

**Senate Study Bill 1122 - Introduced**

SENATE FILE \_\_\_\_\_  
BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE  
ON EDUCATION BILL BY  
CHAIRPERSON QUIRMBACH)

**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act establishing the categorical state percent of growth for  
2 the school budget year beginning July 1, 2014, and including  
3 effective date and applicability provisions.  
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 257.8, subsection 2, Code 2013, is  
2 amended to read as follows:

3 2. *Categorical state percent of growth.* ~~The categorical~~  
4 ~~state percent of growth for the budget year beginning July~~  
5 ~~1, 2010, is two percent.~~ The categorical state percent of  
6 growth for the budget year beginning July 1, 2012, is two  
7 percent. The categorical state percent of growth for the  
8 budget year beginning July 1, 2014, is four percent. The  
9 categorical state percent of growth for each budget year shall  
10 be established by statute which shall be enacted within thirty  
11 days of the submission in the year preceding the base year of  
12 the governor's budget under section 8.21. The establishment  
13 of the categorical state percent of growth for a budget year  
14 shall be the only subject matter of the bill which enacts the  
15 categorical state percent of growth for a budget year. The  
16 categorical state percent of growth may include state percents  
17 of growth for the teacher salary supplement, the professional  
18 development supplement, and the early intervention supplement.

19 Sec. 2. CODE SECTION 257.8 — IMPLEMENTATION. The  
20 requirement of section 257.8, subsection 2, regarding the  
21 enactment of a bill establishing the categorical state percent  
22 of growth within thirty days of the submission in the year  
23 preceding the base year of the governor's budget does not apply  
24 to this Act.

25 Sec. 3. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT. This Act, being deemed of  
26 immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

27 Sec. 4. APPLICABILITY. This Act is applicable for computing  
28 state aid under the state school foundation program for the  
29 school budget year beginning July 1, 2014.

30 EXPLANATION

31 This bill establishes a categorical state percent of growth  
32 of 4 percent for purposes of the state school foundation  
33 program for the school budget year beginning July 1, 2014.  
34 The categorical state percent of growth includes the teacher  
35 salary supplement, the professional development supplement,

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1 and the early intervention supplement. The bill takes effect  
2 upon enactment and is applicable for computing state aid under  
3 the state school foundation program for the school budget year  
4 beginning July 1, 2014.

5 The bill provides that the requirement of Code section 257.8  
6 regarding the timing of enactment of a bill establishing the  
7 categorical state percent of growth does not apply to the bill.