

House Study Bill 58 - Introduced

HOUSE FILE _____
BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE
ON EDUCATION BILL BY
CHAIRPERSON JORGENSEN)

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 2015, 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 one and twenty-five hundredths percent. The state
10 percent of growth for each subsequent budget year shall be
11 established by statute which shall be enacted within thirty
12 days of the submission in the year preceding the base year of
13 the governor's budget under section 8.21. The establishment of
14 the state percent of growth for a budget year shall be the only
15 subject matter of the bill which enacts the state percent of
16 growth for a budget year.

17 Sec. 2. CODE SECTION 257.8 — IMPLEMENTATION. The
18 requirement of section 257.8, subsection 1, regarding the
19 enactment of bills establishing the regular program state
20 percent of growth within thirty days of the submission in the
21 year preceding the base year of the governor's budget does not
22 apply to this Act.

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

25 EXPLANATION

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

28 This bill establishes a state percent of growth of 1.25
29 percent for the school budget year beginning July 1, 2015.

30 The requirement of Code section 257.8(1) regarding the
31 enactment of bills establishing the regular program state
32 percent of growth within 30 days of the submission in the year
33 preceding the base year of the governor's budget does not apply
34 to the bill.

35 The bill takes effect upon enactment.