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

1 Section 1. Section 257.8, subsection 1, Code 2014, is  
2 amended to read as follows:

3 1. *State percent of growth.* ~~The state percent of growth~~  
4 ~~for the budget year beginning July 1, 2012, is two percent.~~  
5 The state percent of growth for the budget year beginning July  
6 1, 2013, is two percent. The state percent of growth for the  
7 budget year beginning July 1, 2014, is four percent. The  
8 state percent of growth for the budget year beginning July 1,  
9 2015, is six percent. The state percent of growth for each  
10 subsequent budget year shall be established by statute which  
11 shall be enacted within thirty days of the submission in the  
12 year preceding the base year of the governor's budget under  
13 section 8.21. The establishment of the state percent of growth  
14 for a budget year shall be the only subject matter of the bill  
15 which enacts the state percent of growth for a budget year.

16 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT. This Act, being deemed of  
17 immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

18 EXPLANATION

19 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with  
20 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

21 This bill establishes a state percent of growth of 6 percent  
22 for the school budget year beginning July 1, 2015.

23 The bill takes effect upon enactment.