HOUSE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 1107

[A bill to amend 1979 PA 94, entitled
"The state school aid act of 1979,"
by amending sections 6, 8, 11, 11f, 11g, 18, 18d, 19, 20, 22a,
22b, 24, 26a, 31a, 31d, 32a, 32b, 32c, 32d, 32e, 32f, 32h, 37,
38, 39, 41, 51a, 51c, 53a, 54, 56, 57, 61a, 62, 67, 68, 74, 81,
94, 94a, 96, 98, 99, 101, 105, 107, 108, and 147 (MCL 388.1606,
388.1608, 388.1611, 388.1611f, 388.1611g, 388.1618, 388.1618d,
388.1619, 388.1620, 388.1622a, 388.1622b, 388.1624, 388.1626a,
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388.1632e, 388.1632f, 388.1632h, 388.1637, 388.1638, 388.1639,
388.1641, 388.1651a, 388.1651c, 388.1653a, 388.1654, 388.1656,
388.1657, 388.1661a, 388.1662, 388.1667, 388.1668, 388.1674,
388.1681, 388.1694, 388.1694a, 388.1696, 388.1698, 388.1699,
388.1701, 388.1705, 388.1707, 388.1708, and 388.1747), sections
6, 11, 11f, 11g, 20, 22a, 22b, 24, 26a, 31a, 31d, 32a, 32b, 32c,

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32d, 32e, 32f, 32h, 41, 51a, 51c, 53a, 54, 56, 57, 61a, 62, 67, 68, 74, 81, 94, 94a, 98, 99, 107, and 147 as amended and section 18d as added by 2001 PA 121, sections 8, 19, 37, 38, 39, 101, and 105 as amended and sections 96 and 108 as added by 2000 PA 297, and section 18 as amended by 1999 PA 119, and by adding sections 18e, 21, 22, 32i, 39a, 51d, 55, 92, 93, 94b, 94c, 94d, 99a, and 121a; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.]

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 6. (1) "Center program" means a program operated by a
- 2 district or intermediate district for special education pupils
- 3 from several districts in programs for the autistically impaired,
- 4 trainable mentally impaired, severely mentally impaired, severely
- 5 multiply impaired, hearing impaired, physically and otherwise
- 6 health impaired, and visually impaired. Programs for emotionally
- 7 impaired pupils housed in buildings that do not serve regular
- 8 education pupils also qualify. Unless otherwise approved by the
- 9 department, a center program either shall serve all constituent
- 10 districts within an intermediate district or shall serve several
- 11 districts with less than 50% of the pupils residing in the oper-
- 12 ating district. In addition, special education center program
- 13 pupils placed part-time in noncenter programs to comply with the
- 14 least restrictive environment provisions of section 612 of part B
- 15 of the individuals with disabilities education act, title VI of
- 16 Public Law 91-230, 20 U.S.C. 1412, may be considered center pro-
- 17 gram pupils for pupil accounting purposes for the time scheduled
- 18 in either a center program or a noncenter program.

- 1 (2) "District pupil retention rate" means the proportion of
- 2 pupils who have not dropped out of school in the immediately pre-
- 3 ceding school year and is equal to 1 minus the quotient of the
- 4 number of pupils unaccounted for in the immediately preceding
- 5 school year, as determined pursuant to subsection (3), divided by
- 6 the pupils of the immediately preceding school year.
- 7 (3) "District pupil retention report" means a report of the
- 8 number of pupils, excluding migrant and adult, in the district
- 9 for the immediately preceding school year, adjusted for those
- 10 pupils who have transferred into the district, transferred out of
- 11 the district, transferred to alternative programs, and have grad-
- 12 uated, to determine the number of pupils who are unaccounted
- 13 for. The number of pupils unaccounted for shall be calculated as
- 14 determined by the department.
- 15 (4) "Membership", except as otherwise provided in this act,
- 16 means for a district, public school academy, university school,
- 17 or intermediate district the sum of the product of .8 times the
- 18 number of full-time equated pupils in grades K to 12 actually
- 19 enrolled and in regular daily attendance on the pupil membership
- 20 count day for the current school year, plus the product of .2
- 21 times the final audited count from the supplemental count day for
- 22 the immediately preceding school year. All pupil counts used in
- 23 this subsection are as determined by the department and calcu-
- 24 lated by adding the number of pupils registered for attendance
- 25 plus pupils received by transfer and minus pupils lost as defined
- 26 by rules promulgated by the superintendent, and as corrected by a
- 27 subsequent department audit. The amount of the foundation

- 1 allowance for a pupil in membership is determined under section
- 2 20. In making the calculation of membership, all of the follow-
- 3 ing, as applicable, apply to determining the membership of a dis-
- 4 trict, public school academy, university school, or intermediate
- 5 district:
- 6 (a) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, and
- 7 pursuant to subsection (6), a pupil shall be counted in member-
- 8 ship in the pupil's educating district or districts. An individ-
- 9 ual pupil shall not be counted for more than a total of 1.0
- 10 full-time equated membership.
- 11 (b) If a pupil is educated in a district other than the
- 12 pupil's district of residence, if the pupil is not being educated
- 13 as part of a cooperative education program, if the pupil's dis-
- 14 trict of residence does not give the educating district its
- 15 approval to count the pupil in membership in the educating dis-
- 16 trict, and if the pupil is not covered by an exception specified
- 17 in subsection (6) to the requirement that the educating district
- 18 must have the approval of the pupil's district of residence to
- 19 count the pupil in membership, the pupil shall not be counted in
- 20 membership in any district.
- 21 (c) A special education pupil educated by the intermediate
- 22 district shall be counted in membership in the intermediate
- 23 district.
- 24 (d) A pupil placed by a court or state agency in an
- 25 on-grounds program of a juvenile detention facility, a child
- 26 caring institution, or a mental health institution, or a pupil
- 27 funded under section 53a, shall be counted in membership in the

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- 1 district or intermediate district approved by the department to
- 2 operate the program.
- 3 (e) A pupil enrolled in the Michigan schools for the deaf
- 4 and blind shall be counted in membership in the pupil's interme-
- 5 diate district of residence.
- 6 (f) A pupil enrolled in a vocational education program sup-
- 7 ported by a millage levied over an area larger than a single dis-
- 8 trict or in an area vocational-technical education program estab-
- 9 lished pursuant to section 690 of the revised school code,
- 10 MCL 380.690, shall be counted only in the pupil's district of
- 11 residence.
- 12 (g) A pupil enrolled in a university school shall be counted
- 13 in membership in the university school.
- 14 (h) A pupil enrolled in a public school academy shall be
- 15 counted in membership in the public school academy.
- (i) For a new district, university school, or public school
- 17 academy beginning its operation after December 31, 1994, member-
- 18 ship for the first 2 full or partial fiscal years of operation
- 19 shall be determined as follows:
- 20 (i) If operations begin before the pupil membership count
- 21 day for the fiscal year, membership is the average number of
- 22 full-time equated pupils in grades K to 12 actually enrolled and
- 23 in regular daily attendance on the pupil membership count day for
- 24 the current school year and on the supplemental count day for the
- 25 current school year, as determined by the department and calcu-
- 26 lated by adding the number of pupils registered for attendance on
- 27 the pupil membership count day plus pupils received by transfer

- 1 and minus pupils lost as defined by rules promulgated by the
- 2 superintendent, and as corrected by a subsequent department
- 3 audit, plus the final audited count from the supplemental count
- 4 day for the current school year, and dividing that sum by 2.
- 5 (ii) If operations begin after the pupil membership count
- 6 day for the fiscal year and not later than the supplemental count
- 7 day for the fiscal year, membership is the final audited count of
- 8 the number of full-time equated pupils in grades K to 12 actually
- 9 enrolled and in regular daily attendance on the supplemental
- 10 count day for the current school year.
- 11 (j) If a district is the authorizing body for a public
- 12 school academy, then, in the first school year in which pupils
- 13 are counted in membership on the pupil membership count day in
- 14 the public school academy, the determination of the district's
- 15 membership shall exclude from the district's pupil count for the
- 16 immediately preceding supplemental count day any pupils who are
- 17 counted in the public school academy on that first pupil member-
- 18 ship count day who were also counted in the district on the imme-
- 19 diately preceding supplemental count day.
- 20 (k) In a district, public school academy, university school,
- 21 or intermediate district operating an extended school year pro-
- 22 gram approved by the superintendent, a pupil enrolled, but not
- 23 scheduled to be in regular daily attendance on a pupil membership
- 24 count day, shall be counted.
- 25 (l) Pupils to be counted in membership shall be not less
- 26 than 5 years of age on December 1 and less than 20 years of age
- 27 on September 1 of the school year except a special education

- 1 pupil who is enrolled and receiving instruction in a special
- 2 education program approved by the department and not having a
- 3 high school diploma who is less than 26 years of age as of
- 4 September 1 of the current school year shall be counted in
- 5 membership.
- 6 (m) An individual who has obtained a high school diploma
- 7 shall not be counted in membership. An individual who has
- 8 obtained a general education development (G.E.D.) certificate
- 9 shall not be counted in membership. An individual participating
- 10 in a job training program funded under former section 107a or a
- 11 jobs program funded under former section 107b, administered by
- 12 the Michigan strategic fund or the department of career develop-
- 13 ment, or participating in any successor of either of those 2 pro-
- 14 grams, shall not be counted in membership.
- 15 (n) If a pupil counted in membership in a public school
- 16 academy is also educated by a district or intermediate district
- 17 as part of a cooperative education program, the pupil shall be
- 18 counted in membership only in the public school academy, and the
- 19 instructional time scheduled for the pupil in the district or
- 20 intermediate district shall be included in the full-time equated
- 21 membership determination under subdivision (q). However, for
- 22 pupils receiving instruction in both a public school academy and
- 23 in a district or intermediate district but not as a part of a
- 24 cooperative education program, the following apply:
- 25 (i) If the public school academy provides instruction for at
- 26 least 1/2 of the class hours specified in subdivision (q), the
- 27 public school academy shall receive as its prorated share of the

- 1 full-time equated membership for each of those pupils an amount
- 2 equal to 1 times the product of the hours of instruction the
- 3 public school academy provides divided by the number of hours
- 4 specified in subdivision (q) for full-time equivalency, and the
- 5 remainder of the full-time membership for each of those pupils
- 6 shall be allocated to the district or intermediate district pro-
- 7 viding the remainder of the hours of instruction.
- **8** (ii) If the public school academy provides instruction for
- 9 less than 1/2 of the class hours specified in subdivision (q),
- 10 the district or intermediate district providing the remainder of
- 11 the hours of instruction shall receive as its prorated share of
- 12 the full-time equated membership for each of those pupils an
- 13 amount equal to 1 times the product of the hours of instruction
- 14 the district or intermediate district provides divided by the
- 15 number of hours specified in subdivision (q) for full-time equiv-
- 16 alency, and the remainder of the full-time membership for each of
- 17 those pupils shall be allocated to the public school academy.
- 18 (o) An individual less than 16 years of age as of September
- 19 1 of the current school year who is being educated in an alterna-
- 20 tive education program shall not be counted in membership if
- 21 there are also adult education participants being educated in the
- 22 same program or classroom.
- 23 (p) The department shall give a uniform interpretation of
- 24 full-time and part-time memberships.
- 25 (q) The number of class hours used to calculate full-time
- 26 equated memberships shall be consistent with section 101(3). In
- 27 determining full-time equated memberships for pupils who are

- 1 enrolled in a postsecondary institution, a pupil shall not be
- 2 considered to be less than a full-time equated pupil solely
- 3 because of the effect of his or her postsecondary enrollment,
- 4 including necessary travel time, on the number of class hours
- 5 provided by the district to the pupil.
- 6 (r) Full-time equated memberships for pupils in kindergarten
- 7 shall be determined by dividing the number of class hours sched-
- 8 uled and provided per year per kindergarten pupil by a number
- 9 equal to 1/2 the number used for determining full-time equated
- 10 memberships for pupils in grades 1 to 12.
- 11 (s) For a district, university school, or public school
- 12 academy that has pupils enrolled in a grade level that was not
- 13 offered by the district, university school, or public school
- 14 academy in the immediately preceding school year, the number of
- 15 pupils enrolled in that grade level to be counted in membership
- 16 is the average of the number of those pupils enrolled and in reg-
- 17 ular daily attendance on the pupil membership count day and the
- 18 supplemental count day of the current school year, as determined
- 19 by the department. Membership shall be calculated by adding the
- 20 number of pupils registered for attendance in that grade level on
- 21 the pupil membership count day plus pupils received by transfer
- 22 and minus pupils lost as defined by rules promulgated by the
- 23 superintendent, and as corrected by subsequent department audit,
- 24 plus the final audited count from the supplemental count day for
- 25 the current school year, and dividing that sum by 2.
- 26 (t) A pupil enrolled in a cooperative education program may
- 27 be counted in membership in the pupil's district of residence

- 1 with the written approval of all parties to the cooperative
- 2 agreement.
- 3 (u) If, as a result of a disciplinary action, a district
- 4 determines through the district's alternative or disciplinary
- 5 education program that the best instructional placement for a
- 6 pupil is in the pupil's home, if that placement is authorized in
- 7 writing by the district superintendent and district alternative
- 8 or disciplinary education supervisor, and if the district pro-
- 9 vides appropriate instruction as described in this subdivision to
- 10 the pupil at the pupil's home, the district may count the pupil
- 11 in membership on a pro rata basis, with the proration based on
- 12 the number of hours of instruction the district actually provides
- 13 to the pupil divided by the number of hours specified in
- 14 subdivision (q) for full-time equivalency. For the purposes of
- 15 this subdivision, a district shall be considered to be providing
- 16 appropriate instruction if all of the following are met:
- 17 (i) The district provides at least 2 nonconsecutive hours of
- 18 instruction per week to the pupil at the pupil's home under the
- 19 supervision of a certificated teacher.
- 20 (ii) The district provides instructional materials,
- 21 resources, and supplies, except computers, that are comparable to
- 22 those otherwise provided in the district's alternative education
- 23 program.
- 24 (iii) Course content is comparable to that in the district's
- 25 alternative education program.
- 26 (iv) Credit earned is awarded to the pupil and placed on the
- 27 pupil's transcript.

- 1 (v) A pupil enrolled in an alternative or disciplinary
- 2 education program described in section 25 shall be counted in
- 3 membership in the district or public school academy that expelled
- 4 the pupil.
- 5 (w) If a pupil was enrolled in a public school academy on
- 6 the pupil membership count day, if the public school academy's
- 7 contract with its authorizing body is revoked, and if the pupil
- 8 enrolls in a district within 45 days after the pupil membership
- 9 count day, the department shall adjust the district's pupil count
- 10 for the pupil membership count day to include the pupil in the
- 11 count.
- 12 (x) For a public school academy that has been in operation
- 13 for at least 2 years and that suspended operations for at least 1
- 14 semester and is resuming operations, membership is the sum of the
- 15 product of .8 times the number of full-time equated pupils in
- 16 grades K to 12 actually enrolled and in regular daily attendance
- 17 on the first pupil membership count day or supplemental count
- 18 day, whichever is first, occurring after operations resume, plus
- 19 the product of .2 times the final audited count from the most
- 20 recent pupil membership count day or supplemental count day that
- 21 occurred before suspending operations, as determined by the
- 22 superintendent.
- 23 (y) For 2000-2001 only, if a district's membership for that
- 24 fiscal year, as otherwise calculated under this subsection, would
- 25 be less than 1,550 pupils, the district's membership for that
- 26 fiscal year shall be considered to be the membership figure
- 27 calculated under this subdivision. For 2001-2002 only, if IF a

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- 1 district's membership for that A PARTICULAR fiscal year, as
- 2 otherwise calculated under this subsection, would be less than
- 3 1,550 pupils and the district has 4.5 or fewer pupils per square
- 4 mile, as determined by the department, the district's membership
- 5 shall be considered to be the membership figure calculated under
- 6 this -subsection- SUBDIVISION. IF A DISTRICT EDUCATES AND COUNTS
- 7 IN ITS MEMBERSHIP PUPILS IN GRADES 9 TO 12 WHO RESIDE IN A CONTI-
- 8 GUOUS DISTRICT THAT DOES NOT OPERATE GRADES 9 TO 12 AND IF 1 OR
- 9 BOTH OF THE AFFECTED DISTRICTS REQUEST THE DEPARTMENT TO USE THE
- 10 DETERMINATION ALLOWED UNDER THIS SENTENCE, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL
- 11 INCLUDE THE SQUARE MILEAGE OF BOTH DISTRICTS IN DETERMINING THE
- 12 NUMBER OF PUPILS PER SQUARE MILE FOR EACH OF THE DISTRICTS FOR
- 13 THE PURPOSES OF THIS SUBDIVISION. The membership figure calcu-
- 14 lated under this -subsection SUBDIVISION is the greater of the
- 15 following:
- 16 (i) The average of the district's membership for the
- 17 3-fiscal-year period ending with that fiscal year, calculated by
- 18 adding the district's actual membership for that fiscal year
- 19 EACH OF THOSE 3 FISCAL YEARS, as otherwise calculated under this
- 20 subsection, plus the district's membership as calculated under
- 21 this subdivision for each of the 2 immediately preceding fiscal
- 22 years, and dividing the sum of those 3 membership figures by 3.
- 23 (ii) The district's actual membership FOR THAT FISCAL YEAR
- 24 as otherwise calculated under this subsection.
 - [(Z) IF A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY CLOSES AT THE END OF A SCHOOL YEAR AND DOES NOT REOPEN FOR THE NEXT SCHOOL YEAR, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ADJUST THE MEMBERSHIP COUNT OF THE DISTRICT IN WHICH A FORMER PUPIL OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY ENROLLS AND IS IN REGULAR DAILY ATTENDANCE FOR THE NEXT SCHOOL YEAR TO ENSURE THAT THE DISTRICT RECEIVES THE SAME AMOUNT OF MEMBERSHIP AID FOR THE PUPIL AS IF THE PUPIL WERE COUNTED IN THE DISTRICT ON THE SUPPLEMENTAL COUNT DAY OF THE PRECEDING SCHOOL YEAR.]
- 25 (5) "Public school academy" means a public school academy or
- 26 strict discipline academy operating under the revised school
- **27** code.

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- 1 (6) "Pupil" means a person in membership in a public
- 2 school. A district must have the approval of the pupil's dis-
- 3 trict of residence to count the pupil in membership, except
- 4 approval by the pupil's district of residence shall not be
- 5 required for any of the following:
- 6 (a) A nonpublic part-time pupil enrolled in grades 1 to 12
- 7 in accordance with section 166b.
- 8 (b) A pupil receiving 1/2 or less of his or her instruction
- 9 in a district other than the pupil's district of residence.
- (c) A pupil enrolled in a public school academy or univer-
- 11 sity school.
- 12 (d) A pupil enrolled in a district other than the pupil's
- 13 district of residence under an intermediate district schools of
- 14 choice pilot program as described in section 91a or former
- 15 section 91 if the intermediate district and its constituent dis-
- 16 tricts have been exempted from section 105.
- 17 (e) A pupil enrolled in a district other than the pupil's
- 18 district of residence but within the same intermediate district
- 19 if the educating district enrolls nonresident pupils in accord-
- 20 ance with section 105.
- 21 (f) A pupil enrolled in a district other than the pupil's
- 22 district of residence if the pupil has been continuously enrolled
- 23 in the educating district since a school year in which the pupil
- 24 enrolled in the educating district under section 105 or 105c and
- 25 in which the educating district enrolled nonresident pupils in
- 26 accordance with section 105 or 105c.

- 1 (g) A pupil who has made an official written complaint or
- 2 whose parent or legal guardian has made an official written
- 3 complaint to law enforcement officials and to school officials of
- 4 the pupil's district of residence that the pupil has been the
- 5 victim of a criminal sexual assault or other serious assault, if
- 6 the official complaint either indicates that the assault occurred
- 7 at school or that the assault was committed by 1 or more other
- 8 pupils enrolled in the school the pupil would otherwise attend in
- 9 the district of residence or by an employee of the district of
- 10 residence. A person who intentionally makes a false report of a
- 11 crime to law enforcement officials for the purposes of this sub-
- 12 division is subject to section 411a of the Michigan penal code,
- 13 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.411a, which provides criminal penalties for
- 14 that conduct. As used in this subdivision:
- 15 (i) "At school" means in a classroom, elsewhere on school
- 16 premises, on a school bus or other school-related vehicle, or at
- 17 a school-sponsored activity or event whether or not it is held on
- 18 school premises.
- 19 (ii) "Serious assault" means an act that constitutes a
- 20 felony violation of chapter XI of the Michigan penal code, 1931
- 21 PA 328, MCL 750.81 to 750.90g, or that constitutes an assault and
- 22 infliction of serious or aggravated injury under section 81a of
- 23 the Michigan penal code, 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.81a.
- 24 (h) A pupil enrolled in a district located in a contiguous
- 25 intermediate district, as described in section 105c, if the edu-
- 26 cating district enrolls those nonresident pupils in accordance
- 27 with section 105c.

- 1 (i) A pupil whose district of residence changed after the
- 2 pupil membership count day and before the supplemental count day
- 3 and who continues to be enrolled on the supplemental count day as
- 4 a nonresident in the district in which he or she was enrolled as
- 5 a resident on the pupil membership count day of the same school
- 6 year.
- 7 (j) A pupil enrolled in an alternative education program
- 8 operated by a district other than his or her district of resi-
- 9 dence who meets 1 or more of the following:
- 10 (i) The pupil has been suspended or expelled from his or her
- 11 district of residence for any reason, including, but not limited
- 12 to, a suspension or expulsion under section 1310, 1311, or 1311a
- 13 of the revised school code, MCL 380.1310, 380.1311, and
- **14** 380.1311a.
- 15 (ii) The pupil had previously dropped out of school.
- 16 (iii) The pupil is pregnant or is a parent.
- 17 (iv) The pupil has been referred to the program by a court.
- (k) A pupil enrolled in the Michigan virtual high school,
- 19 for the pupil's enrollment in the Michigan virtual high school.
- 20 However, if a district that is not a first class district
- 21 educates pupils who reside in a first class district and if the
- 22 primary instructional site for those pupils is located within the
- 23 boundaries of the first class district, the educating district
- 24 must have the approval of the first class district to count those
- 25 pupils in membership. As used in this subsection, "first class
- 26 district" means a district organized as a school district of the
- 27 first class under the revised school code.

Senate Bill No. 1107 16 1 (7) "Pupil membership count day" of a district or 2 intermediate district means: 3 (a) Except as provided in subdivision (b), the fourth 4 Wednesday in September each school year. 5 (b) For a district or intermediate district maintaining 6 school during the entire school year, the following days: 7 (i) Fourth Wednesday in July. (ii) Fourth Wednesday in September. 8 (iii) Second Wednesday in February. 9 10 (iv) Fourth Wednesday in April. (8) "Pupils in grades K to 12 actually enrolled and in regu-11 lar daily attendance" means pupils in grades K to 12 in 12 13 attendance and receiving instruction in all classes for which they are enrolled on the pupil membership count day or the sup-14 plemental count day, as applicable. A pupil who is absent from 15 16 any of the classes in which the pupil is enrolled on the pupil 17 membership count day or supplemental count day and who does not attend each of those classes during the 10 consecutive school 18 19 days immediately following the pupil membership count day or sup-20 plemental count day, except for a pupil who has been excused by the district, shall not be counted as 1.0 full-time equated 21 membership. In addition, a pupil who is excused from attendance 22 on the pupil membership count day or supplemental count day and 23 who fails to attend each of the classes in which the pupil is 24 enrolled within 30 calendar days after the pupil membership count 25 day or supplemental count day shall not be counted as 1.0 26

full-time equated membership. Pupils not counted as 1.0

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- 1 full-time equated membership due to an absence from a class shall
- 2 be counted as a prorated membership for the classes the pupil
- 3 attended. For purposes of this subsection, "class" means a
- 4 period of time in 1 day when pupils and a certificated teacher or
- 5 legally qualified substitute teacher are together and instruction
- 6 is taking place.
- 7 (9) "Rule" means a rule promulgated pursuant to the adminis-
- 8 trative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 to
- **9** 24.328.
- 10 (10) "The revised school code" means 1976 PA 451, MCL 380.1
- **11** to 380.1852.
- 12 (11) "School fiscal year" means a fiscal year that commences
- 13 July 1 and continues through June 30.
- 14 (12) "State board" means the state board of education.
- 15 (13) "Superintendent", unless the context clearly refers to
- 16 a district or intermediate district superintendent, means the
- 17 superintendent of public instruction described in section 3 of
- 18 article VIII of the state constitution of 1963.
- 19 (14) "Supplemental count day" means the day on which the
- 20 supplemental pupil count is conducted under section 6a.
- 21 (15) "Tuition pupil" means a pupil of school age attending
- 22 school in a district other than the pupil's district of residence
- 23 for whom tuition may be charged. Tuition pupil does not include
- 24 a pupil who is a special education pupil or a pupil described in
- 25 subsection (6)(d) to (k). A pupil's district of residence shall
- 26 not require a high school tuition pupil, as provided under

- 1 section 111, to attend another school district after the pupil
- 2 has been assigned to a school district.
- 3 (16) "State school aid fund" means the state school aid fund
- 4 established in section 11 of article IX of the state constitution
- **5** of 1963.
- 6 (17) "Taxable value" means the taxable value of property as
- 7 determined under section 27a of the general property tax act,
- 8 1893 PA 206, MCL 211.27a.
- 9 (18) "Total state aid" or "total state school aid" means the
- 10 total combined amount of all funds due to a district, intermedi-
- 11 ate district, or other entity under all of the provisions of this
- **12** act.
- 13 (19) "University school" means an instructional program
- 14 operated by a public university under section 23 that meets the
- 15 requirements of section 23.
- 16 Sec. 8. (1) In order to receive funds under this act,
- 17 each EACH district shall furnish to the department not later
- 18 than December 1 of each year, on a form and in a manner pre-
- 19 scribed by the department, the information requested by the
- 20 department that is necessary for the preparation of the district
- 21 pupil retention report defined in section 6(3).
- 22 (2) On the basis of a district's pupil retention report as
- 23 defined in section 6(3), the department shall calculate an annual
- 24 pupil dropout rate for each district. In addition, the depart-
- 25 ment shall calculate an annual pupil dropout rate for the state
- 26 in the same manner as that used to calculate the pupil dropout
- 27 rate for a district. The department shall report all pupil

- 1 dropout rates to the senate and house education committees and
- 2 appropriations committees and the state budget director not later
- 3 than September 15 each year.
- 4 Sec. 11. (1) For the fiscal year ending September 30,
- 5 2001, there is appropriated for the public schools of this state
- 6 and certain other state purposes relating to education the sum of
- 7 \$10,306,721,500.00 from the state school aid fund established by
- 8 section 11 of article IX of the state constitution of 1963 and
- 9 the sum of \$385,613,500.00 from the general fund. For the fiscal
- 10 year ending September 30, 2002, there is appropriated for the
- 11 public schools of this state and certain other state purposes
- 12 relating to education the sum of $\frac{$10,989,699,900.00}{}$
- 13 \$10,982,648,200.00 from the state school aid fund established by
- 14 section 11 of article IX of the state constitution of 1963 and
- 15 the sum of $\frac{$205,613,500.00}{$198,413,500.00}$ from the general
- 16 fund. For the fiscal year ending September 30, 2003, there is
- 17 appropriated for the public schools of this state and certain
- 18 other state purposes relating to education the sum of
- 19 $\frac{$10,985,960,300.00}{$11,235,242,400.00}$ from the state school aid
- 20 fund established by section 11 of article IX of the state consti-
- 21 tution of 1963 and the sum of $\frac{$420,613,500.00}{$198,413,500.00}$
- 22 from the general fund. HOWEVER, IF LEGISLATION AUTHORIZING THE
- 23 TRANSFER OF \$79,500,000.00 FROM EITHER THE COUNTERCYCLICAL BUDGET
- 24 AND ECONOMIC STABILIZATION FUND OR THE MICHIGAN EMPLOYMENT SECUR-
- 25 ITY ACT CONTINGENT FUND, PENALTIES AND INTEREST SUBACCOUNT, IS
- 26 NOT ENACTED AND IN EFFECT ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2002, THERE IS
- 27 INSTEAD APPROPRIATED FROM THE GENERAL FUND FOR 2002-2003 THE SUM

- 1 OF \$122,656,500.00. In addition, available federal funds are
- 2 appropriated for each of those fiscal years. IT IS THE INTENT OF
- 3 THE LEGISLATURE TO APPROPRIATE AT LEAST \$420,613,500.00 FROM THE
- 4 GENERAL FUND FOR 2003-2004 FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS ACT.
- 5 (2) The appropriations under this section shall be allocated
- 6 as provided in this act. Money appropriated under this section
- 7 from the general fund and from available federal funds shall be
- 8 expended to fund the purposes of this act before the expenditure
- 9 of money appropriated under this section from the state school
- 10 aid fund. If the maximum amount appropriated under this section
- 11 from the state school aid fund for a fiscal year exceeds the
- 12 amount necessary to fully fund allocations under this act from
- 13 the state school aid fund, that excess amount shall not be
- 14 expended in that state fiscal year and shall not lapse to the
- 15 general fund, but instead shall remain in the state school aid
- **16** fund.
- 17 (3) If the maximum amount appropriated under this section
- 18 and section 11f from the state school aid fund for a fiscal year
- 19 exceeds the amount available for expenditure from the state
- 20 school aid fund for that fiscal year, payments under sections
- 21 11f, 11g, 22a, 31d, 51a(2), and 51c shall be made in full. $\overline{}$
- 22 IN ADDITION, FOR DISTRICTS BEGINNING OPERATIONS AFTER 1994-95
- 23 THAT QUALIFY FOR PAYMENTS UNDER SECTION 22B, PAYMENTS UNDER
- 24 SECTION 22B SHALL BE MADE SO THAT THE QUALIFYING DISTRICTS
- 25 RECEIVE AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE 1994-95 FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE OF
- 26 THE DISTRICT IN WHICH THE DISTRICT BEGINNING OPERATIONS AFTER
- 27 1994-95 IS LOCATED. THE AMOUNT OF THE PAYMENT TO BE MADE UNDER

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- 1 SECTION 22B FOR THESE QUALIFYING DISTRICTS SHALL BE AS CALCULATED
- 2 UNDER SECTION 22A, WITH THE BALANCE OF THE PAYMENT UNDER
- 3 SECTION 22B BEING SUBJECT TO THE PRORATION OTHERWISE PROVIDED
- 4 UNDER THIS SUBSECTION. STATE payments under each of the other
- 5 sections of this act FROM ALL STATE FUNDING SOURCES shall be pro-
- 6 rated on an equal percentage basis as necessary to reflect the
- 7 amount available for expenditure from the state school aid fund
- 8 for that fiscal year. However, if the department of treasury
- 9 determines that proration will be required under this subsection,
- 10 the department of treasury shall notify the state budget direc-
- 11 tor, and the state budget director shall notify the legislature
- 12 at least 30 calendar days or 6 legislative session days, which-
- 13 ever is more, before the department reduces any payments under
- 14 this act because of the proration. During the 30 calendar day or
- 15 6 legislative session day period after that notification by the
- 16 state budget director, the department shall not reduce any pay-
- 17 ments under this act because of proration under this subsection.
- 18 The legislature may prevent proration from occurring by, within
- 19 the 30 calendar day or 6 legislative session day period after
- 20 that notification by the state budget director, enacting legisla-
- 21 tion appropriating additional funds from the general fund,
- 22 countercyclical budget and economic stabilization fund, state
- 23 school aid fund balance, or another source to fund the amount of
- 24 the projected shortfall.
- 25 (4) Except for the allocation under section 26a, any general
- 26 fund allocations under this act that are not expended by the end

- 1 of the state fiscal year are transferred to the state school aid
- 2 fund.
- 3 Sec. 11f. (1) In addition to any other money appropriated
- 4 under this act, there is appropriated from the state school aid
- 5 fund an amount not to exceed \$32,000,000.00 each fiscal year for
- 6 the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, for the fiscal year
- 7 ending September 30, 2002, for the fiscal year ending September
- 8 30, 2003, and for each succeeding fiscal year through the fiscal
- 9 year ending September 30, 2008. Payments under this section will
- 10 cease after September 30, 2008. These appropriations are for
- 11 paying the amounts described in subsection (4) to districts and
- 12 intermediate districts, other than those receiving a lump sum
- 13 payment under subsection (2), that were not plaintiffs in the
- 14 consolidated cases known as <u>Durant</u> v <u>State of Michigan</u>, Michigan
- 15 supreme court docket no. 104458-104492 and that, on or before
- 16 March 2, 1998, submitted to the state treasurer a board resolu-
- 17 tion waiving any right or interest the district or intermediate
- 18 district has or may have in any claim or litigation based on or
- 19 arising out of any claim or potential claim through September 30,
- 20 1997 that is or was similar to the claims asserted by the plain-
- 21 tiffs in the consolidated cases known as <u>Durant</u> v <u>State of</u>
- 22 Michigan. The waiver resolution shall be in form and substance
- 23 as required under subsection (8). The state treasurer is autho-
- 24 rized to accept such a waiver resolution on behalf of this
- 25 state. The amounts described in this subsection represent offers
- 26 of settlement and compromise of any claim or claims that were or

- 1 could have been asserted by these districts and intermediate
- 2 districts, as described in this subsection.
- 3 (2) In addition to any other money appropriated under this
- 4 act, there was appropriated from the state school aid fund an
- 5 amount not to exceed \$1,700,000.00 for the fiscal year ending
- 6 September 30, 1999. This appropriation was for paying the
- 7 amounts described in this subsection to districts and intermedi-
- 8 ate districts that were not plaintiffs in the consolidated cases
- 9 known as <u>Durant</u> v <u>State of Michigan</u>; that, on or before March 2,
- 10 1998, submitted to the state treasurer a board resolution waiving
- 11 any right or interest the district or intermediate district had
- 12 or may have had in any claim or litigation based on or arising
- 13 out of any claim or potential claim through September 30, 1997
- 14 that is or was similar to the claims asserted by the plaintiffs
- 15 in the consolidated cases known as <u>Durant</u> v <u>State of Michigan</u>;
- 16 and for which the total amount listed in section 11h and paid
- 17 under this section was less than \$75,000.00. For a district or
- 18 intermediate district qualifying for a payment under this subsec-
- 19 tion, the entire amount listed for the district or intermediate
- 20 district in section 11h was paid in a lump sum on November 15,
- 21 1998 or on the next business day following that date. The
- 22 amounts paid under this subsection represent offers of settlement
- 23 and compromise of any claim or claims that were or could have
- 24 been asserted by these districts and intermediate districts, as
- 25 described in this subsection.
- 26 (3) This section does not create any obligation or liability
- 27 of this state to any district or intermediate district that does

- 1 not submit a waiver resolution described in this section. This
- 2 section, any other provision of this act, and section 353e of the
- 3 management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1353e, are not
- 4 intended to admit liability or waive any defense that is or would
- 5 be available to this state or its agencies, employees, or agents
- 6 in any litigation or future litigation with a district or inter-
- 7 mediate district.
- **8** (4) The amount paid each fiscal year to each district or
- 9 intermediate district under subsection (1) shall be 1/20 of the
- 10 total amount listed in section 11h for each listed district or
- 11 intermediate district that qualifies for a payment under subsec-
- 12 tion (1). The amounts listed in section 11h and paid in part
- 13 under this subsection and in a lump sum under subsection (2) are
- 14 offers of settlement and compromise to each of these districts or
- 15 intermediate districts to resolve, in their entirety, any claim
- 16 or claims that these districts or intermediate districts may have
- 17 asserted for violations of section 29 of article IX of the state
- 18 constitution of 1963 through September 30, 1997, which claims are
- 19 or were similar to the claims asserted by the plaintiffs in the
- 20 consolidated cases known as <u>Durant</u> v <u>State of Michigan</u>. This
- 21 section, any other provision of this act, and section 353e of the
- 22 management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1353e, shall not
- 23 be construed to constitute an admission of liability to the dis-
- 24 tricts or intermediate districts listed in section 11h or a
- 25 waiver of any defense that is or would have been available to the
- 26 state or its agencies, employees, or agents in any litigation or
- 27 future litigation with a district or intermediate district.

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- 1 (5) The entire amount of each payment under subsection (1) 2 each fiscal year shall be paid on November 15 of the applicable 3 fiscal year or on the next business day following that date. 4 (6) Funds paid to a district or intermediate district under 5 this section shall be used only for textbooks, electronic 6 instructional material, software, technology, infrastructure or 7 infrastructure improvements, school buses, school security, 8 training for technology, or to pay debt service on voter-approved 9 bonds issued by the district or intermediate district before the effective date of this section. For intermediate districts only, 10 11 funds paid under this section may also be used for other nonre-12 curring instructional expenditures including, but not limited to, 13 nonrecurring instructional expenditures for vocational education, 14 or for debt service for acquisition of technology for academic 15 support services. Funds received by an intermediate district under this section may be used for projects conducted for the 16 17 benefit of its constituent districts at the discretion of the 18 intermediate board. To the extent payments under this section 19 are used by a district or intermediate district to pay debt serv-20 ice on debt payable from millage revenues, and to the extent per-
- (7) The appropriations under this section are from the money
 appropriated and transferred to the state school aid fund from
 the countercyclical budget and economic stabilization fund under

mitted by law, the district or intermediate district may make a

corresponding reduction in the number of mills levied for that

debt service.

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Senate Bill No. 1107 26 1 section 353e(2) and (3) of the management and budget act, 1984 2 PA 431, MCL 18.1353e. 3 (8) The resolution to be adopted and submitted by a district or intermediate district under this section and section 11g shall 4 5 read as follows: 6 "Whereas, the board of _____ (name of dis-7 trict or intermediate district) desires to settle and compromise, 8 in their entirety, any claim or claims that the district (or 9 intermediate district) has or had for violations of section 29 of article IX of the state constitution of 1963, which claim or 10 11 claims are or were similar to the claims asserted by the plain-12 tiffs in the consolidated cases known as <u>Durant</u> v <u>State of</u> <u>13</u> Michigan, Michigan supreme court docket no. 104458-104492. 14 Whereas, the district (or intermediate district) agrees to 15 settle and compromise these claims for the consideration described in sections 11f and 11g of the state school aid act of 16 17 1979, 1979 PA 94, MCL 388.1611f and 388.1611g, and in the amount specified for the district (or intermediate district) in 18 19 section 11h of the state school aid act of 1979, 1979 PA 94, 20 MCL 388.1611h. Whereas, the board of ______ (name of district or 21 22 intermediate district) is authorized to adopt this resolution. 23 Now, therefore, be it resolved as follows: 24 1. The board of ______ (name of district or intermediate district) waives any right or interest it may have 25 in any claim or potential claim through September 30, 1997 26 relating to the amount of funding the district or intermediate 27

- 1 district is, or may have been, entitled to receive under the
- state school aid act of 1979, 1979 PA 94, MCL 388.1601 to 2
- 3 388.1772, or any other source of state funding, by reason of the
- application of section 29 of article IX of the state constitution 4
- 5 of 1963, which claims or potential claims are or were similar to
- 6 the claims asserted by the plaintiffs in the consolidated cases
- 7 known as <u>Durant</u> v <u>State of Michigan</u>, Michigan supreme court
- docket no. 104458-104492. 8
- 2. The board of _____ (name of district or 9
- intermediate district) directs its secretary to submit a certi-10
- 11 fied copy of this resolution to the state treasurer no later than
- 12 5 p.m. eastern standard time on March 2, 1998, and agrees that it
- 13 will not take any action to amend or rescind this resolution.
- 3. The board of _____ (name of district or 14
- intermediate district) expressly agrees and understands that, if 15
- 16 it takes any action to amend or rescind this resolution, the
- 17 state, its agencies, employees, and agents shall have available
- to them any privilege, immunity, and/or defense that would other-18
- 19 wise have been available had the claims or potential claims been
- 20 actually litigated in any forum.
- 21 4. This resolution is contingent on continued payments by
- 22 the state each fiscal year as determined under sections 11f and
- 11g of the state school aid act of 1979, 1979 PA 94, 23
- MCL 388.1611f and 388.1611g. However, this resolution shall be 24
- 25 an irrevocable waiver of any claim to amounts actually received
- by the school district or intermediate school district under 26
- sections 11f and 11g of the state school aid act of 1979.". 27

Senate Bill No. 1107 28 1 Sec. 11g. (1) From the general fund money appropriated in section 11, there is allocated an amount not to exceed 2 3 \$40,000,000.00 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, for the fiscal 4 5 year ending September 30, 2003, and for each succeeding fiscal 6 year through the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013. Payments 7 under this section will cease after September 30, 2013. 8 appropriations are for paying the amounts described in subsection (3) to districts and intermediate districts, other 9 than those receiving a lump sum payment under section 11f(2), 10 11 that were not plaintiffs in the consolidated cases known as 12 Durant v State of Michigan, Michigan supreme court docket 13 no. 104458-104492 and that, on or before March 2, 1998, submitted to the state treasurer a waiver resolution described in section 14 15 The amounts paid under this section represent offers of settlement and compromise of any claim or claims that were or 16 17 could have been asserted by these districts and intermediate dis-18 tricts, as described in this section. 19 (2) This section does not create any obligation or liability 20 of this state to any district or intermediate district that does 21 not submit a waiver resolution described in section 11f. This section, any other provision of this act, and section 353e of the 22 23 management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1353e, are not 24 intended to admit liability or waive any defense that is or would

be available to this state or its agencies, employees, or agents

in any litigation or future litigation with a district or

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- 1 intermediate district regarding these claims or potential
- 2 claims.
- 3 (3) The amount paid each fiscal year to each district or
- 4 intermediate district under this section shall be the sum of the
- 5 following:
- 6 (a) 1/30 of the total amount listed in section 11h for the
- 7 district or intermediate district.
- 8 (b) If the district or intermediate district borrows money
- 9 and issues bonds under section 11i, an additional amount in each
- 10 fiscal year calculated by the department of treasury that, when
- 11 added to the amount described in subdivision (a), will cause the
- 12 net present value as of November 15, 1998 of the total of the 15
- 13 annual payments made to the district or intermediate district
- 14 under this section, discounted at a rate as determined by the
- 15 state treasurer, to equal the amount of the bonds issued by that
- 16 district or intermediate district under section 11i and that will
- 17 result in the total payments made to all districts and intermedi-
- 18 ate districts in each fiscal year under this section being no
- 19 more than the amount appropriated under this section in each
- 20 fiscal year.
- 21 (4) The entire amount of each payment under this section
- 22 each fiscal year shall be paid on May 15 of the applicable fiscal
- 23 year or on the next business day following that date. If a dis-
- 24 trict or intermediate district borrows money and issues bonds
- 25 under section 11i, the district or intermediate district shall
- 26 use funds received under this section to pay debt service on
- 27 bonds issued under section 11i. If a district or intermediate

- 1 district does not borrow money and issue bonds under section 11i,
- 2 the district or intermediate district shall use funds received
- 3 under this section only for the following purposes, in the fol-
- 4 lowing order of priority:
- 5 (a) First, to pay debt service on voter-approved bonds
- 6 issued by the district or intermediate district before the effec-
- 7 tive date of this section.
- 8 (b) Second, to pay debt service on other limited tax
- 9 obligations.
- (c) Third, for deposit into a sinking fund established by
- 11 the district or intermediate district under the revised school
- **12** code.
- 13 (5) To the extent payments under this section are used by a
- 14 district or intermediate district to pay debt service on debt
- 15 payable from millage revenues, and to the extent permitted by
- 16 law, the district or intermediate district may make a correspond-
- 17 ing reduction in the number of mills levied for debt service.
- 18 (6) A district or intermediate district may pledge or assign
- 19 payments under this section as security for bonds issued under
- 20 section 11i, but shall not otherwise pledge or assign payments
- 21 under this section.
- 22 Sec. 18. (1) Except as provided in another section of this
- 23 act, each district or other entity shall apply the money received
- 24 by the district or entity under this act to salaries and other
- 25 compensation of teachers and other employees, tuition, transpor-
- 26 tation, lighting, heating, ventilation, water service, the
- 27 purchase of textbooks which are designated by the board to be

- 1 used in the schools under the board's charge, other supplies, and
- 2 any other school operating expenditures defined in section 7.
- 3 However, not more than 20% of the total amount received by a dis-
- 4 trict under article 2 or intermediate district under article 8
- 5 may be transferred by the board to either the capital projects
- 6 fund or to the debt retirement fund for debt service. The money
- 7 shall not be applied or taken for a purpose other than as pro-
- 8 vided in this section. The department shall determine the rea-
- 9 sonableness of expenditures and may withhold from a recipient of
- 10 funds under this act the apportionment otherwise due for the
- 11 fiscal year following the discovery by the department of a viola-
- 12 tion by the recipient.
- 13 (2) For the purpose of determining the reasonableness of
- 14 expenditures and whether a violation of this act has occurred,
- 15 the department shall require that each district and intermediate
- 16 district have an audit of the district's or intermediate
- 17 district's financial and pupil accounting records conducted at
- 18 least annually at the expense of the district or intermediate
- 19 district, as applicable, by a certified public accountant or by
- 20 the intermediate district superintendent, as may be required by
- 21 the department, or in the case of a district of the first class
- 22 by a certified public accountant, the intermediate superinten-
- 23 dent, or the auditor general of the city. An intermediate
- 24 district's annual financial audit shall be accompanied by the
- 25 intermediate district's pupil accounting procedures report. A
- 26 district's or intermediate district's annual financial audit
- 27 shall include an analysis of the financial and pupil accounting

- 1 data used as the basis for distribution of state school aid. The
- 2 pupil accounting records and reports, audits, and management let-
- 3 ters are subject to requirements established in the auditing and
- 4 accounting manuals approved and published by the department.
- 5 Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, a district shall
- 6 file the annual financial audit reports with the intermediate
- 7 district not later than 120 days after the end of each school
- 8 fiscal year and the intermediate district shall forward the
- 9 annual financial audit reports for its constituent districts and
- 10 for the intermediate district, and the pupil accounting proce-
- 11 dures report for the pupil membership count day and supplemental
- 12 count day, to the department not later than November 15 of each
- 13 year. The annual financial audit reports and pupil accounting
- 14 procedures reports shall be available to the public in compliance
- 15 with the freedom of information act, 1976 PA 442, MCL 15.231 to
- 16 15.246. Not later than December 1 of each year, the department
- 17 shall notify the state budget director and the legislative appro-
- 18 priations subcommittees responsible for review of the school aid
- 19 budget of districts and intermediate districts that have not
- 20 filed an annual financial audit and pupil accounting procedures
- 21 report required under this section for the school year ending in
- 22 the immediately preceding fiscal year.
- 23 (3) Each district and intermediate district shall file with
- 24 the department by November 15 of each year an annual comprehen-
- 25 sive financial report, known as "Form B", on a form and in the
- 26 manner prescribed by the department.

Senate Bill No. 1107 1 (4) Not later than July 1, 1999, the department shall approve and publish pupil accounting and pupil auditing manuals. 2 3 The department shall review those manuals at least annually and shall periodically update those manuals to reflect changes in 4 5 this act. The pupil accounting manuals in effect for the 1996-97 6 school year, including subsequent revisions issued by the super-7 intendent, shall be the interim manuals in effect until new manuals are approved and published. However, the clarification of 8 9 class-by-class accounting provided in the department's April 15, 1998 memorandum on pupil accounting procedures shall be excluded 10 from the interim manuals. 11 12 (5) If a district that is a public school academy purchases 13 property using money received under this act, the public school 14 academy shall retain ownership of the property unless the public 15 school academy sells the property at fair market value. -(6) If a district or intermediate district does not comply 16 17 with subsection (2) or (3), the department shall withhold all 18 state school aid due to the district or intermediate district 19 under this act, beginning with the next payment due to the dis-20 trict or intermediate district, until the district or intermedi-21 ate district complies with subsections (2) and (3). If the dis-22 trict or intermediate district does not comply with 23 subsections (2) and (3) by the end of the fiscal year, the dis-24 trict or intermediate district forfeits the amount withheld. 25 Sec. 18d. Any claim of a debt or financial obligation owed

to the state and made against a district arising out of a THAT

HAD A MEMBERSHIP GREATER THAN 6,500 FOR 2001-2002, WHICH CLAIM

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- 1 ARISES FROM A 1997-98 membership count dispute occurring on or
- 2 before March 1, 1997 shall be considered satisfied and dis-
- 3 charged if not asserted in writing against the district by an
- 4 executive agency or department of the state on or before July 1,
- $\frac{2001}{2002}$

[SEC. 18E. A DISTRICT THAT IS A SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE FIRST CLASS UNDER THE REVISED SCHOOL CODE SHALL NOT EXPEND MORE THAN 10% OF ITS GENERAL FUND OPERATING REVENUE FOR BUSINESS AND ADMINISTRATION.]

- 6 Sec. 19. (1) A district shall comply with the requirements
- 7 of sections 1204a, 1277, 1278, and 1280 of the revised school
- 8 code, MCL 380.1204a, 380.1277, 380.1278, and 380.1280, commonly
- 9 referred to as "public act 25 of 1990".
- 10 (2) Each district and intermediate district shall provide to
- 11 the department, in a form and manner prescribed by the depart-
- 12 ment, information necessary for the development of an annual
- 13 progress report on the implementation of sections 1204a, 1277,
- 14 1278, and 1280 of the revised school code, MCL 380.1204a,
- 15 380.1277, 380.1278, and 380.1280, commonly referred to as "public
- 16 act 25 of 1990". , and ADDITIONALLY, EACH DISTRICT AND INTERME-
- 17 DIATE DISTRICT SHALL PROVIDE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION
- 18 TECHNOLOGY, IN A FORM AND MANNER PRESCRIBED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF
- 19 INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, on the achievement of national education
- 20 goals, and information necessary for the development of other
- 21 performance reports.
- 22 (3) If a district or intermediate district fails to meet the
- 23 requirements of subsection (2) and sections 1204a, 1277, and
- 24 1278 of the revised school code, MCL 380.1204a, 380.1277, AND
- 25 380.1278, and 380.1280, the department shall withhold 5% of the
- 26 total funds for which the district or intermediate district
- 27 qualifies under this act until the district or intermediate

- 1 district complies with all of those sections. If the district or
- 2 intermediate district does not comply with all of those sections
- 3 by the end of the fiscal year, the department shall place the
- 4 amount withheld in an escrow account until the district or inter-
- 5 mediate district complies with all of those sections.
- 6 (4) If a school in a district is not accredited under sec-
- 7 tion 1280 of the revised school code, MCL 380.1280, or is not
- 8 making satisfactory progress toward meeting the standards for
- 9 that accreditation, the department shall withhold 5% of the total
- 10 funds for which the district qualifies under this act that are
- 11 attributable to pupils attending that school. The department
- 12 shall place the amount withheld from a district under this sub-
- 13 section in an escrow account and shall not release the funds to
- 14 the district until the district submits to the department a plan
- 15 for achieving accreditation for each of the district's schools
- 16 that are not accredited under section 1280 of the revised school
- 17 code, MCL 380.1280, or are not making satisfactory progress
- 18 toward meeting the standards for that accreditation.
- 19 Sec. 20. (1) For 2000-2001, the basic foundation allowance
- 20 is \$6,000.00 per membership pupil. For 2001-2002, the basic
- 21 foundation allowance is \$6,300.00 per membership pupil. For
- 22 2002-2003, the basic foundation allowance is \$6,700.00 per mem-
- 23 bership pupil.
- 24 (2) The amount of each district's foundation allowance shall
- 25 be calculated as provided in this section, using a basic founda-
- 26 tion allowance in the amount specified in subsection (1).

- 1 (3) Except as otherwise provided in this section, the amount
- 2 of a district's foundation allowance shall be calculated as
- 3 follows, using in all calculations the total amount of the
- 4 district's foundation allowance as calculated before any
- 5 proration:
- 6 (a) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, for a
- 7 district that in the immediately preceding state fiscal year had
- 8 a foundation allowance in an amount at least equal to the amount
- 9 of the basic foundation allowance for the immediately preceding
- 10 state fiscal year, the district shall receive a foundation allow-
- 11 ance in an amount equal to the sum of the district's foundation
- 12 allowance for the immediately preceding state fiscal year plus
- 13 the dollar amount of the adjustment from the immediately preced-
- 14 ing state fiscal year to the current state fiscal year in the
- 15 basic foundation allowance. HOWEVER, FOR 2002-2003, THE FOUNDA-
- 16 TION ALLOWANCE FOR A DISTRICT UNDER THIS SUBDIVISION IS AN AMOUNT
- 17 EOUAL TO THE SUM OF THE DISTRICT'S FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE FOR THE
- 18 IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING STATE FISCAL YEAR PLUS \$200.00.
- 19 (b) For EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS SUBDIVISION,
- 20 FOR a district that in the 1994-95 state fiscal year had a foun-
- 21 dation allowance greater than \$6,500.00, the district's founda-
- 22 tion allowance is an amount equal to the sum of the district's
- 23 foundation allowance for the immediately preceding state fiscal
- 24 year plus the lesser of the increase in the basic foundation
- 25 allowance for the current state fiscal year, as compared to the
- 26 immediately preceding state fiscal year, or the product of the
- 27 district's foundation allowance for the immediately preceding

- 1 state fiscal year times the percentage increase in the United
- 2 States consumer price index in the calendar year ending in the
- 3 immediately preceding fiscal year as reported by the May revenue
- 4 estimating conference conducted under section 367b of the manage-
- 5 ment and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1367b. FOR 2002-2003,
- 6 FOR A DISTRICT THAT IN THE 1994-95 STATE FISCAL YEAR HAD A FOUN-
- 7 DATION ALLOWANCE GREATER THAN \$6,500.00, THE DISTRICT'S FOUNDA-
- 8 TION ALLOWANCE IS AN AMOUNT EOUAL TO THE SUM OF THE DISTRICT'S
- 9 FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE FOR THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING STATE FISCAL
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- 11 FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE FOR THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING STATE FISCAL
- 12 YEAR TIMES THE PERCENTAGE INCREASE IN THE UNITED STATES CONSUMER
- 13 PRICE INDEX IN THE CALENDAR YEAR ENDING IN THE IMMEDIATELY PRE-
- 14 CEDING FISCAL YEAR AS REPORTED BY THE MAY REVENUE ESTIMATING CON-
- 15 FERENCE CONDUCTED UNDER SECTION 367B OF THE MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET
- **16** ACT, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1367B. HOWEVER, IF LEGISLATION IS
- 17 ENACTED TO ALLOW DISTRICTS TO LEVY SUFFICIENT MILLAGE, THE FOUN-
- 18 DATION ALLOWANCE FOR A DISTRICT DESCRIBED IN THIS SUBDIVISION
- 19 SHALL BE AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE GREATER OF THE SUM OF THE
- 20 DISTRICT'S FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE FOR THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING
- 21 FISCAL YEAR PLUS \$200.00, OR AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE DISTRICT'S
- 22 FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE FOR THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING FISCAL YEAR
- 23 TIMES 1 PLUS THE PERCENTAGE INCREASE IN THE STATE MAXIMUM FOUNDA-
- 24 TION ALLOWANCE.
- 25 (c) For a district that has a foundation allowance that is
- 26 not a whole dollar amount, the district's foundation allowance
- 27 shall be rounded up to the nearest whole dollar.

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- 1 (d) Beginning in 2002-2003, for a district that receives a
- 2 payment under section 22c for 2001-2002, the district's 2001-2002
- 3 foundation allowance shall be considered to have been an amount
- 4 equal to the sum of the district's actual 2001-2002 foundation
- 5 allowance as otherwise calculated under this section plus the per
- 6 pupil amount of the district's equity payment for 2001-2002 under
- 7 section 22c.
- **8** (4) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the
- 9 state portion of a district's foundation allowance is an amount
- 10 equal to the district's foundation allowance or \$6,500.00, which-
- 11 ever is less, minus the difference between the product of the
- 12 taxable value per membership pupil of all property in the dis-
- 13 trict that is not a homestead or qualified agricultural property
- 14 times the lesser of 18 mills or the number of mills of school
- 15 operating taxes levied by the district in 1993-94 and the quo-
- 16 tient of the ad valorem property tax revenue of the district cap-
- 17 tured under 1975 PA 197, MCL 125.1651 to 125.1681, the tax incre-
- 18 ment finance authority act, 1980 PA 450, MCL 125.1801 to
- 19 125.1830, the local development financing act, 1986 PA 281,
- 20 MCL 125.2151 to 125.2174, or the brownfield redevelopment financ-
- 21 ing act, 1996 PA 381, MCL 125.2651 to 125.2672, divided by the
- 22 district's membership excluding special education pupils. For a
- 23 district described in subsection (3)(b), the state portion of the
- 24 district's foundation allowance is an amount equal to \$6,962.00
- 25 plus the difference between the district's foundation allowance
- 26 for the current state fiscal year and the district's foundation
- 27 allowance for 1998-99, minus the difference between the product

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- 1 of the taxable value per membership pupil of all property in the
- 2 district that is not a homestead or qualified agricultural prop-
- 3 erty times the lesser of 18 mills or the number of mills of
- 4 school operating taxes levied by the district in 1993-94 and the
- 5 quotient of the ad valorem property tax revenue of the district
- 6 captured under 1975 PA 197, MCL 125.1651 to 125.1681, the tax
- 7 increment finance authority act, 1980 PA 450, MCL 125.1801 to
- 8 125.1830, the local development financing act, 1986 PA 281,
- 9 MCL 125.2151 to 125.2174, or the brownfield redevelopment financ-
- 10 ing act, 1996 PA 381, MCL 125.2651 to 125.2672, divided by the
- 11 district's membership excluding special education pupils. For a
- 12 district that has a millage reduction required under section 31
- 13 of article IX of the state constitution of 1963, the state por-
- 14 tion of the district's foundation allowance shall be calculated
- 15 as if that reduction did not occur. The \$6,500.00 amount pre-
- 16 scribed in this subsection shall be adjusted each year by an
- 17 amount equal to the dollar amount of the difference between the
- 18 basic foundation allowance for the current state fiscal year and
- 19 \$5,000.00. However, beginning in 2002-2003, the \$6,500.00 amount
- 20 prescribed in this subsection shall be adjusted each year by an
- 21 amount equal to the dollar amount of the difference between the
- 22 basic foundation allowance for the current state fiscal year and
- 23 \$5,000.00, minus \$200.00.
- 24 (5) The allocation calculated under this section for a pupil
- 25 shall be based on the foundation allowance of the pupil's dis-
- 26 trict of residence. However, for a pupil enrolled pursuant to
- 27 section 105 or 105c in a district other than the pupil's district

- 1 of residence, the allocation calculated under this section shall
- 2 be based on the lesser of the foundation allowance of the pupil's
- 3 district of residence or the foundation allowance of the educat-
- 4 ing district. For a pupil in membership in a K-5, K-6, or K-8
- 5 district who is enrolled in another district in a grade not
- 6 offered by the pupil's district of residence, the allocation cal-
- 7 culated under this section shall be based on the foundation
- 8 allowance of the educating district if the educating district's
- 9 foundation allowance is greater than the foundation allowance of
- 10 the pupil's district of residence. The calculation under this
- 11 subsection shall take into account a district's per pupil alloca-
- 12 tion under section 20j(2).
- 13 (6) Subject to subsection (7) and section 22b(4) and except
- 14 as otherwise provided in this subsection, for pupils in member-
- 15 ship, other than special education pupils, in a public school
- 16 academy or a university school, the allocation calculated under
- 17 this section is an amount per membership pupil other than special
- 18 education pupils in the public school academy or university
- 19 school equal to the sum of the local school operating revenue per
- 20 membership pupil other than special education pupils for the dis-
- 21 trict in which the public school academy or university school is
- 22 located and the state portion of that district's foundation
- 23 allowance, or the sum of the basic foundation allowance under
- 24 subsection (1) plus \$500.00, whichever is less. However, begin-
- 25 ning in 2002-2003, this \$500.00 amount shall instead be \$300.00.
- 26 Notwithstanding section 101(2), for a public school academy that
- 27 begins operations in $\frac{2000-2001}{1}$ 2001-2002 $\frac{1}{1}$ or 2002-2003, as

- 1 applicable, after the pupil membership count day, the amount per
- 2 membership pupil calculated under this subsection shall be
- 3 adjusted by multiplying that amount per membership pupil by the
- 4 number of hours of pupil instruction provided by the public
- 5 school academy after it begins operations, as determined by the
- 6 department, divided by the minimum number of hours of pupil
- 7 instruction required under section -1284 of the revised school
- 8 code, MCL 380.1284 101(3). The result of this calculation shall
- 9 not exceed the amount per membership pupil otherwise calculated
- 10 under this subsection.
- 11 (7) If more than 25% of the pupils residing within a dis-
- 12 trict are in membership in 1 or more public school academies
- 13 located in the district, then the amount per membership pupil
- 14 calculated under this section for a public school academy located
- 15 in the district shall be reduced by an amount equal to the dif-
- 16 ference between the product of the taxable value per membership
- 17 pupil of all property in the district that is not a homestead or
- 18 qualified agricultural property times the lesser of 18 mills or
- 19 the number of mills of school operating taxes levied by the dis-
- 20 trict in 1993-94 and the quotient of the ad valorem property tax
- 21 revenue of the district captured under 1975 PA 197, MCL 125.1651
- 22 to 125.1681, the tax increment finance authority act, 1980
- 23 PA 450, MCL 125.1801 to 125.1830, the local development financing
- 24 act, 1986 PA 281, MCL 125.2151 to 125.2174, or the brownfield
- 25 redevelopment financing act, 1996 PA 381, MCL 125.2651 to
- 26 125.2672, divided by the district's membership excluding special
- 27 education pupils, in the school fiscal year ending in the current

- 1 state fiscal year, calculated as if the resident pupils in
- 2 membership in 1 or more public school academies located in the
- 3 district were in membership in the district. In order to receive
- 4 state school aid under this act, a district described in this
- 5 subsection shall pay to the authorizing body that is the fiscal
- 6 agent for a public school academy located in the district for
- 7 forwarding to the public school academy an amount equal to that
- 8 local school operating revenue per membership pupil for each res-
- 9 ident pupil in membership other than special education pupils in
- 10 the public school academy, as determined by the department.
- 11 (8) If a district does not receive an amount calculated
- 12 under subsection (9); if the number of mills the district may
- 13 levy on a homestead and qualified agricultural property under
- 14 section 1211(1) of the revised school code, MCL 380.1211, is 0.5
- 15 mills or less; and if the district elects not to levy those
- 16 mills, the district instead shall receive a separate supplemental
- 17 amount calculated under this subsection in an amount equal to the
- 18 amount the district would have received had it levied those
- 19 mills, as determined by the department of treasury. A district
- 20 shall not receive a separate supplemental amount calculated under
- 21 this subsection for a fiscal year unless in the calendar year
- 22 ending in the fiscal year the district levies 18 mills or the
- 23 number of mills of school operating taxes levied by the district
- 24 in 1993, whichever is less, on property that is not a homestead
- 25 or qualified agricultural property.
- 26 (9) For a district that had combined state and local revenue
- 27 per membership pupil in the 1993-94 state fiscal year of more

- 1 than \$6,500.00 and that had fewer than 350 pupils in membership,
- 2 if the district elects not to reduce the number of mills from
- 3 which a homestead and qualified agricultural property are exempt
- 4 and not to levy school operating taxes on a homestead and quali-
- 5 fied agricultural property as provided in section 1211(1) of the
- 6 revised school code, MCL 380.1211, and not to levy school operat-
- 7 ing taxes on all property as provided in section 1211(2) of the
- 8 revised school code, MCL 380.1211, there is calculated under this
- 9 subsection for 1994-95 and each succeeding fiscal year a separate
- 10 supplemental amount in an amount equal to the amount the district
- 11 would have received per membership pupil had it levied school
- 12 operating taxes on a homestead and qualified agricultural prop-
- 13 erty at the rate authorized for the district under
- 14 section 1211(1) of the revised school code, MCL 380.1211, and
- 15 levied school operating taxes on all property at the rate autho-
- 16 rized for the district under section 1211(2) of the revised
- 17 school code, MCL 380.1211, as determined by the department of
- 18 treasury. If in the calendar year ending in the fiscal year a
- 19 district does not levy 18 mills or the number of mills of school
- 20 operating taxes levied by the district in 1993, whichever is
- 21 less, on property that is not a homestead or qualified agricul-
- 22 tural property, the amount calculated under this subsection will
- 23 be reduced by the same percentage as the millage actually levied
- 24 compares to the 18 mills or the number of mills levied in 1993,
- 25 whichever is less.
- 26 (10) For a district that is formed or reconfigured after
- 27 June 1, 1994 by consolidation of 2 or more districts or by

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- 1 annexation, the resulting district's foundation allowance under
- 2 this section beginning after the effective date of the consolida-
- 3 tion or annexation shall be the average of the foundation allow-
- 4 ances of each of the original or affected districts, calculated
- 5 as provided in this section, weighted as to the percentage of
- 6 pupils in total membership in the resulting district who reside
- 7 in the geographic area of each of the original districts. If an
- 8 affected district's foundation allowance is less than the basic
- 9 foundation allowance, the amount of that district's foundation
- 10 allowance shall be considered for the purpose of calculations
- 11 under this subsection to be equal to the amount of the basic
- 12 foundation allowance.
- 13 (11) Each fraction used in making calculations under this
- 14 section shall be rounded to the fourth decimal place and the
- 15 dollar amount of an increase in the basic foundation allowance
- 16 shall be rounded to the nearest whole dollar.
- 17 (12) State payments related to payment of the foundation
- 18 allowance for a special education pupil are not calculated under
- 19 this section but are instead calculated under section 51a.
- 20 (13) To assist the legislature in determining the basic
- 21 foundation allowance for the subsequent state fiscal year, each
- 22 revenue estimating conference conducted under section 367b of the
- 23 management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1367b, shall cal-
- 24 culate a pupil membership factor, a revenue adjustment factor,
- 25 and an index as follows:
- 26 (a) The pupil membership factor shall be computed by
- 27 dividing the estimated membership in the school year ending in

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- 1 the current state fiscal year, excluding intermediate district
- 2 membership, by the estimated membership for the school year
- 3 ending in the subsequent state fiscal year, excluding intermedi-
- 4 ate district membership. If a consensus membership factor is not
- 5 determined at the revenue estimating conference, the principals
- 6 of the revenue estimating conference shall report their estimates
- 7 to the house and senate subcommittees responsible for school aid
- 8 appropriations not later than 7 days after the conclusion of the
- 9 revenue conference.
- 10 (b) The revenue adjustment factor shall be computed by
- 11 dividing the sum of the estimated total state school aid fund
- 12 revenue for the subsequent state fiscal year plus the estimated
- 13 total state school aid fund revenue for the current state fiscal
- 14 year, adjusted for any change in the rate or base of a tax the
- 15 proceeds of which are deposited in that fund and excluding money
- 16 transferred into that fund from the countercyclical budget and
- 17 economic stabilization fund under section 353e of the management
- 18 and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1353e, by the sum of the
- 19 estimated total school aid fund revenue for the current state
- 20 fiscal year plus the estimated total state school aid fund reve-
- 21 nue for the immediately preceding state fiscal year, adjusted for
- 22 any change in the rate or base of a tax the proceeds of which are
- 23 deposited in that fund. If a consensus revenue factor is not
- 24 determined at the revenue estimating conference, the principals
- 25 of the revenue estimating conference shall report their estimates
- 26 to the house and senate subcommittees responsible for school aid

- 1 appropriations not later than 7 days after the conclusion of the
- 2 revenue conference.
- 3 (c) The index shall be calculated by multiplying the pupil
- 4 membership factor by the revenue adjustment factor. If a consen-
- 5 sus index is not determined at the revenue estimating conference,
- 6 the principals of the revenue estimating conference shall report
- 7 their estimates to the house and senate subcommittees responsible
- 8 for school aid appropriations not later than 7 days after the
- 9 conclusion of the revenue conference.
- 10 (14) If the principals at the revenue estimating conference
- 11 reach a consensus on the index described in subsection (13)(c),
- 12 the basic foundation allowance for the subsequent state fiscal
- 13 year shall be at least the amount of that consensus index multi-
- 14 plied by the basic foundation allowance specified in subsection
- **15** (1).
- 16 (15) If at the January revenue estimating conference it is
- 17 estimated that pupil membership, excluding intermediate district
- 18 membership, for the subsequent state fiscal year will be greater
- 19 than 101% of the pupil membership, excluding intermediate dis-
- 20 trict membership, for the current state fiscal year, then it is
- 21 the intent of the legislature that the executive budget proposal
- 22 for the school aid budget for the subsequent state fiscal year
- 23 include a general fund/general purpose allocation sufficient to
- 24 support the membership in excess of 101% of the current year
- 25 pupil membership.
- 26 (16) For a district that had combined state and local
- 27 revenue per membership pupil in the 1993-94 state fiscal year of

Senate Bill No. 1107 1 more than \$6,500.00, that had fewer than 7 pupils in membership in the 1993-94 state fiscal year, that has at least 1 child edu-2 3 cated in the district in the current state fiscal year, and that levies the number of mills of school operating taxes authorized 4 5 for the district under section 1211 of the revised school code, 6 MCL 380.1211, a minimum amount of combined state and local reve-7 nue shall be calculated for the district as provided under this subsection. The minimum amount of combined state and local reve-8 9 nue for 1999-2000 shall be \$67,000.00 plus the district's additional expenses to educate pupils in grades 9 to 12 educated in 10 11 other districts as determined and allowed by the department. The 12 minimum amount of combined state and local revenue under this 13 subsection, before adding the additional expenses, shall increase 14 each fiscal year by the same percentage increase as the percen-15 tage increase in the basic foundation allowance from the immediately preceding fiscal year to the current fiscal year. 16 17 state portion of the minimum amount of combined state and local 18 revenue under this subsection shall be calculated by subtracting from the minimum amount of combined state and local revenue under 19 20 this subsection the sum of the district's local school operating 21 revenue and an amount equal to the product of the sum of the 22 state portion of the district's foundation allowance plus the 23 amount calculated under section 20j times the district's 24 membership. As used in this subsection, "additional expenses" 25 means the district's expenses for tuition or fees, not to exceed \$6,500.00 as adjusted each year by an amount equal to the dollar 26

amount of the difference between the basic foundation allowance

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- 1 for the current state fiscal year and \$5,000.00, plus a room and
- 2 board stipend not to exceed \$10.00 per school day for each pupil
- 3 in grades 9 to 12 educated in another district, as approved by
- 4 the department. However, beginning in 2002-2003, the \$6,500.00
- 5 amount prescribed in this subsection shall be adjusted each year
- 6 by an amount equal to the dollar amount of the difference between
- 7 the basic foundation allowance for the current state fiscal year
- 8 and \$5,000.00, minus \$200.00.
- 9 (17) For a district in which 7.75 mills levied in 1992 for
- 10 school operating purposes in the 1992-93 school year were not
- 11 renewed in 1993 for school operating purposes in the 1993-94
- 12 school year, the district's combined state and local revenue per
- 13 membership pupil shall be recalculated as if that millage reduc-
- 14 tion did not occur and the district's foundation allowance shall
- 15 be calculated as if its 1994-95 foundation allowance had been
- 16 calculated using that recalculated 1993-94 combined state and
- 17 local revenue per membership pupil as a base. A district is not
- 18 entitled to any retroactive payments for fiscal years before
- 19 2000-2001 due to this subsection.
- 20 (18) FOR A DISTRICT IN WHICH AN INDUSTRIAL FACILITIES EXEMP-
- 21 TION CERTIFICATE THAT ABATED TAXES ON PROPERTY WITH A STATE
- 22 EQUALIZED VALUATION GREATER THAN THE TOTAL STATE EQUALIZED VALUA-
- 23 TION OF THE DISTRICT AT THE TIME THE CERTIFICATE WAS ISSUED OR
- 24 \$700,000,000.00, WHICHEVER IS GREATER, WAS ISSUED UNDER 1974
- 25 PA 198, MCL 207.551 TO 207.572, BEFORE THE CALCULATION OF THE
- 26 DISTRICT'S 1994-95 FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE, THE DISTRICT'S
- 27 FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE FOR 2002-2003 IS AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE SUM

- 1 OF THE DISTRICT'S FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE FOR 2002-2003, AS
- 2 OTHERWISE CALCULATED UNDER THIS SECTION, PLUS \$250.00.
- 3 (19) -(18) Payments to districts, university schools, or
- 4 public school academies shall not be made under this section.
- 5 Rather, the calculations under this section shall be used to
- 6 determine the amount of state payments under section 22b.
- 7 (20) $\frac{19}{1}$ If an amendment to section 2 of article VIII of
- 8 the state constitution of 1963 allowing state aid to some or all
- 9 nonpublic schools is approved by the voters of this state, each
- 10 foundation allowance or per pupil payment calculation under this
- 11 section may be reduced.
- 12 (21) -(20) As used in this section:
- (a) "Combined state and local revenue" means the aggregate
- 14 of the district's state school aid received by or paid on behalf
- 15 of the district under this section and the district's local
- 16 school operating revenue.
- 17 (b) "Combined state and local revenue per membership pupil"
- 18 means the district's combined state and local revenue divided by
- 19 the district's membership excluding special education pupils.
- (c) "Current state fiscal year" means the state fiscal year
- 21 for which a particular calculation is made.
- 22 (d) "Homestead" means that term as defined in section 1211
- 23 of the revised school code, MCL 380.1211.
- (e) "Immediately preceding state fiscal year" means the
- 25 state fiscal year immediately preceding the current state fiscal
- **26** year.

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- 1 (f) "Local school operating revenue" means school operating
- 2 taxes levied under section 1211 of the revised school code,
- 3 MCL 380.1211.
- 4 (g) "Local school operating revenue per membership pupil"
- 5 means a district's local school operating revenue divided by the
- 6 district's membership excluding special education pupils.
- 7 (h) "Membership" means the definition of that term under
- 8 section 6 as in effect for the particular fiscal year for which a
- 9 particular calculation is made.
- (i) "Qualified agricultural property" means that term as
- 11 defined in section 1211 of the revised school code,
- **12** MCL 380.1211.
- 13 (j) "School operating purposes" means the purposes included
- 14 in the operation costs of the district as prescribed in
- 15 sections 7 and 18.
- 16 (k) "School operating taxes" means local ad valorem property
- 17 taxes levied under section 1211 of the revised school code,
- 18 MCL 380.1211, and retained for school operating purposes.
- 19 (1) "STATE MAXIMUM FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE" MEANS THE SUM OF
- 20 THE BASIC FOUNDATION ALLOWANCE UNDER SUBSECTION (1) PLUS
- **21** \$1,500.00 MINUS \$200.00.
- 22 (M) $\frac{-(1)}{-(1)}$ "Taxable value per membership pupil" means taxable
- 23 value, as certified by the department of treasury, for the calen-
- 24 dar year ending in the current state fiscal year divided by the
- 25 district's membership excluding special education pupils for the
- 26 school year ending in the current state fiscal year.

- 1 SEC. 21. IT IS THE INTENT OF THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS
- 2 SUBCOMMITTEE THAT HAS JURISDICTION OVER THIS ACT TO DEVELOP A
- 3 LONG-TERM SOLUTION TO THE PROBLEM OF DECLINING ENROLLMENT IN
- 4 SMALL DISTRICTS.
- 5 SEC. 22. (1) A DISTRICT FORMED BEFORE DECEMBER 31 OF A
- 6 FISCAL YEAR BY A CONSOLIDATION OF 2 OR MORE DISTRICTS IS ELIGIBLE
- 7 TO RECEIVE FUNDING UNDER THIS SECTION FOR THAT FISCAL YEAR AS
- 8 PROVIDED UNDER SUBSECTION (2).
- 9 (2) FROM THE STATE SCHOOL AID FUND MONEY APPROPRIATED IN
- 10 SECTION 11, THERE IS ALLOCATED AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED
- 11 \$1,000,000.00 FOR 2002-2003 FOR PAYMENTS UNDER THIS SECTION. THE
- 12 AMOUNT OF A PAYMENT UNDER THIS SECTION TO AN ELIGIBLE DISTRICT
- 13 SHALL BE \$350.00 PER PUPIL FOR EACH PUPIL IN MEMBERSHIP AND EACH
- 14 TUITION PUPIL IN THE DISTRICTS PARTICIPATING IN THE CONSOLIDATION
- 15 ON THE PUPIL MEMBERSHIP COUNT DAY. A DISTRICT IS NOT ELIGIBLE
- 16 FOR PAYMENTS UNDER THIS SECTION FOR MORE THAN 1 FISCAL YEAR.
- 17 (3) IF THE AMOUNT ALLOCATED UNDER THIS SECTION FOR A FISCAL
- 18 YEAR IS NOT SUFFICIENT TO FULLY FUND PAYMENTS TO DISTRICTS UNDER
- 19 THIS SECTION FOR THAT FISCAL YEAR, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PRORATE
- 20 PAYMENTS UNDER THIS SECTION FOR THAT FISCAL YEAR ON AN EQUAL PER
- 21 PUPIL BASIS.
- 22 Sec. 22a. (1) From the appropriation in section 11, there
- 23 is allocated an amount not to exceed \$7,151,000,000.00 for
- **24** $\frac{2000-2001}{1}$, an amount not to exceed $\frac{$7,042,100,000.00}{1}$
- 25 \$7,018,000,000.00 for 2001-2002 and an amount not to exceed
- \$6,956,000,000.00 \$6,949,200,000.00 for 2002-2003 for payments
- 27 to districts, qualifying university schools, and qualifying

- 1 public school academies to guarantee each district, qualifying
- 2 university school, and qualifying public school academy an amount
- 3 equal to its 1994-95 total state and local per pupil revenue for
- 4 school operating purposes under section 11 of article IX of the
- 5 state constitution of 1963. Pursuant to section 11 of article IX
- 6 of the state constitution of 1963, this guarantee does not apply
- 7 to a district in a year in which the district levies a millage
- 8 rate for school district operating purposes less than it levied
- 9 in 1994. However, subsection (2) applies to calculating the pay-
- 10 ments under this section. Funds allocated under this section
- 11 that are not expended in the state fiscal year for which they
- 12 were allocated, as determined by the department, may be used to
- 13 supplement the allocations under sections 22b and 51c in order to
- 14 fully fund those calculated allocations for the same fiscal
- **15** year.
- 16 (2) To ensure that a district receives an amount equal to
- 17 the district's 1994-95 total state and local per pupil revenue
- 18 for school operating purposes, there is allocated to each dis-
- 19 trict a state portion of the district's 1994-95 foundation allow-
- 20 ance in an amount calculated as follows:
- 21 (a) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the
- 22 state portion of a district's 1994-95 foundation allowance is an
- 23 amount equal to the district's 1994-95 foundation allowance or
- 24 \$6,500.00, whichever is less, minus the difference between the
- 25 product of the taxable value per membership pupil of all property
- 26 in the district that is not a homestead or qualified agricultural
- 27 property times the lesser of 18 mills or the number of mills of

- 1 school operating taxes levied by the district in 1993-94 and the
- 2 quotient of the ad valorem property tax revenue of the district
- 3 captured under 1975 PA 197, MCL 125.1651 to 125.1681, the tax
- 4 increment finance authority act, 1980 PA 450, MCL 125.1801 to
- 5 125.1830, the local development financing act, 1986 PA 281,
- 6 MCL 125.2151 to 125.2174, or the brownfield redevelopment financ-
- 7 ing act, 1996 PA 381, MCL 125.2651 to 125.2672, divided by the
- 8 district's membership. For a district that has a millage reduc-
- 9 tion required under section 31 of article IX of the state consti-
- 10 tution of 1963, the state portion of the district's foundation
- 11 allowance shall be calculated as if that reduction did not
- 12 occur.
- 13 (b) For a district that had a 1994-95 foundation allowance
- 14 greater than \$6,500.00, the state payment under this subsection
- 15 shall be the sum of the amount calculated under subdivision (a)
- 16 plus the amount calculated under this subdivision. The amount
- 17 calculated under this subdivision shall be equal to the differ-
- 18 ence between the district's 1994-95 foundation allowance minus
- 19 \$6,500.00 and the current year hold harmless school operating
- 20 taxes per pupil. If the result of the calculation under
- 21 subdivision (a) is negative, the negative amount shall be an
- 22 offset against any state payment calculated under this
- 23 subdivision. If the result of a calculation under this subdivi-
- 24 sion is negative, there shall not be a state payment or a deduc-
- 25 tion under this subdivision. The taxable values per membership
- 26 pupil used in the calculations under this subdivision are as
- 27 adjusted by ad valorem property tax revenue captured under 1975

- 1 PA 197, MCL 125.1651 to 125.1681, the tax increment finance
- 2 authority act, 1980 PA 450, MCL 125.1801 to 125.1830, the local
- 3 development financing act, 1986 PA 281, MCL 125.2151 to 125.2174,
- 4 or the brownfield redevelopment financing act, 1996 PA 381,
- 5 MCL 125.2651 to 125.2672, divided by the district's membership.
- 6 (3) For pupils in membership in a qualifying public school
- 7 academy or qualifying university school, there is allocated under
- 8 this section each fiscal year $\frac{1}{10000-2001}$, for 2001-2002 $\frac{1}{10000}$
- 9 and for 2002-2003 to the authorizing body that is the fiscal
- 10 agent for the qualifying public school academy for forwarding to
- 11 the qualifying public school academy, or to the board of the
- 12 public university operating the qualifying university school, an
- 13 amount equal to the 1994-95 per pupil payment to the qualifying
- 14 public school academy or qualifying university school under
- **15** section 20.
- 16 (4) A district, qualifying university school, or qualifying
- 17 public school academy may use funds allocated under this section
- 18 in conjunction with any federal funds for which the district,
- 19 qualifying university school, or qualifying public school academy
- 20 otherwise would be eligible.
- 21 (5) For a district that is formed or reconfigured after
- 22 June 1, 2000 by consolidation of 2 or more districts or by annex-
- 23 ation, the resulting district's 1994-95 foundation allowance
- 24 under this section beginning after the effective date of the con-
- 25 solidation or annexation shall be the average of the 1994-95
- 26 foundation allowances of each of the original or affected
- 27 districts, calculated as provided in this section, weighted as to

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1 the percentage of pupils in total membership in the resulting

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- 2 district in the state fiscal year in which the consolidation
- 3 takes place who reside in the geographic area of each of the
- 4 original districts. If an affected district's 1994-95 foundation
- 5 allowance is less than the 1994-95 basic foundation allowance,
- 6 the amount of that district's 1994-95 foundation allowance shall
- 7 be considered for the purpose of calculations under this subsec-
- 8 tion to be equal to the amount of the 1994-95 basic foundation
- 9 allowance.
- 10 (6) As used in this section:
- 11 (a) "1994-95 foundation allowance" means a district's
- 12 1994-95 foundation allowance calculated and certified by the
- 13 department of treasury or the superintendent under former
- 14 section 20a as enacted in 1993 PA 336 and as amended by 1994
- **15** PA 283.
- (b) "Current state fiscal year" means the state fiscal year
- 17 for which a particular calculation is made.
- 18 (c) "Current year hold harmless school operating taxes per
- 19 pupil" means the per pupil revenue generated by multiplying a
- 20 district's 1994-95 hold harmless millage by the district's cur-
- 21 rent year taxable value per membership pupil.
- (d) "Hold harmless millage" means, for a district with a
- 23 1994-95 foundation allowance greater than \$6,500.00, the number
- 24 of mills by which the exemption from the levy of school operating
- 25 taxes on a homestead and qualified agricultural property could be
- 26 reduced as provided in section 1211(1) of the revised school
- 27 code, MCL 380.1211, and the number of mills of school operating

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- 1 taxes that could be levied on all property as provided in section
- 2 1211(2) of the revised school code, MCL 380.1211, as certified by
- 3 the department of treasury for the 1994 tax year.
- 4 (e) "Homestead" means that term as defined in section 1211
- 5 of the revised school code, MCL 380.1211.
- 6 (f) "Membership" means the definition of that term under
- 7 section 6 as in effect for the particular fiscal year for which a
- 8 particular calculation is made.
- **9** (g) "Qualified agricultural property" means that term as
- 10 defined in section 1211 of the revised school code,
- **11** MCL 380.1211.
- (h) "Qualifying public school academy" means a public school
- 13 academy that was in operation in the 1994-95 school year and is
- 14 in operation in the current state fiscal year.
- (i) "Qualifying university school" means a university school
- 16 that was in operation in the 1994-95 school year and is in opera-
- 17 tion in the current fiscal year.
- 18 (j) "School operating taxes" means local ad valorem property
- 19 taxes levied under section 1211 of the revised school code,
- 20 MCL 380.1211, and retained for school operating purposes.
- 21 (k) "Taxable value per membership pupil" means each of the
- 22 following divided by the district's membership:
- (i) For the number of mills by which the exemption from the
- 24 levy of school operating taxes on a homestead and qualified agri-
- 25 cultural property may be reduced as provided in section 1211(1)
- 26 of the revised school code, MCL 380.1211, the taxable value of

- 1 homestead and qualified agricultural property for the calendar
- 2 year ending in the current state fiscal year.
- 3 (ii) For the number of mills of school operating taxes that
- 4 may be levied on all property as provided in section 1211(2) of
- 5 the revised school code, MCL 380.1211, the taxable value of all
- 6 property for the calendar year ending in the current state fiscal
- 7 year.
- 8 Sec. 22b. (1) From the appropriation in section 11, there
- 9 is allocated an amount not to exceed \$1,864,000,000.00 for
- 10 $\frac{2000-2001}{3}$, an amount not to exceed $\frac{$2,377,200,000.00}{3}$
- 11 \$2,368,000,000.00 for 2001-2002 —, AND AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED
- 12 \$2,839,800,000.00 FOR 2002-2003 for discretionary payments to
- 13 districts under this section. Funds allocated under this section
- 14 that are not expended in the state fiscal year for which they
- 15 were allocated, as determined by the department, may be used to
- 16 supplement the allocations under sections 22a and 51c in order to
- 17 fully fund those calculated allocations for the same fiscal
- **18** year.
- 19 (2) Subject to subsection (3) and section 11, beginning in
- 20 2000-2001, the allocation to a district under this section shall
- 21 be an amount equal to the sum of the amounts calculated under
- 22 sections 20, 20j, 51a(2), 51a(3), and 51a(12), minus the sum of
- 23 the allocations to the district under sections 22a and 51c.
- 24 (3) In order to receive an allocation under this section,
- 25 each district shall administer in each grade level that it oper-
- 26 ates in grades 1 to 5 a standardized assessment approved by the
- 27 department of grade-appropriate basic educational skills. A

Senate Bill No. 1107 1 district may use the Michigan literacy progress profile to 2 satisfy this requirement for grades 1 to 3. 3 (4) From the allocation in subsection (1), the department may expend funds to pay for necessary costs associated with 4 5 resolving matters pending in federal court impacting payments to 6 districts, including, but not limited to, expert witness fees. 7 Sec. 24. (1) Subject to subsection (2), from the appropriation in section 11, there is allocated for 2000-2001, for 8 9 2001-2002 —, AND FOR 2002-2003 to the educating district or intermediate district an amount equal to 100% of the added cost 10 each fiscal year for educating all pupils assigned by a court or 11 12 the family independence agency to reside in or to attend a juve-13 nile detention facility or child caring institution licensed by 14 the family independence agency or the department of consumer and 15 industry services and approved by the department to provide an on-grounds education program. The total amount to be paid under 16 17 this section for added cost shall not exceed \$7,900,000.00 for 18 2000-2001, \$8,400,000.00 for 2001-2002 —, AND \$8,900,000.00 FOR 2002-2003. For the purposes of this section, "added cost" shall 19 20 be computed by deducting all other revenue received under this 21 act for pupils described in this section from total costs, as 22 approved by the department, for educating those pupils in the 23 on-grounds education program or in a program approved by the department that is located on property adjacent to a juvenile 24 detention facility or child caring institution. Costs reimbursed 25

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by federal funds are not included.

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- 1 (2) DISTRICTS AND INTERMEDIATE DISTRICTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO
- 2 ENTER INTO ARRANGEMENTS WITH FACILITIES AND INSTITUTIONS
- 3 DESCRIBED IN THIS SECTION TO ENSURE FUNDING TO PROVIDE EDUCA-
- 4 TIONAL SERVICES FOR PUPILS DESCRIBED IN THIS SECTION.
- 5 (3) IT IS THE INTENT OF THE LEGISLATURE TO STUDY MEMBERSHIP
- 6 PROBLEMS INHERENT IN THE OPERATION OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY
- 7 WITHIN A JUVENILE DETENTION FACILITY.
- 8 (4) $\overline{(2)}$ A district or intermediate district educating
- 9 pupils described in this section at a residential child caring
- 10 institution may operate, and receive funding under this section
- 11 for, a department-approved on-grounds educational program for
- 12 those pupils that is longer than 181 days, but not longer than
- 13 233 days, if the child caring institution was licensed as a child
- 14 caring institution and offered in 1991-92 an on-grounds educa-
- 15 tional program that was longer than 181 days but not longer than
- 16 233 days and that was operated by a district or intermediate
- 17 district.
- 18 (5) (3) Special education pupils funded under section 53a
- 19 shall not be funded under this section.
- 20 Sec. 26a. From the general fund appropriation in section
- 21 11, there is allocated each fiscal year for 2000-2001,
- **22** $\frac{2001-2002}{1}$, an amount not to exceed $\frac{$7,000,000.00}{1}$ \$8,800,000.00
- 23 FOR 2001-2002 AND AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$10,174,000.00 FOR
- 24 2002-2003 to reimburse districts, intermediate districts, and the
- 25 state school aid fund pursuant to section 12 of the Michigan
- 26 renaissance zone act, 1996 PA 376, MCL 125.2692, for taxes levied
- 27 in $\frac{2000}{100}$, 2001 $\frac{1}{100}$ and 2002, respectively. This reimbursement

- 1 shall be made by adjusting payments under section 22a to eligible
- 2 districts, adjusting payments under section 56, 62, or 81 to eli-
- 3 gible intermediate districts, and adjusting the state school aid
- 4 fund. The adjustments shall be made not later than 60 days after
- 5 the department of treasury certifies to the department and to the
- 6 state budget director that the department of treasury has
- 7 received all necessary information to properly determine the
- 8 amounts due to each eligible recipient.
- 9 Sec. 31a. (1) From the state school aid fund money appro-
- 10 priated in section 11, there is allocated for 2000-2001 an
- 11 amount not to exceed \$304,000,000.00, for 2001-2002 an amount
- 12 not to exceed $\frac{$314,200,000.00}{}$ \$310,700,000.00 AND THERE IS
- 13 ALLOCATED FOR 2002-2003 AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$317,700,000.00
- 14 for payments to eligible districts and eligible public school
- 15 academies under this section. Subject to subsection (10), the
- 16 amount of the additional allowance under this section shall be
- 17 based on the number of actual pupils in membership in the dis-
- 18 trict or public school academy who met the income eligibility
- 19 criteria for free breakfast, lunch, or milk in the immediately
- 20 preceding state fiscal year, as determined under the Richard
- 21 B. Russell national school lunch act, chapter 281, 60 Stat. 230,
- 22 42 U.S.C. 1751 to 1753, 1755 to 1761, 1762a, 1765 to 1766a, 1769,
- 23 1769b to 1769c, and 1769f to 1769h, and reported to the depart-
- 24 ment by October 31 of the immediately preceding fiscal year and
- 25 adjusted not later than December 31 of the immediately preceding
- 26 fiscal year. However, for a public school academy that began
- 27 operations as a public school academy after the pupil membership

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- 1 count day of the immediately preceding school year, the basis for
- 2 the additional allowance under this section shall be the number
- 3 of actual pupils in membership in the public school academy who
- 4 met the income eligibility criteria for free breakfast, lunch, or
- 5 milk in the current state fiscal year, as determined under the
- 6 Richard B. Russell national school lunch act.
- 7 (2) To be eligible to receive funding under this section,
- 8 OTHER THAN FUNDING UNDER SUBSECTION (6), a district or public
- 9 school academy that has not been previously determined to be eli-
- 10 gible shall apply to the department, in a form and manner pre-
- 11 scribed by the department, and a district or public school acad-
- 12 emy must meet all of the following:
- 13 (a) The sum of the district's or public school academy's
- 14 combined state and local revenue per membership pupil in the cur-
- 15 rent state fiscal year, as calculated under section 20, plus the
- 16 amount of the district's per pupil allocation under section
- 17 20j(2), is less than or equal to \$6,500.00 adjusted by the dollar
- 18 amount of the difference between the basic foundation allowance
- 19 under section 20 for the current state fiscal year and
- 20 \$5,000.00. However, beginning in 2002-2003, the \$6,500.00 amount
- 21 prescribed in this subdivision shall be adjusted each year by an
- 22 amount equal to the dollar amount of the difference between the
- 23 basic foundation allowance for the current state fiscal year and
- **24** \$5,000.00, minus \$200.00.
- 25 (b) The district or public school academy agrees to use the
- 26 funding only for purposes allowed under this section and to

- 1 comply with the program and accountability requirements under
- 2 this section.
- 3 (3) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, an eli-
- 4 gible district or eligible public school academy shall receive
- 5 under this section for each membership pupil in the district or
- 6 public school academy who met the income eligibility criteria for
- 7 free breakfast, lunch, or milk, as determined under the Richard
- 8 B. Russell national school lunch act and as reported to the
- 9 department by October 31 of the immediately preceding fiscal year
- 10 and adjusted not later than December 31 of the immediately pre-
- 11 ceding fiscal year, an amount per pupil equal to 11.5% of the sum
- 12 of the district's foundation allowance or public school academy's
- 13 per pupil -allocation AMOUNT CALCULATED under section 20, plus
- 14 the amount of the district's per pupil allocation under section
- 15 20j(2), not to exceed \$6,500.00 adjusted by the dollar amount of
- 16 the difference between the basic foundation allowance under sec-
- 17 tion 20 for the current state fiscal year and \$5,000.00, or of
- 18 the public school academy's per membership pupil allocation
- 19 AMOUNT CALCULATED under section 20 for the current state fiscal
- 20 year. However, beginning in 2002-2003, the \$6,500.00 amount pre-
- 21 scribed in this subsection shall be adjusted each year by an
- 22 amount equal to the dollar amount of the difference between the
- 23 basic foundation allowance for the current state fiscal year and
- 24 \$5,000.00, minus \$200.00. A public school academy that began
- 25 operations as a public school academy after the pupil membership
- 26 count day of the immediately preceding school year shall receive
- 27 under this section for each membership pupil in the public school

- 1 academy who met the income eligibility criteria for free
- 2 breakfast, lunch, or milk, as determined under the Richard
- 3 B. Russell national school lunch act and as reported to the
- 4 department by October 31 of the current fiscal year and adjusted
- 5 not later than December 31 of the current fiscal year, an amount
- 6 per pupil equal to 11.5% of the public school academy's per mem-
- 7 bership pupil allocation AMOUNT CALCULATED under section 20 for
- 8 the current state fiscal year.
- 9 (4) Except as otherwise provided in this section, a district
- 10 or public school academy receiving funding under this section
- 11 shall use that money only to provide instructional programs and
- 12 direct noninstructional services, including, but not limited to,
- 13 medical or counseling services, for at-risk pupils, and for the
- 14 purposes of subsection (5) OR (6), or section 32e and shall not
- 15 use any of that money for administrative costs or to supplant
- 16 another program or other funds, except for funds allocated to the
- 17 district or public school academy under this section in the imme-
- 18 diately preceding year and already being used by the district or
- 19 public school academy for at-risk pupils. The instruction or
- 20 direct noninstructional services provided under this section may
- 21 be conducted before or after regular school hours or by adding
- 22 extra school days to the school year and may be conducted using a
- 23 tutorial method, with paraprofessionals working under the super-
- 24 vision of a certificated teacher. The ratio of pupils to para-
- 25 professionals shall be between 10:1 and 15:1. Only 1 certifi-
- 26 cated teacher is required to supervise instruction using a
- 27 tutorial method. As used in this subsection, "to supplant

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- 1 another program" means to take the place of a previously existing
- 2 instructional program or direct noninstructional services funded
- 3 from a funding source other than funding under this section.
- 4 (5) A district or public school academy that receives funds
- 5 under this section and that operates a school breakfast program
- 6 under section 1272a of the revised school code, MCL 380.1272a,
- 7 shall use from the funds received under this section an amount,
- 8 not to exceed \$10.00 per pupil for whom the district or public
- 9 school academy receives funds under this section, necessary to
- 10 operate the school breakfast program.
- 11 (6) FROM THE FUNDS ALLOCATED UNDER SUBSECTION (1), THERE IS
- 12 ALLOCATED FOR 2001-2002 AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$2,400,000.00 TO
- 13 SUPPORT TEEN HEALTH CENTERS. THESE 2001-2002 FUNDS SHALL BE DIS-
- 14 TRIBUTED TO EXISTING TEEN HEALTH CENTERS IN A MANNER DETERMINED
- 15 BY THE DEPARTMENT IN COLLABORATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMU-
- 16 NITY HEALTH.
- 17 (7) (6)— Each district or public school academy receiving
- 18 funds under this section shall submit to the department by
- 19 July 15 of each fiscal year a report, not to exceed 10 pages, on
- 20 the usage by the district or public school academy of funds under
- 21 this section, which report shall include at least a brief
- 22 description of each program conducted by the district or public
- 23 school academy using funds under this section, the amount of
- 24 funds under this section allocated to each of those programs, the
- 25 number of at-risk pupils eligible for free or reduced price
- 26 school lunch who were served by each of those programs, and the
- 27 total number of at-risk pupils served by each of those programs.

Senate Bill No. 1107 1 If a district or public school academy does not comply with this 2 subsection, the department shall withhold an amount equal to the 3 August payment due under this section until the district or public school academy complies with this subsection. If the dis-4 5 trict or public school academy does not comply with this subsection by the end of the state fiscal year, the withheld funds 6 7 shall be forfeited to the school aid fund. (7) In order to receive funds under this section, a district 8 9 or public school academy shall allow access for the department or the department's designee to audit all records related to the 10 program for which it receives those funds. The district or 11 12 public school academy shall reimburse the state for all disallow-13 ances found in the audit. (8) Subject to -subsection SUBSECTIONS (5) AND (6), any 14 15 district may use up to 100% of the funds it receives under this section to reduce the ratio of pupils to teachers in grades K-6, 16 17 or any combination of those grades, in school buildings in which 18 the percentage of pupils described in subsection (1) exceeds the district's aggregate percentage of those pupils. Subject to 19 20 -subsection- SUBSECTIONS (5) AND (6), if a district obtains a 21 waiver from the department, the district may use up to 100% of 22 the funds it receives under this section to reduce the ratio of 23 pupils to teachers in grades K-6, or any combination of those 24 grades, in school buildings in which the percentage of pupils described in subsection (1) is at least 60% of the district's 25

aggregate percentage of those pupils and at least 30% of the

total number of pupils enrolled in the school building. To

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- 1 obtain a waiver, a district must apply to the department and
- 2 demonstrate to the satisfaction of the department that the class
- 3 size reductions would be in the best interests of the district's
- 4 at-risk pupils.
- 5 (9) A district or public school academy may use funds
- 6 received under this section for adult high school completion,
- 7 general education development (G.E.D.) test preparation, or
- 8 adult basic education programs described in section 107.
- 9 (10) If necessary, and before any proration required under
- 10 section 11, the department shall prorate payments under this sec-
- 11 tion by reducing the amount of the per pupil payment under this
- 12 section by a dollar amount calculated by determining the amount
- 13 by which the amount necessary to fully fund the requirements of
- 14 this section exceeds the maximum amount allocated under this sec-
- 15 tion and then dividing that amount by the total statewide number
- 16 of pupils who met the income eligibility criteria for free break-
- 17 fast, lunch, or milk in the immediately preceding fiscal year, as
- 18 described in subsection (1).
- 19 (11) If a district is formed by consolidation after June 1,
- 20 1995, and if 1 or more of the original districts was not eligible
- 21 before the consolidation for an additional allowance under this
- 22 section, the amount of the additional allowance under this sec-
- 23 tion for the consolidated district shall be based on the number
- 24 of pupils described in subsection (1) enrolled in the consoli-
- 25 dated district who reside in the territory of an original dis-
- 26 trict that was eligible before the consolidation for an
- 27 additional allowance under this section.

Sub. SB 1107 (H-1) as amended March 19, 2002 67 1 (12) A district or public school academy that does not meet 2 the eligibility requirement under subsection (2)(a) is eligible 3 for funding under this section if at least 1/4 of the pupils in membership in the district or public school academy met the 4 5 income eligibility criteria for free breakfast, lunch, or milk in 6 the immediately preceding state fiscal year, as determined and 7 reported as described in subsection (1), and at least 4,500 of 8 the pupils in membership in the district or public school academy 9 met the income eligibility criteria for free breakfast, lunch, or 10 milk in the immediately preceding state fiscal year, as deter-11 mined and reported as described in subsection (1). A district or 12 public school academy that is eligible for funding under this 13 section because the district meets the requirements of this sub-14 section shall receive under this section for each membership 15 pupil in the district or public school academy who met the income 16 eligibility criteria for free breakfast, lunch, or milk in the 17 immediately preceding fiscal year, as determined and reported as 18 described in subsection (1), an amount per pupil equal to 5.75% [FOR 2001-2002 AND 11.5% FOR 2002-2003 AND SUBSEQUENT FISCAL YEARS] 19 of the sum of the district's foundation allowance or public 20 school academy's per pupil allocation under section 20, plus the 21 amount of the district's per pupil allocation under section 22 20j(2), not to exceed \$6,500.00 adjusted by the dollar amount of 23 the difference between the basic foundation allowance under sec-24 tion 20 for the current state fiscal year and \$5,000.00. 25 However, beginning in 2002-2003, the \$6,500.00 amount prescribed in this subsection shall be adjusted each year by an amount equal 26

to the dollar amount of the difference between the basic

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- 1 foundation allowance for the current state fiscal year and
- 2 \$5,000.00, minus \$200.00.
- 3 (13) As used in this section, "at-risk pupil" means a pupil
- 4 for whom the district has documentation that the pupil meets at
- 5 least 2 of the following criteria: is a victim of child abuse or
- 6 neglect; is below grade level in English language and communica-
- 7 tion skills or mathematics; is a pregnant teenager or teenage
- 8 parent; is eligible for a federal free or reduced-price lunch
- 9 subsidy; has atypical behavior or attendance patterns; or has a
- 10 family history of school failure, incarceration, or substance
- 11 abuse. For pupils for whom the results of at least the applica-
- 12 ble Michigan education assessment program (MEAP) test have been
- 13 received, at-risk pupil also includes a pupil who does not meet
- 14 the other criteria under this subsection but who did not achieve
- 15 at least a score of moderate on the most recent MEAP reading test
- 16 for which results for the pupil have been received, did not
- 17 achieve at least a score of moderate on the most recent MEAP
- 18 mathematics test for which results for the pupil have been
- 19 received, or did not achieve at least a score of novice on the
- 20 most recent MEAP science test for which results for the pupil
- 21 have been received. For pupils in grades K-3, at-risk pupil also
- 22 includes a pupil who is at risk of not meeting the district's
- 23 core academic curricular objectives in English language, communi-
- 24 cation skills, or mathematics.
- 25 Sec. 31d. (1) From the state school aid fund appropriation
- 26 in section 11, there is allocated an amount not to exceed
- 27 \$14,149,400.00 for 2000-2001, an amount not to exceed

- $\frac{1}{\$15,039,400.00}$ \$16,477,700.00 for 2001-2002 and an amount
- 2 not to exceed $\frac{$15,941,700.00}{$17,337,200.00}$ for 2002-2003, and
- 3 from the general fund appropriation in section 11, there is allo-
- 4 cated an amount not to exceed \$682,300.00 for 2000-2001, an
- 5 amount not to exceed \$722,300.00 for 2001-2002 and an amount
- 6 not to exceed \$762,800.00 for 2002-2003 for the purpose of making
- 7 payments to districts, intermediate districts, and other eligible
- 8 entities under this section.
- 9 (2) The amounts allocated FROM STATE SOURCES under this sec-
- 10 tion shall be used to pay the amount necessary to reimburse dis-
- 11 tricts for 6.0127% of the necessary costs of the state mandated
- 12 portion of the school lunch programs provided by those
- 13 districts. The amount due to each district under this section
- 14 shall be computed by the department using the methods of calcula-
- 15 tion adopted by the Michigan supreme court in the consolidated
- 16 cases known as <u>Durant</u> v <u>State of Michigan</u>, Michigan supreme court
- 17 docket no. 104458-104492.
- 18 (3) The payments made under this section include all state
- 19 payments made to districts so that each district receives at
- 20 least 6.0127% of the necessary costs of operating the state man-
- 21 dated portion of the school lunch program in a fiscal year.
- 22 (4) FROM THE FEDERAL FUNDS APPROPRIATED IN SECTION 11, THERE
- 23 IS ALLOCATED FOR 2002-2003 ALL AVAILABLE FEDERAL FUNDING, ESTI-
- 24 MATED AT \$272,125,000.00, FOR THE NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM
- 25 AND ALL AVAILABLE FEDERAL FUNDING, ESTIMATED AT \$2,506,000.00,
- 26 FOR THE EMERGENCY FOOD ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

- 1 (5) $\frac{(4)}{(4)}$ Notwithstanding section 17b, payments to
- 2 intermediate districts and other eligible entities under this
- 3 section shall be paid on a schedule determined by the
- 4 department.
- 5 Sec. 32a. (1) From the state school aid fund appropriation
- 6 in section 11, there is allocated an amount not to exceed
- 7 \$231,350,000.00 for 2000-2001, an amount not to exceed
- 8 \$189,250,000.00 for 2001-2002 $\overline{}$ and an amount not to exceed
- **9** \$99,251,000.00 FOR 2002-2003 to fund the all students achieve
- 10 program (ASAP) as provided under sections 32b to 32h. In addi-
- 11 tion, from the general fund appropriations in section 11, there
- 12 is allocated an amount not to exceed \$21,250,000.00 for
- 13 $\frac{2000-2001}{1}$, an amount not to exceed \$2,200,100.00 for 2001-2002
- 14 —, AND AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$2,200,000.00 FOR 2002-2003 for
- 15 the purposes of sections 32b to 32h. The programs funded through
- 16 this section are for the purposes of improving parenting skills,
- 17 improving school readiness, reducing the number of pupils
- 18 retained in grade, and reducing the number of pupils requiring
- 19 special education services.
- 20 (2) Each grant recipient approved by the department shall
- 21 implement department-approved data collection methods and evalu-
- 22 ation or assessment tools to measure the impact of the proposed
- 23 program.
- 24 (3) A district shall not use funds received under sections
- 25 32b to 32h to supplant any local or federal funds it currently
- 26 receives. A district may use these funds in combination with

- 1 other federal, local, public, or private funds to enhance
- 2 existing programs with similar purposes.
- 3 Sec. 32b. (1) From the state school aid fund allocation in
- 4 section 32a(1), there is allocated an amount not to exceed
- 5 \$45,000,000.00 for 2000-2001, an amount not to exceed
- 6 \$45,000,000.00 for 2001-2002 —, and \$0.00 for 2002-2003 for
- 7 grants to intermediate districts and districts for programs for
- 8 preschool children and their parents. The purpose of these pro-
- 9 grams is to improve school readiness and foster the maintenance
- 10 of stable families by encouraging positive parenting skills;
- 11 enhancing parent-child interaction; providing learning opportuni-
- 12 ties to promote intellectual, physical, and social growth; and
- 13 promoting access to needed community services through a
- 14 community-school-home partnership that provides parents with
- 15 information on child development from birth to age 5.
- 16 (2) To qualify for funding under this section, a program
- 17 shall meet all of the following:
- 18 (a) The program must provide services to all families with
- 19 children age 5 or younger residing within the intermediate dis-
- 20 trict or district who choose to participate, including at least
- 21 all of the following services:
- 22 (i) Home visits by parent educators trained in child devel-
- 23 opment to help parents understand appropriate expectations for
- 24 each stage of their child's development, to encourage learning
- 25 opportunities, and to promote strong parent-child relationships.
- 26 (ii) Group meetings of participating families.

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- 1 (iii) Periodic developmental screening of the child's
- 2 overall development, health, hearing, and vision.
- 3 (iv) A community resource network that provides referrals to
- 4 other state, local, and private agencies as appropriate to assist
- 5 parents in preparing their children for academic success and to
- 6 foster the maintenance of stable families.
- 7 (v) Connection with quality preschool programs.
- **8** (b) The program must be a collaborative community effort
- 9 that includes at least the intermediate district or district,
- 10 local multipurpose collaborative bodies, local health and welfare
- 11 agencies, and private nonprofit agencies involved in programs and
- 12 services for preschool children and their parents.
- 13 (3) To compete for a grant under this section, an intermedi-
- 14 ate district or district shall apply to the superintendent not
- 15 later than December 1, 2000 in the form and manner prescribed by
- 16 the superintendent. To be considered for a grant under this sec-
- 17 tion, a grant application must provide all of the following in a
- 18 manner prescribed by the department:
- 19 (a) Provide a plan for the delivery of the program compo-
- 20 nents described in subsection (2).
- 21 (b) Demonstrate an adequate collaboration of local entities
- 22 involved in providing programs and services for preschool chil-
- 23 dren and their parents.
- (c) Provide evidence of a review and approval by the local
- 25 multipurpose collaborative body of the program plan.
- 26 (d) Provide a projected budget for the program to be
- 27 funded. The intermediate district shall provide at least a 20%

- 1 local match from local public or private resources for the funds
- 2 received under this section. Not more than 1/2 of this matching
- 3 requirement, up to a total of 10% of the total project budget,
- 4 may be satisfied through in-kind services provided by participat-
- 5 ing providers of programs or services. In addition, not more
- 6 than 10% of the grant may be used for program administration.
- 7 (4) Each successful grant recipient shall agree to include a
- 8 data collection system and an evaluation tool approved by the
- 9 department to measure the impact of the program on improving
- 10 school readiness, reducing the number of children needing special
- 11 education programs and services, and fostering the maintenance of
- 12 stable families. The data collection system shall provide a
- 13 report by October 15 of each year on the number of children in
- 14 families with income below 200% of the federal poverty level that
- 15 received services under this program and the total number of
- 16 children who received services under this program.
- 17 (5) From the general fund allocation under section 32a(1),
- 18 there is allocated an amount not to exceed \$250,000.00 for
- 19 $\frac{2000-2001}{1}$ an amount not to exceed \$100.00 for 2001-2002 -, and
- 20 \$0.00 for 2002-2003 to the department, including the office for
- 21 safe schools, for implementation and evaluation of activities
- 22 under this section. Further, upon receipt of the federal
- 23 drug-free schools grant, the department shall allocate
- 24 \$200,000.00 of that grant to the office for safe schools within
- 25 the department.
- 26 (6) The department and superintendent shall do all of the
- 27 following:

- 1 (a) The department shall make applications available for the
- 2 purposes of this section not later than October 15, 2000.
- 3 (b) The superintendent shall approve or disapprove applica-
- 4 tions and notify the applying intermediate district or district
- 5 of that decision not later than February 1, 2001. Priority in
- 6 awarding grants shall be given to programs that focus on reducing
- 7 the percentage of children needing special education programs and
- 8 services when they enter school. The superintendent shall ensure
- 9 that the intermediate districts and districts receiving grants
- 10 under this section are geographically and economically diverse
- 11 and that not more than 10% of the total allocation under this
- 12 section is paid to any 1 particular intermediate district or
- 13 district.
- (c) The department shall ensure that all programs funded
- 15 under this section utilize the most current validated
- 16 research-based methods and curriculum for providing the program
- 17 components described in subsection (2).
- 18 (d) The department shall submit a report to the legislature,
- 19 the state budget director, and the senate and house fiscal agen-
- 20 cies detailing the evaluations described in subsection (4) by
- 21 December 1 of each year.
- 22 (7) An EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (8), AN
- 23 intermediate district or district receiving funds under this sec-
- 24 tion shall use the funds only for the program funded under this
- 25 section. Grants SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION (8), GRANTS awarded by
- 26 February 1, 2001 may be used for the following school year.

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         (8) A DISTRICT OR INTERMEDIATE DISTRICT RECEIVING FUNDS
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    UNDER THIS SECTION MAY CARRY OVER ANY UNEXPENDED FUNDS RECEIVED
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    UNDER THIS SECTION TO SUBSEQUENT FISCAL YEARS AND MAY EXPEND
    THOSE UNUSED FUNDS IN SUBSEQUENT FISCAL YEARS. NOTWITHSTANDING
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    ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THIS SECTION, FUNDS CARRIED OVER UNDER
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    THIS SUBSECTION MAY BE USED TO FACILITATE PROGRAMS THAT ARE SUB-
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         Sec. 32c. (1) From the general fund allocation in
    section 32a(1), there is allocated an amount not to exceed
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    $2,000,000.00 each fiscal year <del>for 2000-2001 and</del> for 2001-2002
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    -, and \$0.00 AND for 2002-2003 -, to the department for grants
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    for community-based collaborative prevention services designed to
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    foster positive parenting skills; improve parent/child interac-
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    tion, especially for children 0-3 years of age; promote access to
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    needed community services; increase local capacity to serve fami-
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    lies at risk; improve school readiness; and support healthy
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    family environments that discourage alcohol, tobacco, and other
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               The allocation under this section is to fund secondary
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    prevention programs as defined by the children's trust fund for
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    the prevention of child abuse and neglect.
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         (2) The funds allocated under subsection (1) shall be dis-
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    tributed through a joint request for proposals process estab-
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    fund and the state's interagency systems reform workgroup.
    Projects funded with grants awarded under this section shall meet
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- 1 (a) Be secondary prevention initiatives and voluntary to
- 2 consumers. This appropriation is not intended to serve the needs
- 3 of children for whom and families in which neglect or abuse has
- 4 been substantiated.
- 5 (b) Demonstrate that the planned services are part of a
- 6 community's integrated comprehensive family support strategy
- 7 endorsed by the local multi-purpose collaborative body.
- 8 (c) Provide a 25% local match, of which not more than 10%
- 9 may be in-kind services, unless this requirement is waived by the
- 10 interagency systems reform workgroup.
- 11 (3) Notwithstanding section 17b, payments under this section
- 12 may be made pursuant to an agreement with the department.
- 13 Sec. 32d. (1) From the state school aid fund allocation
- 14 under section 32a(1), there is allocated an amount not to exceed
- 15 \$72,600,000.00 each fiscal year for 2000-2001, 2001-2002, AND
- 16 FROM THE STATE SCHOOL AID FUND MONEY ALLOCATED UNDER SECTION 32A,
- 17 THERE IS ALLOCATED AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$72,600,000.00 FOR
- 18 2002-2003, for school readiness grants to enable eligible dis-
- 19 tricts, as determined under section 37, to develop or expand, in
- 20 conjunction with whatever federal funds may be available, includ-
- 21 ing, but not limited to, federal funds under title I of the ele-
- 22 mentary and secondary education act of 1965, Public Law 89-10,
- 23 108 Stat. 3519, chapter 1 of title I of the Hawkins-Stafford ele-
- 24 mentary and secondary school improvement amendments of 1988,
- 25 Public Law 89-10, 102 Stat. 140, and the head start act, subchap-
- 26 ter B of chapter 8 of subtitle A of title VI of the omnibus
- 27 budget reconciliation act of 1981, Public Law 97-35,

Senate Bill No. 1107 1 comprehensive compensatory programs designed to improve the 2 readiness and subsequent achievement of educationally disadvan-3 taged children as defined by the department who will be at least 4 4, but less than 5 years of age, as of December 1 of the school 5 year in which the programs are offered, and who show evidence of 6 2 or more risk factors as defined in the state board report enti-7 tled "children at risk" that was adopted by the state board on 8 April 5, 1988. A comprehensive compensatory program funded under 9 this section shall include an age-appropriate educational curriculum, nutritional services, health screening for participating 10 11 children, a plan for parent and legal guardian involvement, and 12 provision of referral services for families eligible for commu-13 nity social services. In addition, from the general fund allocations under section 32a(1), there is allocated an amount not to 14 15 exceed \$16,250,000.00 for 2000-2001 for the purposes of subsections (2) and (3) and an amount not to exceed \$200,000.00 16 17 -each fiscal year for 2001-2002 for the purposes of 18 subsection (2), AND FROM THE GENERAL FUND MONEY ALLOCATED UNDER SECTION 32A, THERE IS ALLOCATED AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED 19 20 \$200,000.00 FOR 2002-2003 FOR THE PURPOSES OF SUBSECTION (2). 21 (2) From the general fund allocation in subsection (1), there is allocated each fiscal year for -2000-2001, 2001-2002 22 23 ____ AND FOR 2002-2003 an amount not to exceed \$200,000.00 for a 24 competitive grant to continue a longitudinal evaluation of chil-

dren who have participated in the Michigan school readiness

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Senate Bill No. 1107 1 (3) From the general fund allocation in subsection (1), 2 there is allocated an amount not to exceed \$16,050,000.00 for 3 2000-2001 under this subsection to operate new or expanded full-day school readiness or head start programs. The funds 4 5 shall be allocated through a competitive grant process to eligi-6 ble districts that receive funding under subsection (1), to eli-7 gible public or nonprofit entities or agencies that receive fund-8 ing for school readiness programs under the department appropria-9 tions act, or to eligible head start funded programs. The 10 department shall determine the competitive grant criteria. The 11 department may accept available federal funds from the family 12 independence agency to support the program under this 13 subsection. These federal funds include, but are not limited to, 14 federal temporary assistance to needy families funds. 15 (4) A district, entity, or agency receiving funding under subsection (3) that offers head start or school readiness pro-16 17 grams may use the funds to expand the program to operate a full 18 day. 19 (5) A district, entity, or agency receiving funding under 20 subsection (3) shall contribute a local match, which may consist 21 of local, private, or federal funds or in-kind services, totaling 22 at least 50% of the allocation under subsection (3). (6) An application for a grant under subsection (3) shall be 23 24 in the form and manner prescribed by the department. The depart-25 ment shall make the application form available to districts by December 15 of the school year. The application shall include a 26 27 program budget that states all sources of funding to be used for

Senate Bill No. 1107 1 the program. Applications shall be submitted to the department 2 not later than February 1 of the school year. The department 3 shall approve or disapprove the application and notify the applying district, entity, or agency of that decision by April 1 of 4 5 the school year. Funds allocated under subsection (3) for the 6 current fiscal year may be expended through the end of the fol-7 lowing fiscal year. 8 (3) $\overline{(7)}$ A district receiving a grant under this section 9 may contract for the provision of the comprehensive compensatory program or full day school readiness program and retain for 10 11 administrative services an amount equal to not more than 5% of 12 the grant amount. 13 -(8) As used in this section, "full day" means a program 14 that offers supplementary day care and therefore offers full-day 15 programming of at least 10 hours per day as part of its school 16 readiness program. 17 (9) Not more than 10% of the grant funding in this section may be used for start-up, equipment, or other costs not directly 18 19 related to the costs of the program. This does not prohibit any 20 applicant from receiving other available state assistance for 21 these purposes. 22 (4) -(10) A grant recipient receiving funds under this section shall report to the department no later than October 15 of 23 24 each year the number of children participating in the program who 25 meet the income or other eligibility criteria specified under

section 37(3)(g) and the total number of children participating

in the program. For children participating in the program who

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- 1 meet the income or other eligibility criteria specified under
- 2 section 37(3)(g), grant recipients shall also report whether or
- 3 not a parent is available to provide care based on employment
- 4 status. For the purposes of this subsection, "employment status"
- 5 shall be defined by the family independence agency in a manner
- 6 consistent with maximizing the amount of spending that may be
- 7 claimed for temporary assistance for needy families maintenance
- 8 of effort purposes.
- 9 Sec. 32e. (1) From the state school aid fund allocations
- 10 under section 32a(1), there is allocated an amount not to exceed
- 11 \$26,650,000.00 each fiscal year for 2000-2001, for 2001-2002
- 12 AND FOR 2002-2003 for grants to eligible districts for pro-
- 13 grams to maintain or establish small classes in grades K to 3 in
- 14 eligible school buildings in the district.
- 15 (2) For a school building to be eligible for funding under
- 16 this section, the school building must operate at least 1 of
- 17 grades K to 3; the school building must be operated by a district
- 18 that operates all of grades K to 12 and that receives funds under
- 19 section 31a; and at least 50% of the actual pupils enrolled in
- 20 the school building in the immediately preceding fiscal year must
- 21 have been eligible for free lunch, as determined under the
- 22 Richard B. Russell national school lunch act, chapter 281, 60
- 23 Stat. 230, 42 U.S.C. 1751 to 1753, 1755 to 1761, 1762a, 1765 to
- 24 1766a, 1769, 1769b to 1769c, and 1769f to 1769h, and reported to
- 25 the department not later than October 31 of the immediately pre-
- 26 ceding fiscal year and adjusted not later than December 31 of the
- 27 immediately preceding fiscal year.

- 1 (3) Not more than 25% of the total allocation under
- 2 subsection (1) may be paid to any 1 particular district. The
- 3 department shall make allocations under subsection (1) to at
- 4 least 12 districts, and the districts shall be geographically
- 5 diverse.
- **6** (4) A district receiving funds under subsection (1) shall
- 7 use the funds to maintain or establish small classes in grades K
- 8 to 3 in school buildings of the district for which funds are
- 9 received under this section. The average class size shall be not
- 10 more than 17 pupils per class, with not more than 19 pupils in
- 11 any particular class. Each fiscal year, a district receiving
- 12 funds under subsection (1) shall use at least \$2,000,000.00 or
- 13 25% of the funds the district receives for the fiscal year under
- 14 section 31a, whichever is less, for the purposes of this
- 15 section.
- 16 (5) Except as otherwise provided in this section, funding to
- 17 districts under this section for 2000-2001 is intended to be for
- 18 the third of 5 years of funding under this section and former
- 19 section 31c, funding to districts under this section for
- 20 2001-2002 is intended to be for the fourth of 5 years of funding
- 21 under this section and former section 31c, and funding under this
- 22 section for 2002-2003 is intended to be for the fifth of 5 years
- 23 of funding under this section and former section 31c. For dis-
- 24 tricts receiving funding under this section for the first time
- 25 from the additional \$6,900,000.00 allocated under this section
- 26 for 2000-2001, as compared to the funding under former section
- 27 31c, funding to those districts under this section for 2000-2001

- 1 is intended to be for the first of 3 years of funding, funding to
- 2 those districts under this section for 2001-2002 is intended to
- 3 be for the second of 3 years of funding, and funding to those
- 4 districts under this section for 2002-2003 is intended to be for
- 5 the third of 3 years of funding.
- **6** (6) The funds allocated under this section for a fiscal year
- 7 may be expended after the fiscal year through the end of either
- 8 the fifth fiscal year of funding under this section and former
- 9 section 31c or the final fiscal year of funding under this sec-
- 10 tion and former section 31c, whichever occurs earlier.
- 11 Sec. 32f. (1) From the state school aid fund allocation
- 12 under section 32a(1), there is allocated for 2000-2001 an amount
- 13 not to exceed \$57,500,000.00, for 2001-2002 an amount not to
- **14** exceed \$45,000,000.00 —, and for 2002-2003 \$0.00, for grants
- 15 under this section. From the general fund allocation under sec-
- 16 tion 32a(1), there is allocated for 2000-2001 an amount not to
- 17 exceed \$2,750,000.00 for the purposes of subsections (4) and (5),
- 18 and there is allocated each fiscal year for 2001-2002 and for
- **19** 2002-2003 \$0.00 for the purposes of subsection -(4) (3).
- 20 (2) From the allocation in subsection (1), there is allo-
- 21 cated for 2000-2001 an amount not to exceed \$5,000,000.00, for
- 22 2001-2002 an amount not to exceed \$2,000,000.00 —, and for
- 23 2002-2003 \$0.00, for providing grants to the 8 regional literacy
- 24 centers for the purposes of expanding training programs for
- 25 trainers and teachers in the use of strategies for reading
- 26 instruction and assessment, including the Michigan literacy
- 27 progress profile.

Senate Bill No. 1107 1 (3) From the allocation in subsection (1), there is 2 allocated for 2000-2001 an amount not to exceed \$2,500,000.00 for 3 competitive grants to higher education institutions for the 4 development or enhancement of programs to meet the needs of 5 autism impaired pupils. These programs may include, but are not 6 limited to, student intervention centers on campus. 7 (3) -(4) From the general fund allocation in subsection 8 (1), there is allocated to the department an amount not to exceed \$2,500,000.00 for 2000-2001 and \$0.00 each fiscal year 9 for 2001-2002 and for 2002-2003 for the development and dissemi-10 11 nation of read, educate, and develop youth (READY) kits to par-12 ents of preschool and kindergarten children to provide these par-13 ents with information about how they can prepare their children 14 for reading success. 15 (4) $\overline{(5)}$ From the general fund allocation in subsection (1), there is allocated to the department for 2000-2001 an 16 17 amount not to exceed \$250,000.00 and each fiscal year for 18 2001-2002 and 2002-2003 \$0.00 for the grant review process and 19 grant administration under this section. 20 (5) -(6) Except as otherwise provided in subsection -(18)21 (17), to be eligible for a grant under this section, a district 22 must have had at least 1,500 pupils in membership in 1998-99, and 23 the number of pupils in the district that have been determined to have a specific learning disability according to R 340.1713 of 24 the Michigan administrative code, as determined in the December 25 1, 1998 head count required under the individuals with 26 disabilities education act, title VI of Public Law 91-230, must 27

Senate Bill No. 1107 1 equal or exceed 5% of the district's membership. In addition, a district is eligible for a grant under this section if the dis-2 3 trict had at least 1,500 pupils in membership in 1998-99 and if not more than 41% of the district's pupils who took the spring 4 5 1999 fourth grade MEAP reading test achieved a score of at least 6 satisfactory. Except as otherwise provided in subsection -(18)7 (17), for a public school academy to be eligible for a grant 8 under this section, the public school academy must be located in 9 a district that is eligible under this subsection. 10 (6) $\frac{1}{1}$ From the allocation in subsection (1), there is allocated for 2000-2001 an amount not to exceed \$50,000,000.00, 11 12 for 2001-2002 an amount not to exceed \$43,000,000.00 —, and for 13 2002-2003 \$0.00, for competitive grants to eligible districts, to 14 intermediate districts, and to public school academies located 15 within eligible districts for reading improvements programs for pupils in grades K to 4, reading disorders and reading methods 16 17 programs, mentoring programs, language and literacy outreach pro-18 grams, or cognitive development programs. For 2001-2002, grants 19 under this subsection shall be paid to grant recipients in the 20 same proportion of the total allocation under this subsection as 21 for 2000-2001. If the legislature enacts legislation authorizing 22 the appropriation of federal funds for reading improvement pro-23 grams for 2001-2002 or for 2002-2003, then it is the intent of 24 the legislature that these funds be used to the extent possible for the purposes of this subsection. Federal funds received for 25 reading improvement programs that can be used for substantially 26

similar purposes as described under this section shall be first

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- 1 expended for the purposes of this subsection before funds
- 2 appropriated from the state school aid fund allocated under this
- 3 subsection, and the expenditure of funds under this subsection
- 4 from the state school aid fund shall be reduced by an amount
- 5 equal to the amount of the expenditure of federal funds under
- 6 this subsection. If any conflict exists between federal reading
- 7 program guidelines and this section, federal law will control.
- 8 (7) $\frac{-(8)}{}$ Except as otherwise provided in subsection $\frac{-(18)}{}$
- 9 (17), to qualify for funding under this section, a proposed read-
- 10 ing improvement program must meet all of the following:
- 11 (a) The program shall include assessment of reading skills
- 12 of pupils in grades K to 4 to identify those pupils who are read-
- 13 ing below grade level and must provide special reading assistance
- 14 for these pupils.
- 15 (b) The program shall be a research-based, validated, struc-
- 16 tured reading program.
- 17 (c) The program shall include continuous assessment of
- 18 pupils and individualized education plans for pupils.
- (d) The program shall align learning resources to state
- 20 standards.
- 21 (e) For each school building receiving funding under this
- 22 section for a reading improvement program, the program shall
- 23 serve at least 25% of pupils who are identified as at-risk, as
- 24 determined by the Michigan literacy progress profile, of reading
- 25 failure, and the amount of the grant shall not exceed \$85,000.00
- 26 per school building annually.

Senate Bill No. 1107 1 (8) $\frac{(9)}{}$ Funds allocated for programs described in subsection $\frac{-(8)}{-(7)}$ (7) may be used to reimburse grant recipients 2 3 for funds paid by districts for up to 1/2 of the salaries and benefits for each teacher trained and certified to provide a 4 5 reading improvement program. 6 (9) -(10) Except as otherwise provided under subsection 7 -(18) (17), to qualify for funding under this section, a pro-8 posed mentoring program must be a research-based, validated pro-9 gram or a statewide 1-to-1 mentoring program to enhance the independence and life quality of pupils who are mentally impaired by 10 11 providing opportunities for mentoring and integrated employment. 12 (10) $\overline{-(11)}$ Except as otherwise provided under subsection 13 -(18) (17), to qualify for funding under this section, a pro-14 posed cognitive development program must be a research-based, 15 validated educational service program, focused on assessing and 16 building essential cognitive and perceptual learning abilities to 17 strengthen pupil concentration and learning. 18 (11) $\frac{}{}$ Except as otherwise provided under subsection 19 $\overline{(18)}$ (17), to qualify for funding under this section, a pro-20 posed structured mentoring-tutorial reading program for preschool 21 to grade 4 pupils must be a research-based, validated program 22 that develops individualized instructional plans based on each pupil's age, assessed needs, reading level, interests, and learn-23 24 ing style. 25 (12) $\overline{(13)}$ A program receiving funding under this section may be conducted outside of regular school hours or outside the 26

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regular school calendar.

Senate Bill No. 1107 1 (13) -(14) To compete for a grant under this section, an 2 applicant shall apply to the superintendent in the form and 3 manner prescribed by the superintendent. The department shall make applications available for this purpose. An applicant shall 4 5 include in its application a projected budget for the programs. 6 The grant recipient shall provide at least a 20% local match from 7 local public or private resources for the funds received under 8 this section. Not more than 1/2 of this matching requirement, up 9 to a total of 10% of the total project budget, may be satisfied through in-kind services provided by participating providers of 10 programs or services. In addition, not more than 10% of the 11 12 grant may be used for program administration. 13 (14) -(15) The superintendent shall approve or disapprove 14 applications and notify the applicant of that decision. Priority 15 in awarding grants shall be given to programs that focus on 16 accelerating student achievement on a cost-effective basis, 17 reducing the number of pupils requiring special education programs and services, and improving pupil scores on standardized 18 19 tests and assessments. 20 (15) - (16) A grant recipient receiving funds under this 21 section shall report to the department, in the form and manner 22 prescribed by the department, on the results achieved by the program. At a minimum, the grant recipient shall report to the 23 department by October 15 regarding the program's impact on reduc-24

ing the number of pupils requiring special education programs and

services and on improving pupil scores on standardized tests and

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- 1 of pupil improvement. In addition, the report shall state the
- 2 number of pupils eligible for free or reduced price school lunch
- 3 who received services under the program and the total number of
- 4 pupils who received services under the program. Not later than
- 5 November 15 of each fiscal year, the department shall submit a
- 6 report to the legislature, the state budget director, and the
- 7 senate and house fiscal agencies detailing the results of the
- 8 programs. It is the intent of the legislature that further fund-
- 9 ing for the programs under this section will reflect the results
- 10 achieved in these programs.
- 11 (16) -(17) Notwithstanding section 17b, payments under this
- 12 section shall be paid on a schedule determined by the
- 13 department.
- 14 (17) (18) For a district or public school academy awarded
- 15 a grant under former section 32, the determination of whether the
- 16 district or public school academy is eligible for a grant under
- 17 this section may be made according to the eligibility standards
- 18 in effect under former section 32. Further, the district or
- 19 public school academy may continue to use the grant proceeds for
- 20 any use permissible under this section or former section 32 as in
- 21 effect at the time the district or public school academy was
- 22 awarded the grant.
- 23 (18) $\frac{1}{1}$ If the maximum amount appropriated under this
- 24 section exceeds the amount necessary to fully fund allocations
- 25 under this section, that excess amount shall not be expended in
- 26 that state fiscal year but shall instead be carried forward to

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    the succeeding fiscal year and added to any funds appropriated
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         (19) - (20) A district that received funding for 1999-2000
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         (20) A DISTRICT OR INTERMEDIATE DISTRICT RECEIVING FUNDS
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         Sec. 32h. From the school aid fund allocation under
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    amount not to exceed $1,600,000.00 $1,000.00 to provide addi-
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    tional resources for coordinating counseling services or for pay-
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    ments to districts to make tuition grants for higher education
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    programs that lead to a degree in school counseling.
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         SEC. 32I. IF IT IS DETERMINED AT THE MAY 2002 REVENUE ESTI-
    MATING CONFERENCE CONDUCTED UNDER SECTION 367B OF THE MANAGEMENT
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    AND BUDGET ACT, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1367B, THAT THERE IS ADDI-
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    JANUARY 2002 REVENUE ESTIMATING CONFERENCE, THEN IT IS THE INTENT
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    THAT REVENUES ARE AVAILABLE, THE SAME PROGRAMS THAT WERE FUNDED
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- 1 UNDER SECTIONS 32B, 32C, 32F(2), AND 32F(7) IN 2001-2002 AND
- 2 UNDER SECTION 32D(3) IN 2000-2001.
- 3 Sec. 37. (1) A district is eligible for an allocation under
- 4 section 36 or, beginning in 2000-2001, section 32d -, if the
- 5 district meets all of the requirements in subsections (2), (3),
- 6 and (4).
- 7 (2) The district shall submit a preapplication, in a manner
- 8 and on forms prescribed by the department, by a date specified by
- 9 the department in the immediately preceding state fiscal year.
- 10 The preapplication shall include a comprehensive needs assessment
- 11 and community collaboration plan, and shall identify all of the
- 12 following:
- 13 (a) The estimated total number of children in the community
- 14 who meet the criteria of section 36 or, beginning in 2000-2001,
- 15 section 32d, 32D and how that calculation was made.
- 16 (b) The estimated number of children in the community who
- 17 meet the criteria of section 36 or, beginning in 2000-2001, sec-
- 18 tion 32d, 32D and are being served by other early childhood
- 19 development programs operating in the community, and how that
- 20 calculation was made.
- 21 (c) The number of children the district will be able to
- 22 serve who meet the criteria of section 36 or, beginning in
- 23 2000-2001, section 32d, 32D including a verification of physical
- 24 facility and staff resources capacity.
- 25 (d) The estimated number of children who meet the criteria
- 26 of section 36 or, beginning in 2000-2001, section 32d, 32D who
- 27 will remain unserved after the district and community early

- 1 childhood programs have met their funded enrollments. The school
- 2 district shall maintain a waiting list of identified unserved
- 3 eligible children who would be served when openings are
- 4 available.
- 5 (3) The district shall submit a final application for
- 6 approval, in a manner and on forms prescribed by the department,
- 7 by a date specified by the department. The final application
- 8 shall indicate all of the following that apply:
- 9 (a) The district complies with the state board approved
- 10 standards of quality and curriculum guidelines for early child-
- 11 hood programs for 4-year-olds.
- 12 (b) The district provides for the active and continuous par-
- 13 ticipation of parents or guardians of the children in the pro-
- 14 gram, and describes the district's participation plan as part of
- 15 the application.
- (c) The district only employs for this program the
- 17 following:
- 18 (i) Teachers possessing proper training, including, but not
- 19 limited to, a valid teaching certificate and an early childhood
- 20 (ZA) endorsement. This provision does not apply to a district
- 21 that subcontracts with an eligible child development program. In
- 22 that situation a teacher must have a valid teaching certificate
- 23 and may have a child development associate credential (CDA)
- 24 instead of an early childhood (ZA) endorsement.
- 25 (ii) Paraprofessionals possessing proper training in early
- 26 childhood development or who have completed at least 1 course in
- 27 an appropriate training program, including, but not limited to, a

- 1 child development associate credential (CDA) or associate degree
- 2 in child development or other similar program, as approved by the
- 3 department.
- 4 (d) The district has submitted for approval a program budget
- 5 that includes only those costs not reimbursed or reimbursable by
- 6 federal funding, that are clearly and directly attributable to
- 7 the early childhood readiness program, and that would not be
- 8 incurred if the program were not being offered. If children
- 9 other than those determined to be educationally disadvantaged
- 10 participate in the program, state reimbursement under section $\frac{36}{}$
- 11 or, beginning in 2000-2001, under section 32d shall be limited
- 12 to the portion of approved costs attributable to educationally
- 13 disadvantaged children.
- 14 (e) The district has established a school readiness advisory
- 15 committee consisting of, at a minimum, classroom teachers for
- 16 prekindergarten, kindergarten, and first grade; parents or guard-
- 17 ians of program participants; representatives from appropriate
- 18 community agencies and organizations; the district curriculum
- 19 director or equivalent administrator; and, if feasible, a school
- 20 psychologist, school social worker, or school counselor. In
- 21 addition, there shall be on the committee at least 1 parent or
- 22 guardian of a program participant for every 18 children enrolled
- 23 in the program, with a minimum of 2 parent or guardian
- 24 representatives. The committee shall do all of the following:
- 25 (i) Ensure the ongoing articulation of the early childhood,
- 26 kindergarten, and first grade programs offered by the district.

- 1 (ii) Review the mechanisms and criteria used to determine
- 2 participation in the early childhood program.
- 3 (iii) Review the health screening program for all
- 4 participants.
- 5 (iv) Review the nutritional services provided to program
- 6 participants.
- 7 (v) Review the mechanisms in place for the referral of fami-
- 8 lies to community social service agencies, as appropriate.
- $\mathbf{9}$ (vi) Review the collaboration with and the involvement of
- 10 appropriate community, volunteer, and social service agencies and
- 11 organizations in addressing all aspects of educational
- 12 disadvantage.
- 13 (vii) Review, evaluate, and make recommendations to a local
- 14 school readiness program or programs for changes to the school
- 15 readiness program.
- (f) The district has submitted for departmental approval a
- 17 plan to conduct and report annual school readiness program evalu-
- 18 ations using criteria approved by the department. At a minimum,
- 19 the evaluations shall include assessment of the gains in educa-
- 20 tional readiness and progress through first grade of children
- 21 participating in the school readiness program.
- 22 (g) More than 50% of the children participating in the pro-
- 23 gram meet the income eligibility criteria for free or reduced
- 24 price lunch, as determined under the Richard B. Russell national
- 25 school lunch act, chapter 281, 60 Stat. 230, 42 U.S.C. 1751 to
- **26** 1753, 1755 to 1761, 1762a, 1765 to 1766a, 1769, 1769b to 1769c,
- 27 and 1769f to 1769h, or meet the income and all other eligibility

- 1 criteria for the family independence agency unified child day
- 2 care program.
- 3 (4) A consortium of 2 or more districts shall be eligible
- 4 for an allocation under section 36 or, beginning in 2000-2001,
- 5 section 32d, 32D if the districts designate a single fiscal
- 6 agent for the allocation. A district or intermediate district
- 7 may administer a consortium described in this subsection. A con-
- 8 sortium shall submit a single preapplication and application for
- 9 the children to be served, regardless of the number of districts
- 10 participating in the consortium.
- 11 (5) With the final application, an applicant district shall
- 12 submit to the department a resolution adopted by its board certi-
- 13 fying the number of 4-year-old children who show evidence of risk
- 14 factors as described in section 36 or, beginning in 2000-2001,
- 15 section 32d, 32D who meet the income eligibility criteria for
- 16 free or reduced price lunch or the income and all other eligibil-
- 17 ity criteria for the family independence agency unified child day
- 18 care program, and who will participate in a school readiness pro-
- 19 gram funded under section 36 or, beginning in 2000-2001,
- 20 section 32d.
- 21 Sec. 38. The maximum number of prekindergarten children
- 22 construed to be in need of special readiness assistance under
- 23 section 36 or, beginning in 2000-2001, section 32d shall be
- 24 calculated for each district in the following manner: one-half
- 25 of the percentage of the district's pupils in grades 1-5 who are
- 26 eligible for free lunch, as determined by the district's October
- 27 count in the immediately preceding school year under the Richard

- 1 B. Russell national school lunch act, chapter 281, 60 Stat. 230,
- 2 42 U.S.C. 1751 to 1753, 1755 to 1761, 1762a, 1765 to 1766a, 1769,
- 3 1769b to 1769c, and 1769f to 1769h, as reported to the department
- 4 not later than December 31 of the immediately preceding fiscal
- 5 year, shall be multiplied by the average kindergarten enrollment
- 6 of the district on the pupil membership count day of the 2 imme-
- 7 diately preceding years.
- 8 Sec. 39. (1) The tentative allocation for each fiscal year
- 9 to each eligible district under section 36 or, beginning in
- 10 2000-2001, section 32d shall be determined by multiplying the
- 11 number of children determined in section 38 or the number of
- 12 children the district indicates it will be able to serve under
- 13 section 37(2)(c), whichever is less, by \$3,100.00 or, beginning
- 14 in 2000-2001, by \$3,300.00 and shall be distributed among dis-
- 15 tricts in decreasing order of concentration of eligible children
- 16 as determined by section 38 until the money allocated in section
- 17 -36 or, beginning in 2000-2001, section 32d is distributed.
- 18 (2) A district that has not less than 50 eligible children
- 19 shall receive priority over other eligible districts other than
- 20 those districts funded under subsection (3).
- 21 (3) A district that received funds under this section in at
- 22 least 1 of the 2 immediately preceding fiscal years shall receive
- 23 priority in funding over other eligible districts. However,
- 24 funding beyond 3 state fiscal years is contingent upon the avail-
- 25 ability of funds and documented evidence satisfactory to the
- 26 department of compliance with all operational, fiscal,
- 27 administrative, and other program requirements.

- 1 (4) A district that offers supplementary day care funded by
- 2 funds other than those received under this section and therefore
- 3 offers full-day programs as part of its early childhood develop-
- 4 ment program shall receive priority in the allocation of funds
- 5 under this section over other eligible districts other than those
- 6 districts funded under subsection (3).
- 7 (5) For any district with 315 or more eligible pupils, the
- 8 number of eligible pupils shall be 65% of the number calculated
- 9 under section 38. However, none of these districts may have less
- 10 than 315 pupils for purposes of calculating the tentative alloca-
- 11 tion under section -36 or, beginning in 2000-2001, section 32d.
- 12 (6) If, taking into account the total amount to be allocated
- 13 to the district as calculated under this section, a district
- 14 determines that it is able to include additional eligible chil-
- 15 dren in the school readiness program without additional funds
- 16 under this section, the district may include additional eligible
- 17 children but shall not receive additional funding under this sec-
- 18 tion for those children.
- 19 SEC. 39A. (1) FROM THE APPROPRIATION IN SECTION 11, THERE
- 20 IS ALLOCATED FOR 2002-2003 TO DISTRICTS, INTERMEDIATE DISTRICTS,
- 21 AND OTHER ELIGIBLE ENTITIES ALL AVAILABLE FEDERAL FUNDING, ESTI-
- 22 MATED AT \$651,338,200.00, FOR THE FEDERAL "NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND
- 23 ACT" PROGRAMS UNDER PUBLIC LAW 107-116. THESE FUNDS ARE ALLO-
- 24 CATED AS FOLLOWS:
- 25 (A) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$1,648,300.00 FOR COMMUNITY SERV-
- 26 ICE STATE GRANTS, FUNDED FROM DED-OESE, COMMUNITY SERVICE STATE
- **27** GRANT FUNDS.

- 1 (B) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$16,758,400.00 TO PROVIDE
- 2 STUDENTS WITH DRUG- AND VIOLENCE-PREVENTION PROGRAMS AND TO
- 3 IMPLEMENT STRATEGIES TO IMPROVE SCHOOL SAFETY, FUNDED FROM
- 4 DED-OESE, DRUG-FREE SCHOOLS AND COMMUNITIES FUNDS.
- 5 (C) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$22,572,000.00 FOR THE PURPOSE OF
- 6 IMPROVING TEACHING AND LEARNING THROUGH A MORE EFFECTIVE USE OF
- 7 TECHNOLOGY, FUNDED FROM DED-OESE, EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY STATE
- 8 GRANT FUNDS.
- 9 (D) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$106,770,200.00 FOR THE PURPOSE
- 10 OF PREPARING, TRAINING, AND RECRUITING HIGH-QUALITY TEACHERS AND
- 11 CLASS SIZE REDUCTION, FUNDED FROM DED-OESE, IMPROVING TEACHER
- 12 QUALITY FUNDS.
- 13 (E) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$4,647,700.00 FOR PROGRAMS TO
- 14 TEACH ENGLISH TO LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENT (LEP) CHILDREN,
- 15 FUNDED FROM DED-OESE, LANGUAGE ACQUISITION STATE GRANT FUNDS.
- 16 (F) AN AMOUNT ESTABLISHED AT \$9,000,000.00 FOR THE MICHIGAN
- 17 CHARTER SCHOOL SUBGRANT PROGRAM, FUNDED FROM DED-OESE, CHARTER
- 18 SCHOOL FUNDS.
- 19 (G) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$247,600.00 FOR MICHIGAN MODEL
- 20 PARTNERSHIP FOR CHARACTER EDUCATION PROGRAMS, FUNDED FROM
- 21 DED-OESE, TITLE X, FUND FOR IMPROVEMENT OF EDUCATION FUNDS.
- 22 (H) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$1,909,600.00 FOR RURAL AND LOW
- 23 INCOME SCHOOLS, FUNDED FROM DED-OESE, RURAL AND LOW INCOME SCHOOL
- 24 FUNDS.
- 25 (I) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$11,123,700.00 TO HELP SCHOOLS
- 26 DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOL REFORM PROGRAMS,

- 1 FUNDED FROM DED-OESE, TITLE I AND TITLE X, COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOL
- 2 REFORM FUNDS.
- 3 (J) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$409,650,700.00 TO PROVIDE SUP-
- 4 PLEMENTAL PROGRAMS TO ENABLE EDUCATIONALLY DISADVANTAGED CHILDREN
- 5 TO MEET CHALLENGING ACADEMIC STANDARDS, FUNDED FROM DED-OESE,
- 6 TITLE I, DISADVANTAGED CHILDREN FUNDS.
- 7 (K) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$8,334,400.00 FOR THE PURPOSE OF
- 8 PROVIDING UNIFIED FAMILY LITERACY PROGRAMS, FUNDED FROM DED-OESE,
- 9 TITLE I, EVEN START FUNDS.
- 10 (1) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$8,879,300.00 FOR THE PURPOSE OF
- 11 IDENTIFYING AND SERVING MIGRANT CHILDREN, FUNDED FROM DED-OESE,
- 12 TITLE I, MIGRANT EDUCATION FUNDS.
- 13 (M) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$27,050,000.00 TO PROMOTE
- 14 HIGH-QUALITY SCHOOL READING INSTRUCTION FOR GRADES K-3, FUNDED
- 15 FROM DED-OESE, TITLE I, READING FIRST STATE GRANT FUNDS.
- 16 (N) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$11,585,100.00 FOR THE PURPOSE OF
- 17 IMPLEMENTING INNOVATIVE STRATEGIES FOR IMPROVING STUDENT ACHIEVE-
- 18 MENT, FUNDED FROM DED-OESE, TITLE VI, INNOVATIVE STRATEGIES
- 19 FUNDS.
- 20 (O) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$11,161,200.00 FOR THE PURPOSE OF
- 21 PROVIDING HIGH-QUALITY EXTENDED LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES, AFTER
- 22 SCHOOL AND DURING THE SUMMER, FOR CHILDREN IN LOW-PERFORMING
- 23 SCHOOLS, FUNDED FROM DED-OESE, TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY COMMUNITY
- 24 LEARNING CENTER FUNDS.
- 25 (2) FROM THE FEDERAL FUNDS APPROPRIATION IN SECTION 11,
- 26 THERE IS ALLOCATED FOR 2002-2003 TO DISTRICTS, INTERMEDIATE
- 27 DISTRICTS, AND OTHER ELIGIBLE ENTITIES ALL AVAILABLE FEDERAL

- 1 FUNDING, ESTIMATED AT \$6,595,300.00, FOR THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS
- 2 THAT ARE FUNDED BY FEDERAL GRANTS:
- 3 (A) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$600,000.00 FOR ACQUIRED IMMUNO-
- 4 DEFICIENCY SYNDROME EDUCATION GRANTS, FUNDED FROM HHS-CENTER FOR
- 5 DISEASE CONTROL, AIDS FUNDING.
- 6 (B) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$976,000.00 FOR AT-RISK CHILD
- 7 CARE, FUNDED FROM HHS-ACF, AT-RISK CHILD CARE FUNDS.
- 8 (C) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$1,553,500.00 FOR EMERGENCY SERV-
- 9 ICES TO IMMIGRANTS, FUNDED FROM DED-OBEMLA, EMERGENCY IMMIGRANT
- 10 EDUCATION ASSISTANCE FUNDS.
- 11 (D) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$1,468,300.00 TO PROVIDE SERVICES
- 12 TO HOMELESS CHILDREN AND YOUTH, FUNDED FROM DED-OVAE, HOMELESS
- 13 CHILDREN AND YOUTH FUNDS.
- 14 (E) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$300,000.00 FOR REFUGEE CHILDREN
- 15 SCHOOL IMPACT GRANTS, FUNDED FROM HHS-ACF, REFUGEE CHILDREN
- 16 SCHOOL IMPACT FUNDS.
- 17 (F) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$857,500.00 FOR SCHOOL-AGE CHILD
- 18 CARE GRANTS, FUNDED FROM HHS-ACF, DEPENDENT CARE BLOCK GRANT
- **19** FUNDS.
- 20 (G) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$840,000.00 FOR SERVE AMERICA
- 21 GRANTS, FUNDED FROM THE CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY
- 22 SERVICE FUNDS.
- 23 (3) ALL FEDERAL FUNDS ALLOCATED UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BE
- 24 DISTRIBUTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH FEDERAL LAW AND WITH FLEXIBILITY
- 25 PROVISIONS OUTLINED IN PUBLIC LAW 107-116 AND IN THE EDUCATION
- 26 FLEXIBILITY PARTNERSHIP ACT OF 1999, PUBLIC LAW 106-25, 113
- 27 STAT. 41. NOTWITHSTANDING SECTION 17B, PAYMENTS OF FEDERAL FUNDS

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- 1 TO DISTRICTS, INTERMEDIATE DISTRICTS, AND OTHER ELIGIBLE ENTITIES
- 2 UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BE PAID ON A SCHEDULE DETERMINED BY THE
- **3** DEPARTMENT.
- 4 (4) IT IS THE INTENT OF THE LEGISLATURE THAT THE FUNDS ALLO-
- 5 CATED UNDER THIS SECTION BE USED TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE FOR THE
- 6 SAME PURPOSES AS SECTIONS 32B, 32E, 32F, AND 32H. IF ANY CON-
- 7 FLICT EXISTS BETWEEN FEDERAL PROGRAM GUIDELINES AND THIS SUBSEC-
- 8 TION, FEDERAL LAW WILL CONTROL.
- 9 (5) AS USED IN THIS SECTION:
- 10 (A) "DED" MEANS THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.
- 11 (B) "DED-OBEMLA" MEANS THE DED OFFICE OF BILINGUAL EDUCATION
- 12 AND MINORITY LANGUAGES AFFAIRS.
- 13 (C) "DED-OESE" MEANS THE DED OFFICE OF ELEMENTARY AND SEC-
- 14 ONDARY EDUCATION.
- 15 (D) "DED-OVAE" MEANS THE DED OFFICE OF VOCATIONAL AND ADULT
- 16 EDUCATION.
- 17 (E) "HHS" MEANS THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND
- 18 HUMAN SERVICES.
- 19 (F) "HHS-ACF" MEANS THE HHS ADMINISTRATION FOR CHILDREN AND
- 20 FAMILIES.
- 21 Sec. 41. From the appropriation in section 11, there is
- 22 allocated an amount not to exceed \$4,212,000.00 each fiscal year
- 23 for 2000-2001, for 2001-2002 , AND FOR 2002-2003 to applicant
- 24 districts and intermediate districts offering programs of bilin-
- 25 gual instruction for pupils of limited English-speaking ability
- 26 under section 1153 of the revised school code, MCL 380.1153.
- 27 Reimbursement shall be on a per pupil basis and shall be based on

- 1 the number of pupils of limited English-speaking ability in
- 2 membership on the pupil membership count day. Funds allocated
- 3 under this section shall be used solely for bilingual instruction
- 4 in speaking, reading, writing, or comprehension of pupils of
- 5 limited English-speaking ability.
- 6 Sec. 51a. (1) From the appropriation in section 11, there
- 7 is allocated for 2000-2001 an amount not to exceed
- 8 \$739,021,900.00 from state sources and all available federal
- 9 funding under sections 611 to 619 of part B of the individuals
- 10 with disabilities education act, title VI of Public Law 91-230,
- 11 20 U.S.C. 1411 to 1419, estimated at \$160,000,000.00, plus any
- 12 carryover federal funds from previous year appropriations; there
- 13 is allocated for 2001-2002 an amount not to exceed
- 14 \$\frac{\$794,821,900.00}{}\$796,401,900.00 from state sources and all
- 15 available federal funding UNDER SECTIONS 611 TO 619 OF PART B OF
- 16 THE INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES EDUCATION ACT, TITLE VI OF
- 17 PUBLIC LAW 91-230, 20 U.S.C. 1411 TO 1419, estimated at
- 18 \$203,000,000.00, plus any carryover federal funds from previous
- 19 year appropriations; and there is allocated for 2002-2003 an
- 20 amount not to exceed $\frac{$848,661,900.00}{$852,721,900.00}$ from state
- 21 sources and all available federal funding, estimated at
- 22 \$235,000,000.00, plus any carryover federal funds from previous
- 23 year appropriations. The allocations under this subsection are
- 24 for the purpose of reimbursing districts and intermediate dis-
- 25 tricts for special education programs, services, and special edu-
- 26 cation personnel as prescribed in article 3 of the revised school
- 27 code, MCL 380.1701 to 380.1766; net tuition payments made by

- 1 intermediate districts to the Michigan schools for the deaf and
- 2 blind; and special education programs and services for pupils who
- 3 are eligible for special education programs and services accord-
- 4 ing to statute or rule. For meeting the costs of special educa-
- 5 tion programs and services not reimbursed under this article, a
- 6 district or intermediate district may use money in general funds
- 7 or special education funds, not otherwise restricted, or contri-
- 8 butions from districts to intermediate districts, tuition pay-
- 9 ments, gifts and contributions from individuals, or federal funds
- 10 that may be available for this purpose, as determined by the
- 11 intermediate district plan prepared pursuant to article 3 of the
- 12 revised school code, MCL 380.1701 to 380.1766. ALL FEDERAL FUNDS
- 13 ALLOCATED UNDER THIS SECTION IN EXCESS OF THOSE ALLOCATED UNDER
- 14 THIS SECTION FOR 2001-2002 MAY BE DISTRIBUTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH
- 15 34 C.F.R. 300.234 AND SECTION 613(a)(2)(D) OF PART B OF TITLE VI
- 16 OF THE INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES EDUCATION ACT, PUBLIC LAW
- 17 91-230, 20 U.S.C. 1413. NOTWITHSTANDING SECTION 17B, PAYMENTS OF
- 18 FEDERAL FUNDS TO DISTRICTS, INTERMEDIATE DISTRICTS, AND OTHER
- 19 ELIGIBLE ENTITIES UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BE PAID ON A SCHEDULE
- 20 DETERMINED BY THE DEPARTMENT.
- 21 (2) From the funds allocated under subsection (1), there is
- 23 the amount necessary, estimated at \$\frac{\$128,200,000.00}{\text{for}}\$
- **24** 2000-2001, \$138,000,000.00 \$139,200,000.00 for 2001-2002, and
- 25 $\frac{$148,000,000.00}{}$ \$149,500,000.00 for 2002-2003, for payments
- 26 toward reimbursing districts and intermediate districts for
- 27 28.6138% of total approved costs of special education, excluding

- 1 costs reimbursed under section 53a, and 70.4165% of total
- 2 approved costs of special education transportation. Allocations
- 3 under this subsection shall be made as follows:
- 4 (a) The initial amount allocated to a district under this
- 5 subsection toward fulfilling the specified percentages shall be
- 6 calculated by multiplying the district's special education pupil
- 7 membership, excluding pupils described in subsection (12), times
- 8 the sum of the foundation allowance under section 20 of the
- 9 pupil's district of residence plus the amount of the district's
- 10 per pupil allocation under section 20j(2), not to exceed
- 11 \$6,500.00 adjusted by the dollar amount of the difference between
- 12 the basic foundation allowance under section 20 for the current
- 13 fiscal year and \$5,000.00, or, for a special education pupil in
- 14 membership in a district that is a public school academy or uni-
- 15 versity school, times an amount equal to the amount per member-
- 16 ship pupil calculated under section 20(6). For an intermediate
- 17 district, the amount allocated under this subdivision toward ful-
- 18 filling the specified percentages shall be an amount per special
- 19 education membership pupil, excluding pupils described in subsec-
- 20 tion (12), and shall be calculated in the same manner as for a
- 21 district, using the foundation allowance under section 20 of the
- 22 pupil's district of residence, not to exceed \$6,500.00 adjusted
- 23 by the dollar amount of the difference between the basic founda-
- 24 tion allowance under section 20 for the current fiscal year and
- 25 \$5,000.00, and that district's per pupil allocation under
- 26 section 20j(2). However, beginning in 2002-2003, the \$6,500.00
- 27 amount prescribed in this subdivision shall be adjusted each year

- 1 by an amount equal to the dollar amount of the difference between
- 2 the basic foundation allowance for the current state fiscal year
- 3 and \$5,000.00, minus \$200.00.
- 4 (b) After the allocations under subdivision (a), districts
- 5 and intermediate districts for which the payments under
- 6 subdivision (a) do not fulfill the specified percentages shall be
- 7 paid the amount necessary to achieve the specified percentages
- 8 for the district or intermediate district.
- 9 (3) From the funds allocated under subsection (1), there is
- 10 allocated each fiscal year for 2000-2001, for 2001-2002 , and
- 11 for 2002-2003 the amount necessary, estimated at $\frac{$3,000,000.00}{}$
- 12 \$2,000,000.00 each fiscal year, to make payments to districts and
- 13 intermediate districts under this subsection. If the amount
- 14 allocated to a district or intermediate district for a fiscal
- 15 year under subsection (2)(b) is less than the sum of the amounts
- 16 allocated to the district or intermediate district for 1996-97
- 17 under sections 52 and 58, there is allocated to the district or
- 18 intermediate district for the fiscal year an amount equal to that
- 19 difference, adjusted by applying the same proration factor that
- 20 was used in the distribution of funds under section 52 in 1996-97
- 21 as adjusted to the district's or intermediate district's neces-
- 22 sary costs of special education used in calculations for the
- 23 fiscal year. This adjustment is to reflect reductions in special
- 24 education program operations between 1996-97 and subsequent
- 25 fiscal years. Beginning in 2000-2001, adjustments ADJUSTMENTS
- 26 for reductions in special education program operations shall be

- 1 made in a manner determined by the department and shall include
- 2 adjustments for program shifts.
- 3 (4) If the department determines that the sum of the amounts
- 4 allocated for a fiscal year to a district or intermediate dis-
- 5 trict under subsection (2)(a) and (b) is not sufficient to ful-
- 6 fill the specified percentages in subsection (2), then the short-
- 7 fall shall be paid to the district or intermediate district
- 8 during the fiscal year beginning on the October 1 following the
- 9 determination and payments under subsection (3) shall be adjusted
- 10 as necessary. If the department determines that the sum of the
- 11 amounts allocated for a fiscal year to a district or intermediate
- 12 district under subsection (2)(a) and (b) exceeds the sum of the
- 13 amount necessary to fulfill the specified percentages in subsec-
- 14 tion (2), then the department shall deduct the amount of the
- 15 excess from the district's or intermediate district's payments
- 16 under this act for the fiscal year beginning on the October 1
- 17 following the determination and payments under subsection (3)
- 18 shall be adjusted as necessary. However, if the amount allocated
- 19 under subsection (2)(a) in itself exceeds the amount necessary to
- 20 fulfill the specified percentages in subsection (2), there shall
- 21 be no deduction under this subsection.
- 22 (5) State funds shall be allocated on a total approved cost
- 23 basis. Federal funds shall be allocated under applicable federal
- 24 requirements, except that an amount not to exceed \$3,500,000.00
- 25 each fiscal year may be allocated by the department for
- 26 $\frac{2000-2001}{1}$ for 2001-2002 $\frac{1}{1}$ and for 2002-2003 to districts or
- 27 intermediate districts on a competitive grant basis for programs,

- 1 equipment, and services that the department determines to be
- 2 designed to benefit or improve special education on a statewide
- 3 scale.
- 4 (6) From the amount allocated in subsection (1), there is
- 5 allocated an amount not to exceed \$2,200,000.00 each fiscal year
- 6 for 2000-2001, for 2001-2002, and for 2002-2003 to reimburse
- 7 100% of the net increase in necessary costs incurred by a dis-
- 8 trict or intermediate district in implementing the revisions in
- 9 the administrative rules for special education that became effec-
- 10 tive on July 1, 1987. As used in this subsection, "net increase
- 11 in necessary costs" means the necessary additional costs incurred
- 12 solely because of new or revised requirements in the administra-
- 13 tive rules minus cost savings permitted in implementing the
- 14 revised rules. Net increase in necessary costs shall be deter-
- 15 mined in a manner specified by the department.
- 16 (7) For purposes of this article, all of the following
- 17 apply:
- 18 (a) "Total approved costs of special education" shall be
- 19 determined in a manner specified by the department and may
- 20 include indirect costs, but shall not exceed 115% of approved
- 21 direct costs for section 52 and section 53a programs. The total
- 22 approved costs include salary and other compensation for all
- 23 approved special education personnel for the program, including
- 24 payments for social security and medicare and public school
- 25 employee retirement system contributions. The total approved
- 26 costs do not include salaries or other compensation paid to
- 27 administrative personnel who are not special education personnel

- 1 as defined in section 6 of the revised school code, MCL 380.6.
- 2 Costs reimbursed by federal funds, other than those federal funds
- 3 included in the allocation made under this article, are not
- 4 included. Special education approved personnel not utilized full
- 5 time in the evaluation of students or in the delivery of special
- 6 education programs, ancillary, and other related services shall
- 7 be reimbursed under this section only for that portion of time
- 8 actually spent providing these programs and services, with the
- 9 exception of special education programs and services provided to
- 10 youth placed in child caring institutions or juvenile detention
- 11 programs approved by the department to provide an on-grounds edu-
- 12 cation program.
- 13 (b) Reimbursement for ancillary and other related services,
- 14 as defined by R 340.1701 of the Michigan administrative code,
- 15 shall not be provided when those services are covered by and
- 16 available through private group health insurance carriers or fed-
- 17 eral reimbursed program sources unless the department and dis-
- 18 trict or intermediate district agree otherwise and that agreement
- 19 is approved by the state budget director. Expenses, other than
- 20 the incidental expense of filing, shall not be borne by the
- 21 parent. In addition, the filing of claims shall not delay the
- 22 education of a pupil. A district or intermediate district shall
- 23 be responsible for payment of a deductible amount and for an
- 24 advance payment required until the time a claim is paid.
- 25 (8) From the allocation in subsection (1), there is allo-
- 27 2002-2003 an amount not to exceed \$15,313,900.00 each fiscal year

- 1 to intermediate districts. The payment under this subsection to
- 2 each intermediate district shall be equal to the amount of the
- 3 1996-97 allocation to the intermediate district under subsection
- 4 (6) of this section as in effect for 1996-97.
- 5 (9) A pupil who is enrolled in a full-time special education
- 6 program conducted or administered by an intermediate district or
- 7 a pupil who is enrolled in the Michigan schools for the deaf and
- 8 blind shall not be included in the membership count of a dis-
- 9 trict, but shall be counted in membership in the intermediate
- 10 district of residence.
- 11 (10) Special education personnel transferred from 1 district
- 12 to another to implement the revised school code shall be entitled
- 13 to the rights, benefits, and tenure to which the person would
- 14 otherwise be entitled had that person been employed by the
- 15 receiving district originally.
- 16 (11) If a district or intermediate district uses money
- 17 received under this section for a purpose other than the purpose
- 18 or purposes for which the money is allocated, the department may
- 19 require the district or intermediate district to refund the
- 20 amount of money received. Money that is refunded shall be depos-
- 21 ited in the state treasury to the credit of the state school aid
- **22** fund.
- 23 (12) From the funds allocated in subsection (1), there is
- 24 allocated each fiscal year for 2000-2001, for 2001-2002 , and
- 25 for 2002-2003 the amount necessary, estimated at $\frac{$6,700,000.00}{}$
- 26 for 2000-2001, \$7,100,000.00 for 2001-2002, and \$7,300,000.00 for

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1 allowances for pupils described in this subsection. 2 allocation to a district under this subsection shall be calcu-3 lated by multiplying the number of pupils described in this sub-4 section who are counted in membership in the district times the 5 sum of the foundation allowance under section 20 of the pupil's 6 district of residence plus the amount of the district's per pupil 7 allocation under section 20j(2), not to exceed \$6,500.00 adjusted 8 by the dollar amount of the difference between the basic founda-9 tion allowance under section 20 for the current fiscal year and \$5,000.00, or, for a pupil described in this subsection who is 10 11 counted in membership in a district that is a public school acad-12 emy or university school, times an amount equal to the amount per 13 membership pupil under section 20(6). The allocation to an 14 intermediate district under this subsection shall be calculated 15 in the same manner as for a district, using the foundation allow-

18 ence between the basic foundation allowance under section 20 for

ance under section 20 of the pupil's district of residence, not

to exceed \$6,500.00 adjusted by the dollar amount of the differ-

- 19 the current fiscal year and \$5,000.00, and that district's per
- 20 pupil allocation under section 20j(2). However, beginning in
- 21 2002-2003, the \$6,500.00 amount prescribed in this subsection
- 22 shall be adjusted each year by an amount equal to the dollar
- 23 amount of the difference between the basic foundation allowance
- 24 for the current state fiscal year and \$5,000.00, minus \$200.00.
- 25 This subsection applies to all of the following pupils:
- 26 (a) Pupils described in section 53a.

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Senate Bill No. 1107 110 1 (b) Pupils counted in membership in an intermediate district 2 who are not special education pupils and are served by the 3 intermediate district in a juvenile detention or child caring 4 facility. 5 (c) Emotionally impaired pupils counted in membership by an 6 intermediate district and provided educational services by the 7 department of community health. 8 (13) After payments under subsections (2) and (12) and section 51c, the remaining expenditures from the allocation in sub-9 10 section (1) shall be made in the following order: 11 (a) 100% of the reimbursement required under section 53a. 12 (b) 100% of the reimbursement required under 13 subsection (6). 14 (c) 100% of the payment required under section 54. 15 (d) 100% of the payment required under subsection (3). (e) 100% of the payment required under subsection (8). 16 17 (f) 100% of the payments under section 56. 18 (14) The allocations under subsection (2), subsection (3), 19 and subsection (12) shall be allocations to intermediate dis-20 tricts only and shall not be allocations to districts, but 21 instead shall be calculations used only to determine the state 22 payments under section 22b. 23 Sec. 51c. As required by the court in the consolidated cases known as <u>Durant</u> v <u>State of Michigan</u>, Michigan supreme court 24 docket no. 104458-104492, from the allocation under section 25

51a(1), there is allocated for 2000-2001, for 2001-2002, and

for 2002-2003 the amount necessary, estimated at $\frac{$529,000,000.00}{}$

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- 1 for 2000-2001, \$568,000,000.00 \$576,100,000.00 for 2001-2002 -,
- 2 and \$611,000,000.00 AND \$621,900,000.00 for 2002-2003, for pay-
- 3 ments to reimburse districts for 28.6138% of total approved costs
- 4 of special education excluding costs reimbursed under section
- 5 53a, and 70.4165% of total approved costs of special education
- 6 transportation. Funds allocated under this section that are not
- 7 expended in the state fiscal year for which they were allocated,
- 8 as determined by the department, may be used to supplement the
- 9 allocations under sections 22a and 22b in order to fully fund
- 10 those calculated allocations for the same fiscal year.
- 11 SEC. 51D. (1) FROM THE FEDERAL FUNDS APPROPRIATION IN SEC-
- 12 TION 11, THERE IS ALLOCATED FOR 2002-2003 ALL AVAILABLE FEDERAL
- 13 FUNDING, ESTIMATED AT \$59,837,200.00, FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION PRO-
- 14 GRAMS THAT ARE FUNDED BY FEDERAL GRANTS. ALL FEDERAL FUNDS ALLO-
- 15 CATED UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH
- 16 FEDERAL LAW. NOTWITHSTANDING SECTION 17B, PAYMENTS OF FEDERAL
- 17 FUNDS TO DISTRICTS, INTERMEDIATE DISTRICTS, AND OTHER ELIGIBLE
- 18 ENTITIES UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BE PAID ON A SCHEDULE DETER-
- 19 MINED BY THE DEPARTMENT.
- 20 (2) FROM THE FEDERAL FUNDS ALLOCATED UNDER SUBSECTION (1),
- 21 THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS ARE ALLOCATED FOR 2002-2003:
- 22 (A) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$16,000,000.00 FOR HANDICAPPED
- 23 INFANTS AND TODDLERS, FUNDED FROM DED-OSERS, HANDICAPPED INFANTS
- 24 AND TODDLERS FUNDS.
- 25 (B) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$13,500,000.00 FOR PRESCHOOL
- 26 GRANTS (PUBLIC LAW 94-142), FUNDED FROM DED-OSERS, HANDICAPPED
- 27 PRESCHOOL INCENTIVE FUNDS.

- 1 (C) AN AMOUNT ESTIMATED AT \$30,337,200.00 FOR SPECIAL
- 2 EDUCATION PROGRAMS FUNDED BY DED-OSERS, HANDICAPPED PROGRAM,
- 3 INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES ACT FUNDS.
- 4 (3) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "DED-OSERS" MEANS THE UNITED
- 5 STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION OFFICE OF SPECIAL EDUCATION AND
- 6 REHABILITATIVE SERVICES.
- 7 Sec. 53a. (1) For districts, reimbursement for pupils
- 8 described in subsection (2), reimbursement shall be 100% of the
- 9 total approved costs of operating special education programs and
- 10 services approved by the department and included in the interme-
- 11 diate district plan adopted pursuant to article 3 of the revised
- 12 school code, MCL 380.1701 to 380.1766, minus the district's foun-
- 13 dation allowance calculated under section 20, and minus the
- 14 amount of the district's per pupil allocation under
- 15 section 20j(2) CALCULATED FOR THE DISTRICT UNDER SECTION 20j.
- 16 For intermediate districts, reimbursement for pupils described in
- 17 section (2) shall be calculated in the same manner as for a dis-
- 18 trict, using the foundation allowance under section 20 of the
- 19 pupil's district of residence, not to exceed \$6,500.00 adjusted
- 20 by the dollar amount of the difference between the basic founda-
- 21 tion allowance under section 20 for the current fiscal year and
- 22 \$5,000.00, and that district's per pupil allocation under
- 23 section 20j(2) THE AMOUNT CALCULATED FOR THAT DISTRICT UNDER
- 24 SECTION 20J. However, beginning in 2002-2003, the \$6,500.00
- 25 amount prescribed in this subsection shall be adjusted each year
- 26 by an amount equal to the dollar amount of the difference between

- 1 the basic foundation allowance for the current state fiscal year
- 2 and \$5,000.00, minus \$200.00.
- 3 (2) Reimbursement under subsection (1) is for the following
- 4 special education pupils:
- 5 (a) Pupils assigned to a district or intermediate district
- 6 through the community placement program of the courts or a state
- 7 agency, if the pupil was a resident of another intermediate dis-
- 8 trict at the time the pupil came under the jurisdiction of the
- 9 court or a state agency.
- 10 (b) Pupils who are residents of institutions operated by the
- 11 department of community health.
- 12 (c) Pupils who are former residents of department of commu-
- 13 nity health institutions for the developmentally disabled who are
- 14 placed in community settings other than the pupil's home.
- 15 (d) Pupils enrolled in a department-approved on-grounds edu-
- 16 cational program longer than 180 days, but not longer than 233
- 17 days, at a residential child care institution, if the child care
- 18 institution offered in 1991-92 an on-grounds educational program
- 19 longer than 180 days but not longer than 233 days.
- 20 (e) Pupils placed in a district by a parent for the purpose
- 21 of seeking a suitable home, if the parent does not reside in the
- 22 same intermediate district as the district in which the pupil is
- 23 placed.
- 24 (3) Only those costs that are clearly and directly attribut-
- 25 able to educational programs for pupils described in subsection
- 26 (2), and that would not have been incurred if the pupils were not

- 1 being educated in a district or intermediate district, are
- 2 reimbursable under this section.
- 3 (4) The costs of transportation shall be funded under this
- 4 section and shall not be reimbursed under section 58.
- 5 (5) Not more than \$14,800,000.00 each fiscal year for
- $\frac{6}{2000-2001}$, 2001-2002 and 2002-2003, of the allocation in
- 7 section 51a(1) shall be allocated under this section.
- **8** (6) From the allocation in subsection (5), there is allo-
- 10 2002-2003 an amount not to exceed \$150,000.00 to an intermediate
- 11 district that received at least \$1,000,000.00 for 1999-2000 under
- 12 subsection (4).
- 13 Sec. 54. In addition to the aid received under section 52,
- 14 each intermediate district shall receive an amount per pupil for
- 15 each pupil in attendance at the Michigan schools for the deaf and
- 16 blind. The amount shall be proportionate to the total instruc-
- 17 tional cost at each school. Not more than \$1,688,000.00 each
- 18 fiscal year for $\frac{2000-2001}{}$ 2001-2002 $\frac{}{}$ and 2002-2003 of the
- 19 allocation in section 51a(1) shall be allocated under this
- 20 section.
- 21 SEC. 55. FROM THE STATE SCHOOL AID FUND MONEY APPROPRIATED
- 22 IN SECTION 11, THERE IS ALLOCATED \$1,000.00 FOR 2002-2003 TO THE
- 23 WEST MICHIGAN CENTER FOR AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS LOCATED AT
- 24 GRAND VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY FOR DEVELOPING COOPERATIVE PROGRAMS
- 25 WITH AREA DISTRICTS AND INTERMEDIATE DISTRICTS TO PROVIDE SERV-
- 26 ICES TO QUALIFYING PUPILS. THIS FUNDING IS FOR DEVELOPMENT COSTS

- 1 IN 2002-2003 AND IS INTENDED TO CONTINUE TO FUND OPERATIONAL AND
- 2 PROGRAM COSTS IN SUCCEEDING FISCAL YEARS.
- 3 Sec. 56. (1) For the purposes of this section:
- 4 (a) "Membership" means for a particular fiscal year the
- 5 total membership for the immediately preceding fiscal year of the
- 6 intermediate district and the districts constituent to the inter-
- 7 mediate district.
- 8 (b) "Millage levied" means the millage levied for special
- 9 education pursuant to part 30 of the revised school code,
- 10 MCL 380.1711 to 380.1743, including a levy for debt service
- 11 obligations.
- 12 (c) "Taxable value" means the total taxable value of the
- 13 districts constituent to an intermediate district, except that if
- 14 a district has elected not to come under part 30 of the revised
- 15 school code, MCL 380.1711 to 380.1743, membership and taxable
- 16 value of the district shall not be included in the membership and
- 17 taxable value of the intermediate district.
- 18 (2) From the allocation under section 51a(1), there is allo-
- 19 cated an amount not to exceed \$38,120,000.00 for 2000-2001,
- 20 \$44,720,000.00 for 2001-2002, and \$45,360,000.00 \$37,900,000.00
- 21 FOR 2001-2002 AND AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$38,120,000.00 for
- 22 2002-2003 to reimburse intermediate districts levying millages
- 23 for special education pursuant to part 30 of the revised school
- 24 code, MCL 380.1711 to 380.1743. The purpose, use, and expendi-
- 25 ture of the reimbursement shall be limited as if the funds were
- 26 generated by these millages and governed by the intermediate
- 27 district plan adopted pursuant to article 3 of the revised school

Senate Bill No. 1107 1 code, MCL 380.1701 to 380.1766. As a condition of receiving 2 funds under this section, an intermediate district distributing 3 any portion of special education millage funds to its constituent 4 districts shall submit for departmental approval and implement a 5 distribution plan. 6 (3) Reimbursement for those millages levied in 1999-2000 7 shall be made in 2000-2001 at an amount per 1999-2000 membership 8 pupil computed by subtracting from \$111,700.00 the 1999-2000 tax-9 able value behind each membership pupil, and multiplying the resulting difference by the 1999-2000 millage levied. 10 11 Reimbursement for those millages levied in 2000-2001 shall be 12 made in 2001-2002 at an amount per 2000-2001 membership pupil 13 computed by subtracting from \$\frac{\$118,000.00}{}\$119,200.00 the 14 2000-2001 taxable value behind each membership pupil and multi-15 plying the resulting difference by the 2000-2001 millage levied. Reimbursement for those millages levied in 2001-2002 shall be 16 17 made in 2002-2003 at an amount per 2001-2002 membership pupil 18 computed by subtracting from \$\frac{\$123,500.00}{}\$125,900.00 the 19 2001-2002 taxable value behind each membership pupil and multi-20 plying the resulting difference by the 2001-2002 millage levied. 21 (4) From the allocation in subsection (2), there is allo-22 cated an amount not to exceed \$2,440,000.00 for 2000-2001, an amount not to exceed \$6,820,000.00 for 2001-2002, and an amount 23 not to exceed \$7,240,000.00 for 2002-2003 for payments to inter-24 25 mediate districts under this subsection that do not qualify for a payment under subsection (3) for reimbursement for changes as a 26 27 result of revisions to the personal property tax depreciation

Senate Bill No. 1107 117 1 tables. To receive a payment under this subsection, an 2 intermediate district shall file a claim by July 1 of the fiscal 3 year to the department, detailing the loss of revenue to the 4 intermediate district's special education millage attributable to 5 those revisions. The amount of the payment under this subsection 6 to each intermediate district shall be an amount equal to the 7 same proportion of the total amount of funding available under 8 this subsection as the intermediate district's claim under this 9 section bears to the total amount of claims under this subsection 10 and, notwithstanding section 121, shall not be adjusted for prior 11 year adjustments more than 2 years after the end of the state 12 fiscal year for which payment under this subsection was made. 13 Sec. 57. (1) From the appropriation in section 11, there is allocated an amount not to exceed \$600,000.00 each fiscal year 14 15 for 2000-2001, for 2001-2002 , AND FOR 2002-2003 to applicant 16 intermediate districts that provide support services for the education of gifted and talented pupils. An intermediate district 17 18 is entitled to 75% of the actual salary, but not to exceed 19 \$25,000.00 reimbursement for an individual salary, of a support 20 services teacher approved by the department, and not to exceed 21 \$4,000.00 reimbursement for expenditures to support program 22 costs, excluding in-county travel and salary, as approved by the 23 department. 24 (2) From the appropriation in section 11, there is allocated 25 an amount not to exceed \$400,000.00 each fiscal year -for

27 of the cost of summer institutes for gifted and talented

 $\frac{2000-2001}{}$ for 2001-2002 $\frac{}{}$ AND FOR 2002-2003 to support part

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- 1 students. This amount shall be contracted to applicant
- 2 intermediate districts in cooperation with a local institution of
- 3 higher education and shall be coordinated by the department.
- 4 (3) From the appropriation in section 11, there is allocated
- 5 an amount not to exceed \$5,000,000.00 for 2000-2001, an amount
- 6 not to exceed \$4,000,000.00 EACH FISCAL YEAR for 2001-2002 —,
- 7 AND FOR 2002-2003 for the development and operation of comprehen-
- 8 sive programs for gifted and talented pupils. An eligible dis-
- 9 trict or consortium of districts shall receive an amount not to
- 10 exceed \$100.00 per K-12 pupil for up to 5% of the district's or
- 11 consortium's K-12 membership for the immediately preceding fiscal
- 12 year with a minimum total grant of \$6,000.00. Funding shall be
- 13 provided in the following order: the per pupil allotment, and
- 14 then the minimum total grant of \$6,000.00 to individual
- 15 districts. An intermediate district may act as the fiscal agent
- 16 for a consortium of districts. In order to be eligible for fund-
- 17 ing under this subsection, the district or consortium of dis-
- 18 tricts shall submit each year a current 3-year plan for operating
- 19 a comprehensive program for gifted and talented pupils and the
- 20 district or consortium shall demonstrate to the department that
- 21 the district or consortium will contribute matching funds of at
- 22 least \$50.00 per K-12 pupil. The plan or revised plan shall be
- 23 developed in accordance with criteria established by the depart-
- 24 ment and shall be submitted to the department for approval.
- 25 Within the criteria, the department shall encourage the develop-
- 26 ment of consortia among districts of less than 5,000
- 27 memberships.

- 1 Sec. 61a. (1) From the appropriation in section 11, there
- 2 is allocated an amount not to exceed \$31,027,600.00 each fiscal
- 3 year $\frac{\text{for } 2000-2001}{\text{for } 2001-2002}$ for 2001-2002 $\frac{\text{--}}{\text{--}}$ AND FOR 2002-2003 to
- 4 reimburse on an added cost basis districts, except for a district
- 5 that served as the fiscal agent for a vocational education con-
- 6 sortium in the 1993-94 school year, and secondary area
- 7 vocational-technical education centers for secondary-level
- 8 vocational-technical education programs, including parenthood
- 9 education programs, according to rules approved by the
- 10 superintendent. Applications for participation in the programs
- 11 shall be submitted in the form prescribed by the department. The
- 12 department shall determine the added cost for each
- 13 vocational-technical program area. The allocation of added cost
- 14 funds shall be based on the type of vocational-technical programs
- 15 provided, the number of pupils enrolled, and the length of the
- 16 training period provided, and shall not exceed 75% of the added
- 17 cost of any program. With the approval of the department, the
- 18 board of a district maintaining a secondary vocational-technical
- 19 education program may offer the program for the period from the
- 20 close of the school year until September 1. The program shall
- 21 use existing facilities and shall be operated as prescribed by
- 22 rules promulgated by the superintendent.
- 23 (2) Except for a district that served as the fiscal agent
- 24 for a vocational education consortium in the 1993-94 school year,
- 25 districts and intermediate districts shall be reimbursed for
- 26 local vocational administration, shared time vocational
- 27 administration, and career education planning district

- 1 vocational-technical administration. The definition of what
- 2 constitutes administration and reimbursement shall be pursuant to
- 3 guidelines adopted by the superintendent. Not more than
- 4 \$800,000.00 of the allocation in subsection (1) shall be distrib-
- 5 uted under this subsection.
- **6** (3) From the allocation in subsection (1), there is allo-
- 7 cated an amount not to exceed \$388,700.00 each fiscal year to
- 8 intermediate districts with constituent districts that had com-
- 9 bined state and local revenue per membership pupil in the 1994-95
- 10 state fiscal year of \$6,500.00 or more, served as a fiscal agent
- 11 for a state board designated area vocational education center in
- 12 the 1993-94 school year, and had an adjustment made to their
- 13 1994-95 combined state and local revenue per membership pupil
- 14 pursuant to section 20d. The payment under this subsection to
- 15 the intermediate district shall equal the amount of the alloca-
- 16 tion to the intermediate district for 1996-97 under this
- 17 subsection.
- 18 Sec. 62. (1) For the purposes of this section:
- (a) "Membership" means for a particular fiscal year the
- 20 total membership for the immediately preceding fiscal year of the
- 21 intermediate district and the districts constituent to the inter-
- 22 mediate district or the total membership for the immediately pre-
- 23 ceding fiscal year of the area vocational-technical program.
- (b) "Millage levied" means the millage levied for area
- 25 vocational-technical education pursuant to sections 681 to 690 of
- 26 the revised school code, MCL 380.681 to 380.690, including a levy
- 27 for debt service obligations incurred as the result of borrowing

- 1 for capital outlay projects and in meeting capital projects fund
- 2 requirements of area vocational-technical education.
- 3 (c) "Taxable value" means the total taxable value of the
- 4 districts constituent to an intermediate district or area
- 5 vocational-technical education program, except that if a district
- 6 has elected not to come under sections 681 to 690 of the revised
- 7 school code, MCL 380.681 to 380.690, the membership and taxable
- 8 value of that district shall not be included in the membership
- 9 and taxable value of the intermediate district. However, the
- 10 membership and taxable value of a district that has elected not
- 11 to come under sections 681 to 690 of the revised school code,
- 12 MCL 380.681 to 380.690, shall be included in the membership and
- 13 taxable value of the intermediate district if the district meets
- 14 both of the following:
- 15 (i) The district operates the area vocational-technical edu-
- 16 cation program pursuant to a contract with the intermediate
- 17 district.
- 18 (ii) The district contributes an annual amount to the opera-
- 19 tion of the program that is commensurate with the revenue that
- 20 would have been raised for operation of the program if millage
- 21 were levied in the district for the program under sections 681 to
- 22 690 of the revised school code, MCL 380.681 to 380.690.
- 23 (2) From the appropriation in section 11, there is allocated
- 24 an amount not to exceed \$9,810,000.00 for 2000-2001, an amount
- 25 not to exceed \$11,190,000.00 for 2001-2002, FOR 2001-2002 AND AN
- 26 AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$9,860,000.00 FOR 2002-2003 to reimburse
- 27 intermediate districts and area vocational-technical education

Senate Bill No. 1107 programs established under section 690(3) of the revised school 1 2 code, MCL 380.690, levying millages for area vocational-technical 3 education pursuant to sections 681 to 690 of the revised school code, MCL 380.681 to 380.690. The purpose, use, and expenditure 4 5 of the reimbursement shall be limited as if the funds were gener-6 ated by those millages. 7 (3) Reimbursement for the millages levied in 1999-2000 8 shall be made in 2000-2001 at an amount per 1999-2000 membership 9 pupil computed by subtracting from \$114,300.00 the 1999-2000 tax-10 able value behind each membership pupil, and multiplying the 11 resulting difference by the 1999-2000 millage levied. 12 Reimbursement for the millages levied in 2000-2001 shall be made 13 in 2001-2002 at an amount per 2000-2001 membership pupil computed 14 by subtracting from $\frac{$121,500.00}{}$ \$122,300.00 the 2000-2001 tax-15 able value behind each membership pupil, and multiplying the resulting difference by the 2000-2001 millage levied. 16 17 Reimbursement for the millages levied in 2001-2002 shall be made 18 in 2002-2003 at an amount per 2001-2002 membership pupil computed by subtracting from \$127,600.00 \$130,200.00 the 2001-2002 tax-19 20 able value behind each membership pupil, and multiplying the 21 resulting difference by the 2001-2002 millage levied. 22 (4) From the allocation in subsection (2), there is allocated an amount not to exceed \$500,000.00 for 2000-2001, an 23 amount not to exceed \$1,380,000.00 for 2001-2002, for payments to 24 25 intermediate districts under this subsection that do not qualify for a payment under subsection (3) for reimbursement for changes 26 27 as a result of revisions to the personal property tax

Senate Bill No. 1107 1 depreciation tables. To receive a payment under this subsection, an intermediate district shall file a claim by July 1 of the 2 3 fiscal year to the department, detailing the loss of revenue to the intermediate district's vocational education millage attrib-4 5 utable to those revisions. The amount of the payment under this 6 subsection to each intermediate district shall be an amount equal 7 to the same proportion of the total amount of funding available 8 under this subsection as the intermediate district's claim under 9 this section bears to the total amount of claims under this sub-10 section and, notwithstanding section 121, shall not be adjusted 11 for prior year adjustments more than 2 years after the end of the 12 state fiscal year for which payment under this subsection was 13 made. 14 Sec. 67. (1) From the general fund appropriation in section 15 11, there is allocated an amount not to exceed \$350,000.00 each fiscal year for 2000-2001, for 2001-2002 , AND FOR 2002-2003 16 17 for Michigan career preparation system grants under this 18 section. 19 (2) From the allocation in subsection (1), there is allo-20 cated \$150,000.00 each fiscal year for 2000-2001, for 2001-2002 21 $\overline{}$ AND FOR 2002-2003 to the department to identify uniform 22 career competency standards and assessments for career clusters, 23 to establish a statewide information system on current and anticipated employment opportunities and the required level of skills 24 25 and education required for employment.

(3) From the allocation in subsection (1), there is

allocated \$100,000.00 each fiscal year for $\frac{2000-2001}{}$ for

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- 1 2001-2002 $\overline{}$ AND FOR 2002-2003 to the department to provide
- 2 information to parents, pupils, school personnel, employers, and
- 3 others regarding opportunities to receive integrated academic and
- 4 technical preparation in the public schools of this state.
- 5 (4) From the allocation in subsection (1), there is allo-
- 6 cated \$100,000.00 each fiscal year for 2000-2001, for 2001-2002
- 7 AND FOR 2002-2003 to the department to provide technical
- 8 assistance to eligible education agencies and workforce develop-
- 9 ment boards.
- 10 (5) As used in this section and in section 68:
- 11 (a) "Advanced career academy" means a career-technical edu-
- 12 cation program operated by a district, by an intermediate dis-
- 13 trict, or by a public school academy, that applies for and
- 14 receives advanced career academy designation from the
- 15 department. To receive this designation, a career-technical edu-
- 16 cation program shall meet criteria established by the department,
- 17 which criteria shall include at least all of the following:
- 18 (i) Operation of programs for those career clusters identi-
- 19 fied by the department as being eligible for advanced career
- 20 academy status.
- 21 (ii) Involvement of employers in the design and implementa-
- 22 tion of career-technical education programs.
- 23 (iii) A fully integrated program of academic and technical
- 24 education available to pupils.
- 25 (iv) Demonstration of an established career preparation
- 26 system resulting in industry-validated career ladders for
- 27 graduates of the program, including, but not limited to, written

- 1 articulation agreements with postsecondary institutions to allow
- 2 pupils to receive advanced college placement and credit or feder-
- 3 ally registered apprenticeships, as applicable.
- 4 (b) "Career cluster" means a grouping of occupations from 1
- 5 or more industries that share common skill requirements.
- 6 (c) "Career preparation system" is a system of programs and
- 7 strategies providing pupils with opportunities to prepare for
- 8 success in careers of their choice.
- 9 (d) "Department" means the department of career
- 10 development.
- 11 (e) "Eligible education agency" means a district, intermedi-
- 12 ate district, or advanced career academy that participates in an
- 13 approved regional career preparation plan.
- 14 (f) "FTE" means full-time equivalent pupil as determined by
- 15 the department.
- 16 (g) "Workforce development board" means a local workforce
- 17 development board established pursuant to the workforce invest-
- 18 ment act of 1998, Public Law 105-220, 112 Stat. 936, and the
- 19 school-to-work opportunities act of 1994, Public Law 103-239, 108
- 20 Stat. 568, or the equivalent.
- 21 (h) "Strategic plan" means a department-approved comprehen-
- 22 sive plan prepared by a workforce development board with input
- 23 from local representatives, including the education advisory
- 24 group, that includes career preparation system goals and objec-
- 25 tives for the region.
- Sec. 68. (1) From the general fund appropriation in section
- 27 11, there is allocated an amount not to exceed \$21,850,000.00

- 1 each fiscal year for 2000-2001, for 2001-2002 , AND FOR
- 2 2002-2003 to be used to implement the Michigan career preparation
- 3 system in the corresponding school years as provided under this
- 4 section. In order to receive funds under this section, an eligi-
- 5 ble education agency shall be part of an approved regional career
- 6 preparation plan under subsection (2) and shall agree to expend
- 7 the funds required under this section in accordance with the
- 8 regional career preparation plan. Funds awarded under this sec-
- 9 tion that are not expended in accordance with this section may be
- 10 recovered by the department.
- 11 (2) In order to receive funding under this section, an eli-
- 12 gible education agency shall be a part of an approved 3-year
- 13 regional career preparation plan that is consistent with the
- 14 workforce development board's strategic plan and is as described
- 15 in this subsection. All of the following apply to a regional
- 16 career preparation plan:
- 17 (a) A 3-year regional career preparation plan shall be
- 18 developed under subdivisions (b), (c), and (d) for all public
- 19 education agencies participating as part of a regional career
- 20 preparation system within the geographical boundaries of a work-
- 21 force development board, and revised annually. If an intermedi-
- 22 ate district is located within the geographical boundaries of
- 23 more than 1 workforce development board, the board of the inter-
- 24 mediate district shall choose 1 workforce development board with
- 25 which to align and shall notify the department of this choice not
- 26 later than October 31, 1997.

- 1 (b) The regional career preparation plan shall be developed
- 2 by representatives of the education advisory group of each
- 3 workforce development board in accordance with guidelines devel-
- 4 oped under former section 67(5), and in accordance with subdivi-
- 5 sions (d) and (e). All of the following shall be represented on
- 6 each education advisory group: workforce development board mem-
- 7 bers, other employers, labor, districts, intermediate districts,
- 8 postsecondary institutions, career/technical educators, parents
- 9 of public school pupils, and academic educators. The representa-
- 10 tives of districts, intermediate districts, and postsecondary
- 11 institutions appointed to the education advisory group by the
- 12 workforce development board shall be individuals designated by
- 13 the board of the district, intermediate district, or postsecond-
- 14 ary institution.
- (c) By majority vote, the education advisory group may nomi-
- 16 nate 1 education representative, who may or may not be a member
- 17 of the education advisory group, for appointment to the workforce
- 18 development board. This education representative shall be in
- 19 addition to existing education representation on the workforce
- 20 development board. This education representative shall meet all
- 21 workforce development board membership requirements.
- 22 (d) The components of the regional career preparation plan
- 23 shall include, but are not limited to, all of the following:
- 24 (i) The roles of districts, intermediate districts, advanced
- 25 career academies, postsecondary institutions, employers, labor
- 26 representatives, and others in the career preparation system.

- 1 (ii) Programs to be offered, including at least career
- 2 exploration activities, for middle school pupils.
- 3 (iii) Identification of integrated academic and technical
- 4 curriculum, including related professional development training
- 5 for teachers.
- 6 (iv) Identification of work-based learning opportunities for
- 7 pupils and for teachers and other school personnel.
- $\mathbf{8}$ (v) Identification of testing and assessments that will be
- 9 used to measure pupil achievement.
- 10 (vi) Identification of all federal, state, local, and pri-
- 11 vate sources of funding available for career preparation activi-
- 12 ties in the region.
- 13 (e) The education advisory group shall develop a 3-year
- 14 regional career preparation plan consistent with the workforce
- 15 development board's strategic plan and submit the plan to the
- 16 department for final approval. The submission to the department
- 17 shall also include statements signed by the chair of the educa-
- 18 tion advisory group and the chair of the workforce development
- 19 board certifying that the plan has been reviewed by each entity.
- 20 Upon department approval, all eligible education agencies desig-
- 21 nated in the regional career preparation plan as part of the
- 22 career preparation delivery system are eligible for funding under
- 23 this section.
- 24 (3) Funding under this section shall be distributed to eli-
- 25 gible education agencies for allowable costs defined in this sub-
- 26 section and identified as necessary costs for implementing a
- 27 regional career preparation plan, as follows:

- 1 (a) For 2000-2001, the THE department shall rank all
- 2 career clusters, including career exploration, guidance, and
- 3 counseling. Rank determination will be based on median salary
- 4 data in career clusters and employment opportunity data provided
- 5 by the council for career preparation standards. In addition,
- 6 rank determination shall be based on placement data available for
- 7 prior year graduates of the programs in the career clusters
- 8 either in related careers or postsecondary education. The proce-
- 9 dure for ranking of career clusters shall be determined by the
- 10 department.
- 11 (b) Allowable costs to be funded under this section shall be
- 12 determined by the department. Budgets submitted by eligible edu-
- 13 cation agencies to the department in order to receive funding
- 14 shall identify funds and in-kind contributions from the regional
- 15 career education plan, excluding funds or in-kind contributions
- 16 available as a result of funding received under section 61a,
- 17 equal to at least 100% of anticipated funding under this
- 18 section. Eligible categories of allowable costs are the
- 19 following:
- 20 (i) Career exploration, guidance, and counseling.
- 21 (ii) Curriculum development, including integration of aca-
- 22 demic and technical content, and professional development for
- 23 teachers directly related to career preparation.
- 24 (iii) Technology and equipment determined to be necessary.
- 25 (iv) Supplies and materials directly related to career prep-
- 26 aration programs.

- $\mathbf{1}$ (ν) Work-based learning expenses for pupils, teachers, and
- 2 counselors.
- 3 (vi) Evaluation, including career competency testing and
- 4 peer review.
- 5 (vii) Career placement services.
- 6 (viii) Student leadership organizations integral to the
- 7 career preparation system.
- 8 (ix) Up to 10% of the allocation to an eligible education
- 9 agency may be expended for planning, coordination, direct over-
- 10 sight, and accountability for the career preparation system.
- 11 (c) For 2000-2001, the THE department shall calculate
- 12 career preparation costs per FTE for each career cluster, includ-
- 13 ing career exploration, guidance, and counseling, by dividing the
- 14 allowable costs for each career cluster by the prior year FTE
- 15 enrollment for each career cluster. Distribution to eligible
- 16 education agencies shall be the product of 50% of career prepara-
- 17 tion costs per FTE times the current year FTE enrollment of each
- 18 career cluster. This allocation shall be distributed to eliqible
- 19 education agencies in decreasing order of the career cluster
- 20 ranking described in subdivision (a) until the money allocated
- 21 for grant recipients in this section is distributed. Beginning
- 22 in 2001-2002, funds shall be distributed to eligible education
- 23 agencies according to workforce development board geographic area
- 24 consistent with subsection (2)(a) based upon the proportion of
- 25 each workforce development board area's K-12 public school mem-
- 26 bership to the total state K-12 public school membership.

- 1 (4) The department shall establish a review procedure for
- 2 assessing the career preparation system in each region.
- 3 (5) An education advisory group is responsible for assuring
- 4 the quality of the career preparation system. An education
- 5 advisory group shall review the career preparation system in
- 6 accordance with evaluation criteria established by the
- 7 department.
- 8 (6) An education advisory group shall report its findings
- 9 and recommendations for changes to the participating eligible
- 10 education agencies, the workforce development board, and the
- 11 department.
- 12 (7) The next revision of a regional career preparation plan
- 13 shall take into account the findings of the education advisory
- 14 group in accordance with evaluation criteria established by the
- 15 department in order for the affected education agencies to
- 16 receive continued funding under this section.
- 17 Sec. 74. (1) From the amount appropriated in section 11,
- 18 there is allocated an amount not to exceed \$1,625,000.00 each
- 19 fiscal year for 2000-2001, for 2001-2002 , AND FOR 2002-2003
- 20 for the purposes of subsections (2) and (3).
- 21 (2) From the allocation in subsection (1), there is allo-
- 22 cated each fiscal year the amount necessary for payments to state
- 23 supported colleges or universities and intermediate districts
- 24 providing school bus driver safety instruction or driver skills
- 25 road tests pursuant to sections 51 and 52 of the pupil transpor-
- 26 tation act, 1990 PA 187, MCL 257.1851 and 257.1852. The payments
- 27 shall be in an amount determined by the department not to exceed

- 1 75% of the actual cost of instruction and driver compensation for
- 2 each public or nonpublic school bus driver attending a course of
- 3 instruction. For the purpose of computing compensation, the
- 4 hourly rate allowed each school bus driver shall not exceed the
- 5 hourly rate received for driving a school bus. Reimbursement
- 6 compensating the driver during the course of instruction or
- 7 driver skills road tests shall be made by the department to the
- 8 college or university or intermediate district providing the
- 9 course of instruction.
- 10 (3) From the allocation in subsection (1), there is allo-
- 11 cated each fiscal year the amount necessary to pay the reasonable
- 12 costs of nonspecial education auxiliary services transportation
- 13 provided pursuant to section 1323 of the revised school code,
- 14 MCL 380.1323. Districts funded under this subsection shall not
- 15 receive funding under any other section of this act for nonspe-
- 16 cial education auxiliary services transportation.
- 17 Sec. 81. (1) Except as otherwise provided in this section,
- 18 from the appropriation in section 11, there is allocated each
- **19** fiscal year for 2000-2001, for 2001-2002 , AND FOR 2002-2003
- 20 to the intermediate districts the sum necessary, but not to
- 21 exceed \$87,781,700.00 for 2000-2001, not to exceed
- 22 \$92,170,800.00 for 2001-2002 AND NOT TO EXCEED \$95,028,100.00 FOR
- 23 2002-2003 to provide state aid to intermediate districts under
- 24 this section. Except as otherwise provided in this section,
- 25 there shall be allocated to each intermediate district for
- 26 2000-2001 an amount equal to 105.3% of the amount of funding
- 27 actually received by the intermediate district under this

- 1 subsection for 1999-2000. Except as otherwise provided in this
- 2 section, there shall be allocated to each intermediate district
- 3 for 2001-2002 an amount equal to 105% of the amount of funding
- 4 actually received by the intermediate district under this subsec-
- 5 tion for 2000-2001. EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS SEC-
- 6 TION, THERE SHALL BE ALLOCATED TO EACH INTERMEDIATE DISTRICT FOR
- 7 2002-2003 AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO 103.1% OF THE AMOUNT OF FUNDING
- 8 ACTUALLY RECEIVED BY THE INTERMEDIATE DISTRICT UNDER THIS SUBSEC-
- 9 TION FOR 2001-2002. Funding provided under this section shall be
- 10 used to comply with requirements of this act and the revised
- 11 school code that are applicable to intermediate districts, and
- 12 for which funding is not provided elsewhere in this act, and to
- 13 provide technical assistance to districts as authorized by the
- 14 intermediate school board.
- 15 (2) From the allocation in subsection (1), there is allo-
- 16 cated to an intermediate district, formed by the consolidation or
- 17 annexation of 2 or more intermediate districts or the attachment
- 18 of a total intermediate district to another intermediate school
- 19 district or the annexation of all of the constituent K-12 dis-
- 20 tricts of a previously existing intermediate school district
- 21 which has disorganized, an additional allotment of \$3,500.00 each
- 22 fiscal year for each intermediate district included in the new
- 23 intermediate district for 3 years following consolidation, annex-
- 24 ation, or attachment.
- 25 (3) If an intermediate district participated in 1993-94 in a
- 26 consortium operating a regional educational media center under
- 27 section 671 of the revised school code, MCL 380.671, and rules

- 1 promulgated by the superintendent, and if the intermediate
- 2 district obtains written consent from each of the other interme-
- 3 diate districts that participated in the consortium in 1993-94,
- 4 the intermediate district may notify the department not later
- 5 than December 30 of the current fiscal year that it is electing
- 6 to directly receive its payment attributable to participation in
- 7 that consortium. An intermediate district making that election,
- 8 and that has obtained the necessary consent, shall receive each
- **9** fiscal year for 2000-2001, for 2001-2002 OR FOR 2002-2003, as
- 10 applicable, for each pupil in membership in the intermediate dis-
- 11 trict or a constituent district an amount equal to the quotient
- 12 of the 1993-94 allocation to the fiscal agent for that consortium
- 13 under former section 83, adjusted as determined by the department
- 14 to account for that election, divided by the combined total mem-
- 15 bership for the current fiscal year in all of the intermediate
- 16 districts that participated in that consortium and their constit-
- 17 uent districts. The amount allocated to an intermediate district
- 18 under this subsection for a fiscal year shall be deducted from
- 19 the total allocation for that fiscal year under this section to
- 20 the intermediate district that was the 1993-94 fiscal agent for
- 21 the consortium.
- 22 (4) During a fiscal year, the department shall not increase
- 23 an intermediate district's allocation under subsection (1)
- 24 because of an adjustment made by the department during the fiscal
- 25 year in the intermediate district's taxable value for a prior
- 26 year. Instead, the department shall report the adjustment and
- 27 the estimated amount of the increase to the house and senate

Senate Bill No. 1107 1 fiscal agencies and the state budget director not later than June 1 of the fiscal year, and the legislature shall appropriate 2 3 money for the adjustment in the next succeeding fiscal year. 4 (5) From the appropriation in section 11, there is allo-5 cated an amount not to exceed \$320,000.00 for 2000-2001, an 6 amount not to exceed \$890,000.00 for 2001-2002, for payments to 7 intermediate districts under this subsection for reimbursement 8 for changes as a result of revisions to the personal property tax 9 depreciation tables. To receive a payment under this subsection, 10 an intermediate district shall file a claim by July 1 of the 11 fiscal year to the department, detailing the loss of revenue to 12 the intermediate district's operational millage attributable to 13 those revisions. The amount of the payment under this subsection 14 to each intermediate district shall be an amount equal to the 15 same proportion of the total amount of funding available under this subsection as the intermediate district's claim under this 16 17 subsection bears to the total amount of the claims under this 18 subsection and, notwithstanding section 121, shall not be 19 adjusted for prior year adjustments more than 2 years after the 20 end of the state fiscal year for which payment under this subsec-21 tion was made. 22 (5) $\overline{(6)}$ In order to receive funding under this section, an intermediate district shall demonstrate to the satisfaction of 23 24 the department that the intermediate district employs at least 1 25 person who is trained in pupil counting procedures, rules, and regulations. 26

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- 1 SEC. 92. FROM THE STATE SCHOOL AID FUND MONEY APPROPRIATED
- 2 UNDER SECTION 11, THERE IS ALLOCATED \$10,000.00 FOR 2002-2003 FOR
- 3 THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION. THESE FUNDS ARE TO REIMBURSE A
- 4 DISTRICT THAT HAS BEEN DETERMINED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRON-
- 5 MENTAL QUALITY TO HAVE DRINKING WATER CONTAMINATED BY THE CHEMI-
- 6 CAL DACTHAL (DIMETHYL TETRACHLOROTEREPHTHALATE, CAS # 1861-32-1)
- 7 FOR COSTS INCURRED BY THE DISTRICT DUE TO THE CONTAMINATION.
- 8 SEC. 93. [(1)] FROM THE STATE SCHOOL AID FUND MONEY APPROPRIATED
- 9 IN SECTION 11, THERE IS ALLOCATED AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED
- 10 \$1,000.00 FOR 2002-2003 [FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION.
- 11 (2) FROM THE FUNDS ALLOCATED UNDER SUBSECTION (1), \$500.00 IS
- 12 ALLOCATED FOR 2002-2003 FOR PILOT PROJECTS ACROSS THIS STATE FOR DEVELOPING
- 13 WAYS TO USE WIRELESS TECHNOLOGY TO IMPROVE ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT. THE
- 14 MICHIGAN VIRTUAL UNIVERSITY SHALL DESIGNATE DISTRICTS FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE PILOT PROJECTS UNDER THIS SECTION. THE PILOT PROJECTS SHALL BE FUNDED THROUGH PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS. IN DESIGNATING DISTRICTS TO PARTICIPATE, THE MICHIGAN VIRTUAL UNIVERSITY SHALL DESIGNATE DISTRICTS REPRESENTING THE GEOGRAPHIC DIVERSITY WITHIN THIS STATE.
 - (3) FROM THE FUNDS ALLOCATED UNDER SUBSECTION (1), \$500.00 IS ALLOCATED FOR 2002-2003 TO THE INTERACTIVE COMMUNICATIONS AND SIMULATIONS GROUP OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN SCHOOL OF EDUCATION TO INTEGRATE A MICHIGAN CIVICS CURRICULUM AND MICHIGAN CIVICS EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING WITH TECHNOLOGY IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.]
- 15 Sec. 94. From the general fund money appropriated in sec-
- 16 tion 11, there is allocated to the department an amount not to
- 17 exceed \$3,000,000.00 for 2000-2001 an amount not to exceed
- 18 \$3,000,000.00 for 2001-2002 AND AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED
- 19 \$1,500,000.00 FOR 2002-2003 to provide technical assistance to
- 20 districts for school accreditation purposes as described in sec-
- 21 tion 1280 of the revised school code, MCL 380.1280.
- 22 Sec. 94a. (1) From the general fund appropriation in
- 23 section 11, there is allocated an amount not to exceed
- 24 \$2,160,000.00 for 2000-2001, an amount not to exceed
- 25 \$2,332,000.00 for $\frac{2002}{}$ 2001-2002 for payments to the center
- 26 for educational performance and information created pursuant to
- 27 <u>executive order</u> EXECUTIVE REORGANIZATION ORDER NO. 2000-6,

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- MCL 388.996. (2) The goals of the center for educational
- performance and information FROM THE GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATION 2
- 3 IN SECTION 11, THERE IS ALLOCATED AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED
- 4 \$4,500,000.00 FOR 2002-2003 TO THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION
- 5 TECHNOLOGY TO SUPPORT THE COMPREHENSIVE COLLECTION, ANALYSIS, AND
- 6 DISSEMINATION OF K-12 EDUCATIONAL DATA, THE PURPOSE OF WHICH
- 7 shall be to improve the quality and quantity of educational data
- 8 available to teachers, school administrators, parents, taxpayers,
- 9 and others.
- 10 (3) A portion of the funds allocated under this section may
- 11 be used for funding to districts to cover additional costs
- 12 resulting from implementation of the center for educational per-
- 13 formance and information.
- (2) $\overline{(4)}$ Funds allocated under this section that are not 14
- 15 expended in the fiscal year in which they were allocated may be
- carried forward to a subsequent fiscal year. From the funds 16
- 17 allocated for 1999-2000 that were carried forward under this sub-
- section AND FROM THE FUNDS APPROPRIATED UNDER THIS SECTION FOR 18
- 2002-2003, the center OR THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLO-19
- 20 GY, AS APPLICABLE, shall pay districts grants for net costs
- 21 incurred from 1998-1999 through 2002-2003 due to the implementa-
- 22 tion of the single record student database. The center OR THE
- 23 DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, AS APPLICABLE, shall also
- pay intermediate districts grants for net costs incurred from 24
- 25 1998-1999 through 2002-2003 due to the implementation of the
- single record student database on behalf of constituent 26
- 27 districts. Net costs shall be determined and the amount of the

- 1 grant calculated in a manner determined by the center OR THE
- 2 DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, AS APPLICABLE. Purposes
- 3 for which the center OR THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY,
- 4 AS APPLICABLE, shall make grants to districts and intermediate
- 5 districts may include purchases of software to submit data files
- 6 to the Michigan education information system or new student
- 7 information management systems compatible with the single record
- 8 student database or costs associated with the development of the
- 9 single record student database. The district or intermediate
- 10 district shall provide written justification of these net costs
- 11 to the center for education performance and information OR THE
- 12 DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, AS APPLICABLE. Purposes
- 13 for which a grant is made must be approved by the center OR THE
- 14 DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, AS APPLICABLE. This reim-
- 15 bursement shall not exceed a total of \$2.00 per pupil for each
- 16 district or intermediate district.
- 17 (3) THE CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE AND INFORMATION
- 18 SHALL ACCEPT SUBMISSIONS OF DATA FROM DISTRICTS AND INTERMEDIATE
- 19 DISTRICTS FOR THE FEBRUARY 2002 SUPPLEMENTAL PUPIL COUNT USING
- 20 EITHER THE SINGLE RECORD STUDENT DATABASE SYSTEM OR A PARALLEL
- 21 SUBMISSION USING BOTH THE SINGLE RECORD STUDENT DATABASE SYSTEM
- 22 AND THE EDUCATION DATA NETWORK SYSTEM. IF A DISTRICT OR INTERME-
- 23 DIATE DISTRICT USES THIS PARALLEL SUBMISSION PROCESS, THE CENTER
- 24 FOR EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE AND INFORMATION SHALL USE THE DATA
- 25 THAT RESULTS IN THE HIGHER AUDITED PUPIL COUNT.
- 26 (4) THE CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE AND INFORMATION
- 27 SHALL ENSURE THAT DISTRICTS AND INTERMEDIATE DISTRICTS ARE

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- 1 PROVIDED WITH AMPLE OPPORTUNITY TO SUBMIT CORRECTIONS OR
- 2 ADJUSTMENTS TO PUPIL COUNT DATA SUBMITTED TO THE CENTER BEFORE
- 3 THE CENTER MAKES THE FINAL DETERMINATIONS FROM THE DATA FOR THE
- 4 PURPOSE OF CALCULATING PAYMENTS.
- 5 (5) A DISTRICT OR INTERMEDIATE DISTRICT IS NOT REQUIRED TO
- 6 SUBMIT DATA TO THE CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE AND INFOR-
- 7 MATION USING THE SINGLE RECORD STUDENT DATABASE SYSTEM UNTIL THE
- 8 DISTRICT OR INTERMEDIATE DISTRICT RECEIVES THE REIMBURSEMENT PRO-
- 9 VIDED FOR UNDER SUBSECTION (2).
- 10 SEC. 94B. THE REGISTRY OF EDUCATIONAL PERSONNEL, OPERATED
- 11 BY THE CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE AND INFORMATION OR THE
- 12 DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY UNDER SECTION 94A, SHALL NOT
- 13 COLLECT ANY INFORMATION THAT IS IN ADDITION TO THE INFORMATION
- 14 ALREADY REQUIRED TO BE COLLECTED BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AS OF
- 15 JUNE 1, 2002. [DISTRICTS AND INTERMEDIATE DISTRICTS ARE NOT REQUIRED TO FILE THE REGISTRY OF EDUCATION PERSONNEL REPORT UNTIL AFTER THE FEDERAL RULES ARE PUBLISHED.]
- 16 SEC. 94C. THE CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE AND INFOR-
- 17 MATION SHALL PAY DISTRICTS \$2.00 FOR EACH FULL-TIME-EQUATED PUPIL
- 18 REPORTED ON THE 2001 PUPIL MEMBERSHIP COUNT DAY [, AND \$2.00 FOR EACH EMPLOYEE FOR WHOM DATA IS REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED,] TO REIMBURSE DIS-
- 19 TRICTS FOR THE COSTS INCURRED FROM IMPLEMENTING THE SINGLE RECORD
- 20 STUDENT DATABASE AND THE REGISTRY OF EDUCATIONAL PERSONNEL. THE
- 21 PAYMENTS SHALL BE MADE ON THE SAME DATE AS THE FIRST INSTALLMENT
- 22 PAYMENT MADE TO DISTRICTS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS
- 23 SECTION.
 - [SEC. 94D. THE CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE AND INFORMATION SHALL ENSURE THAT STANDARD AND POOR'S, OR ANY OTHER CONTRACTOR THAT ANALYZES OR REPORTS INFORMATION COLLECTED BY THE CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE AND INFORMATION, PROVIDES ITS ANALYSIS OR OTHER REPORT TO AFFECTED DISTRICTS AND INTERMEDIATE DISTRICTS BEFORE THE ANALYSIS OR REPORT IS RELEASED TO THE NEWS MEDIA OR THE GENERAL PUBLIC.]
- 24 Sec. 96. (1) From the state school aid fund money appropri-
- 25 ated in section 11, there is allocated an amount not to exceed
- 26 \$8,000,000.00 each fiscal year for 1999-2000, for 2000-2001,

27 \$0.00 for 2001-2002 —, and \$132,000.00 for 2002-2003 for golden S06638'02 (H-1)

Senate Bill No. 1107 1 apple awards under this section. The awards shall be based on 2 elementary school achievement on the fourth grade and fifth grade 3 Michigan education assessment program (MEAP) tests. 4 (2) To be eligible for a golden apple award, an elementary 5 school shall -have MEET AT LEAST ALL OF THE FOLLOWING: 6 (A) HAS at least 50 pupils in membership. and shall meet 7 the following requirements: (a) For 1999-2000, at least 80% of the fourth and fifth 8 9 grade pupils enrolled and in regular daily attendance in the 10 school on the pupil membership count day in that school year took 11 the applicable MEAP tests, and 1 or both of the following are 12 met: 13 (i) The composite score for the pupils in the school who 14 took the applicable MEAP tests increased by at least 60 points 15 over the 2 consecutive school years immediately preceding the 16 state fiscal year in which the award is given. 17 (ii) The test scores for the pupils in the school who took 18 the applicable MEAP tests are among the highest elementary school 19 scores statewide, as determined by the department of treasury, 20 for that school year. 21 (b) Beginning in 2000-2001, at (B) AT least 90% of the fourth and fifth grade pupils 22 enrolled and in regular daily attendance in the school on the 23 24 pupil membership count day in that school year took the applica-

26 (C) MEETS 1 or both of the following: are met:

ble MEAP tests. , and

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- 1 (i) The composite score for the pupils in the school who
- 2 took the applicable MEAP tests increased by at least 60 points
- 3 over the 2 consecutive school years immediately preceding the
- 4 state fiscal year in which the award is given.
- 5 (ii) The test scores for the pupils in the school who took
- 6 the applicable MEAP tests are among the highest elementary school
- 7 scores statewide, as determined by the department of treasury,
- 8 for that school year.
- 9 (3) A golden apple award under this section shall be allo-
- 10 cated to and used by a district exclusively for the purpose of
- 11 distributing funds to each eligible elementary school. A golden
- 12 apple award shall consist of \$1,000.00 per each full-time
- 13 employee who works in the eligible elementary school plus
- 14 \$10,000.00 to be allocated to the principal of the school for
- 15 school improvements, but shall not be less than \$50,000.00 per
- 16 recipient school. BEGINNING IN 2002-2003, THE MONETARY AMOUNT OF
- 17 A GOLDEN APPLE AWARD SHALL BE \$1,000.00 TO BE ALLOCATED TO EACH
- 18 ELIGIBLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL. All money allocated under this sec-
- 19 tion -per full-time employee shall be used for school improve-
- 20 ments, as determined collectively by a majority vote of those
- 21 THE FULL-TIME employees OF THE ELIGIBLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL.
- 22 (4) Funds allocated under this section that are not
- 23 expended in the state fiscal year for which they were allocated
- 24 may be carried forward to a subsequent state fiscal year.
- 25 Sec. 98. (1) From the general fund money appropriated in
- 26 section 11, there is allocated an amount not to exceed
- 27 \$15,000,000.00 for 2000-2001, and amount not to exceed

- 1 \$1,500,000.00 each fiscal year for 2001-2002 AND FOR 2002-2003 to
- 2 the department to provide a grant each fiscal year to the
- 3 Michigan virtual university for the development, implementation,
- 4 and operation of the Michigan virtual high school.
- 5 (2) The Michigan virtual high school shall have the follow-
- 6 ing goals:
- 7 (a) Significantly expand curricular offerings for high
- 8 schools across this state through agreements with districts or
- 9 licenses from other recognized providers.
- 10 (b) Create statewide instructional models using interactive
- 11 multimedia tools delivered by electronic means, including, but
- 12 not limited to, the internet, digital broadcast, or satellite
- 13 network, for distributed learning at the high school level.
- 14 (c) Provide pupils with opportunities to develop skills and
- 15 competencies through on-line learning.
- 16 (d) Offer teachers opportunities to learn new skills and
- 17 strategies for developing and delivering instructional services.
- (e) Accelerate this state's ability to respond to current
- 19 and emerging educational demands.
- 20 (f) Grant high school diplomas through a dual enrollment
- 21 method with districts.
- 22 (g) Act as a broker for college level equivalent courses, as
- 23 defined in section 1471 of the revised school code, MCL 380.1471,
- 24 and dual enrollment courses from postsecondary education
- 25 institutions.
- 26 (3) The Michigan virtual high school course offerings shall
- 27 include, but are not limited to, all of the following:

- 1 (a) Information technology courses.
- 2 (b) College level equivalent courses, as defined in section
- 3 1471 of the revised school code, MCL 380.1471.
- 4 (c) Courses and dual enrollment opportunities.
- 5 (d) Programs and services for at-risk pupils.
- **6** (e) General education development test preparation courses
- 7 for adjudicated youth.
- **8** (f) Special interest courses.
- 9 (g) Professional development programs and services for
- 10 teachers.
- 11 (4) Funds allocated under this section that are not expended
- 12 in the state fiscal year for which they were allocated may be
- 13 carried forward to a subsequent state fiscal year.
- 14 Sec. 99. (1) From the state school aid fund appropriation
- 15 in section 11, there is allocated an amount not to exceed
- 16 \$9,270,000.00 for 2000-2001, an amount not to exceed
- 17 \$9,684,300.00 for 2001-2002 EACH FISCAL YEAR FOR 2001-2002 AND
- 18 FOR 2002-2003, and from the general fund appropriation in
- 19 section 11 there is allocated an amount not to exceed
- 20 \$475,100.00 for 2000-2001, an amount not to exceed \$548,000.00
- 22 for implementing the comprehensive master plan for mathematics
- 23 and science centers developed by the department and approved by
- 24 the state board on February 17, 1993.
- 25 (2) Within a service area designated locally, approved by
- 26 the department, and consistent with the master plan described in
- 27 subsection (1), an established mathematics and science center

- 1 shall address 2 or more of the following 6 basic services, as
- 2 described in the master plan, to constituent districts and
- 3 communities: leadership, pupil services, curriculum support,
- 4 community involvement, professional development, and resource
- 5 clearinghouse services.
- 6 (3) The department shall not award a grant under this sec-
- 7 tion to more than 1 mathematics and science center located in a
- 8 particular intermediate district unless each of the grants serves
- 9 a distinct target population or provides a service that does not
- 10 duplicate another program in the intermediate district.
- 11 (4) As part of the technical assistance process, the depart-
- 12 ment shall provide minimum standard guidelines that may be used
- 13 by the mathematics and science center for providing fair access
- 14 for qualified pupils and professional staff as prescribed in this
- 15 section.
- 16 (5) Allocations under this section to support the activities
- 17 and programs of mathematics and science centers shall be continu-
- 18 ing support grants to all 25 established mathematics and science
- 19 centers and, subject to subsection (9), the 8 satellite exten-
- 20 sions that were funded in 1996-97. Beginning in 2000-2001,
- 21 each EACH established mathematics and science center that was
- 22 funded in 1999-2000 shall receive an amount equal to 105.3% of
- 23 the amount it received under this section in 1999-2000.
- 24 (6) In order to receive funds under this section, a grant
- 25 recipient shall allow access for the department or the
- 26 department's designee to audit all records related to the program

- 1 for which it receives such funds. The grant recipient shall
- 2 reimburse the state for all disallowances found in the audit.
- 3 (7) From the state school aid fund allocation under subsec-
- 4 tion (1), there is allocated an amount not to exceed \$611,800.00
- **5** each fiscal year for $\frac{2000-2001}{1}$ 2001-2002 $\frac{1}{1}$ AND FOR 2002-2003
- 6 for additional funding under this subsection for mathematics and
- 7 science centers that have come into compliance with the compre-
- 8 hensive master plan described in subsection (1). These amounts
- 9 are in addition to the funding determined under subsection (5)
- 10 and are as follows for each of those fiscal years:
- 11 (a) \$68,000.00 each to the central Michigan science, mathe-
- 12 matics, and technology center; the Hillsdale-Lenawee-Monroe math-
- 13 ematics and science center; the St. Clair mathematics, science,
- 14 and technology network; the Saginaw valley state university
- 15 regional center; the Genesee area mathematics, science, and tech-
- 16 nology center; the Grand Traverse area regional mathematics,
- 17 science, and technology center; and the Livingston/Washtenaw
- 18 mathematics and science center.
- **19** (b) \$85,000.00 to the Grand valley state university regional
- 20 mathematics and science center.
- 21 (c) \$50,800.00 to the Seaborg center at Northern Michigan
- 22 university.
- 23 (8) Not later than June 30, 2000, the department shall
- 24 reevaluate and update the comprehensive master plan described in
- 25 subsection (1), including any recommendations for upgrading sat-
- 26 ellite extensions to full centers.

- 1 (9) During the course of the 2000-2001 and 2001-2002 fiscal
- 2 years, the department shall facilitate the conversion of the
- 3 8 existing satellite extensions to full mathematics and science
- 4 centers. To this end, in 2000-2001 the department shall provide
- 5 4 satellite extensions, as selected by the department, with
- 6 applications for conversion to full centers, and in 2001-2002 the
- 7 department shall provide the remaining 4 satellite extensions
- 8 with applications for conversion. The department shall provide
- 9 the applications not later than October 15 of the applicable
- 10 fiscal year; a satellite extension shall submit the application
- 11 and a detail plan as prescribed by the department not later than
- 12 November 15 of the applicable fiscal year; and the department
- 13 shall review the applications and plans and notify the satellite
- 14 extensions of their status not later than December 1 of the
- 15 applicable fiscal year. The allocations under this section are
- 16 sufficient to fund the conversion of the satellite extensions to
- 17 full centers and to fund them as full centers.
- 18 SEC. 99A. (1) FROM THE APPROPRIATION IN SECTION 11, THERE
- 19 IS ALLOCATED FOR 2002-2003 AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$3,180,000.00
- 20 FOR GRANTS TO INTERMEDIATE DISTRICTS AND DISTRICTS FOR PROVIDING
- 21 A SCHOOL HEALTH EDUCATION CURRICULUM. THE CURRICULUM PROVIDED,
- 22 SUCH AS THE MICHIGAN MODEL OR ANOTHER COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOL HEALTH
- 23 CURRICULUM, SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE HEALTH EDUCATION
- 24 GOALS ESTABLISHED BY THE MICHIGAN MODEL FOR COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOL
- 25 HEALTH EDUCATION STEERING COMMITTEE. THIS STATE STEERING COMMIT-
- 26 TEE SHALL BE COMPRISED OF A REPRESENTATIVE FROM EACH OF THE
- 27 FOLLOWING OFFICES AND DEPARTMENTS:

- 1 (A) THE DEPARTMENT.
- 2 (B) THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH.
- 3 (C) THE HEALTH ADMINISTRATION IN THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY
- 4 HEALTH.
- 5 (D) THE BUREAU OF MENTAL AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES IN THE
- 6 DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH.
- 7 (E) THE FAMILY INDEPENDENCE AGENCY.
- **8** (F) THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE.
- 9 (2) UPON WRITTEN OR ORAL REQUEST BY A PUPIL WHO IS AT LEAST
- 10 18 YEARS OF AGE OR A PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN OF A PUPIL LESS
- 11 THAN 18 YEARS OF AGE, SCHOOL OFFICIALS SHALL INFORM THE PUPIL OR
- 12 PARENT, WITHIN A REASONABLE PERIOD OF TIME AFTER THE REQUEST IS
- 13 MADE, OF THE CONTENT OF A COURSE IN THE HEALTH EDUCATION CURRICU-
- 14 LUM AND SHALL ALLOW THE PUPIL OR PARENT TO EXAMINE TEXTBOOKS AND
- 15 OTHER CLASSROOM MATERIALS THAT ARE PROVIDED TO THE PUPIL OR MATE-
- 16 RIALS THAT ARE PRESENTED TO THE PUPIL IN THE CLASSROOM. THIS
- 17 SUBSECTION DOES NOT REQUIRE A DISTRICT TO PERMIT PUPIL OR PAREN-
- 18 TAL EXAMINATION OF TEST QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS, SCORING KEYS, OR
- 19 OTHER EXAMINATION INSTRUMENTS OR DATA USED TO ADMINISTER AN ACA-
- 20 DEMIC EXAMINATION.
- 21 Sec. 101. (1) To be eligible to receive state aid under
- 22 this act, not NOT later than the fifth Wednesday after the pupil
- 23 membership count day and not later than the fifth Wednesday after
- 24 the supplemental count day, each district superintendent through
- 25 the secretary of the district's board shall file with the inter-
- 26 mediate superintendent a certified and sworn copy of the number
- 27 of pupils enrolled and in regular daily attendance in the

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1	district as of the pupil membership count day and as of the
2	supplemental count day, as applicable, for the current school
3	year. In addition, a district maintaining school during the
4	entire year, as provided under section 1561 of the revised school
5	code, MCL 380.1561, shall file with the intermediate superinten-
6	dent a certified and sworn copy of the number of pupils enrolled
7	and in regular daily attendance in the district for the current
8	school year pursuant to rules promulgated by the superintendent.
9	Not later than the seventh Wednesday after the pupil membership
10	count day and not later than the seventh Wednesday after the sup-
11	plemental count day, the intermediate district shall transmit to
12	the department the data filed by each of its constituent
13	districts. If a district fails to file the sworn and certified
14	copy with the intermediate superintendent in a timely manner, as
15	required under this subsection, the intermediate district shall
16	notify the department. and state aid due to be distributed under
17	this act shall be withheld from the defaulting district immedi-
18	ately, beginning with the next payment after the failure and con-
19	tinuing with each payment until the district complies with this
20	subsection. If an intermediate district fails to transmit the
21	data in its possession in a timely and accurate manner to the
22	department, as required under this subsection, state aid due to
23	be distributed under this act shall be withheld from the default-
24	ing intermediate district immediately, beginning with the next
25	payment after the failure and continuing with each payment until
26	the intermediate district complies with this subsection. If a
27	district or intermediate district does not comply with this

Senate Bill No. 1107 1 subsection by the end of the fiscal year, the district or intermediate district forfeits the amount withheld. A person who 2 3 willfully falsifies a figure or statement in the certified and sworn copy of enrollment shall be punished in the manner pre-4 5 scribed by section 161. 6 (2) To be eligible to receive state aid under this act, 7 not NOT later than the twenty-fourth Wednesday after the pupil 8 membership count day and not later than the twenty-fourth 9 Wednesday after the supplemental count day, an intermediate district shall submit to the department, in a form and manner pre-10 11 scribed by the department, the audited enrollment and attendance 12 data for the pupils of its constituent districts and of the 13 14 transmit the audited data as required under this subsection, 15 state aid due to be distributed under this act shall be withheld from the defaulting intermediate district immediately, beginning 16 17 with the next payment after the failure and continuing with each payment until the intermediate district complies with this 18 19 subsection. If an intermediate district does not comply with 20 this subsection by the end of the fiscal year, the intermediate 21 district forfeits the amount withheld. 22 (3) Except as otherwise provided in this section, each district shall provide at least 180 days of pupil instruction and a 23 number of hours of pupil instruction at least equal to the 24 25 required minimum number of hours of pupil instruction required

for 2000-2001 under section 1284 of the revised school code,

MCL 380.1284. Except as otherwise provided in this act, a

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Senate Bill No. 1107 150 1 district failing to hold 180 days of pupil instruction shall 2 forfeit from its total state aid allocation for each day of fail-3 ure an amount equal to 1/180 of its total state aid allocation. Except as otherwise provided in this act, a district failing to 4 5 comply with the required minimum hours of pupil instruction under 6 this subsection shall forfeit from its total state aid allocation 7 an amount determined by applying a ratio of the number of hours 8 the district was in noncompliance in relation to the required 9 minimum number of hours under this subsection. A district failing to meet both the 180 days of pupil instruction requirement 10 and the minimum number of hours of pupil instruction requirement 11 12 under this subsection shall be penalized only the higher of the 2 13 amounts calculated under the forfeiture provisions of this subsection. Not later than August 1, the board of each district 14 15 shall certify to the department the number of days and hours of pupil instruction in the previous school year. If the district 16 17 did not hold at least 180 days and the required minimum number of 18 hours of pupil instruction under this subsection, the deduction 19 of state aid shall be made in the following fiscal year from the 20 first payment of state school aid. A district is not subject to 21 forfeiture of funds under this subsection for a fiscal year in 22 which a forfeiture was already imposed under subsection (7). 23 Days or hours lost because of strikes or teachers' conferences shall not be counted as days or hours of pupil instruction. A 24 district not having at least 75% of the district's membership in 25

attendance on any day of pupil instruction shall receive state

aid in that proportion of 1/180 that the actual percent of

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- 1 attendance bears to the specified percentage. The superintendent
- 2 shall promulgate rules for the implementation of this
- 3 subsection.
- 4 (4) The first 2 days for which pupil instruction is not pro-
- 5 vided because of conditions not within the control of school
- 6 authorities, such as severe storms, fires, epidemics, or health
- 7 conditions as defined by the city, county, or state health
- 8 authorities, shall be counted as days of pupil instruction.
- 9 Subsequent such days shall not be counted as days of pupil
- 10 instruction.
- 11 (5) A district shall not forfeit part of its state aid
- 12 appropriation because it adopts or has in existence an alterna-
- 13 tive scheduling program for pupils in kindergarten if the program
- 14 provides at least the number of hours required under subsection
- 15 (3) for a full-time equated membership for a pupil in kindergar-
- 16 ten as provided under section 6(4).
- 17 (6) Upon application by the district for a particular fiscal
- 18 year, the superintendent may waive the minimum number of days of
- 19 pupil instruction requirement of subsection (3) for a district if
- 20 the district has adopted an experimental school year schedule in
- 21 1 or more buildings in the district if the experimental school
- 22 year schedule provides the required minimum number of hours of
- 23 pupil instruction under subsection (3) or more and is consistent
- 24 with all state board policies on school improvement and
- 25 restructuring. If a district applies for and receives a waiver
- 26 under this subsection and complies with the terms of the waiver,
- 27 for the fiscal year covered by the waiver the district is not

- 1 subject to forfeiture under this section of part of its state aid
- 2 allocation for the specific building or program covered by the
- 3 waiver.
- 4 (7) Not later than April 15 of each fiscal year, the board
- 5 of each district shall certify to the department the planned
- 6 number of days and hours of pupil instruction in the district for
- 7 the school year ending in the fiscal year. In addition to any
- 8 other penalty or forfeiture under this section, if at any time
- 9 the department determines that 1 or more of the following has
- 10 occurred in a district, the district shall forfeit in the current
- 11 fiscal year beginning in the next payment to be calculated by the
- 12 department a proportion of the funds due to the district under
- 13 this act that is equal to the proportion below 180 days and the
- 14 required minimum number of hours of pupil instruction under sub-
- 15 section (3), as specified in the following:
- 16 (a) The district fails to operate its schools for at least
- 17 180 days and the required minimum number of hours of pupil
- 18 instruction under subsection (3) in a school year, including days
- 19 counted under subsection (4).
- 20 (b) The board of the district takes formal action not to
- 21 operate its schools for at least 180 days and the required mini-
- 22 mum number of hours of pupil instruction under subsection (3) in
- 23 a school year, including days counted under subsection (4).
- 24 (8) In providing the minimum number of hours of pupil
- 25 instruction required under subsection (3), a district shall use
- 26 the following guidelines, and a district shall maintain records
- 27 to substantiate its compliance with the following guidelines:

- 1 (a) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, a pupil
- 2 must be scheduled for at least the required minimum number of
- 3 hours of instruction, excluding study halls, or at least the sum
- 4 of 90 hours plus the required minimum number of hours of instruc-
- 5 tion, including up to 2 study halls.
- 6 (b) The time a pupil is assigned to any tutorial activity in
- 7 a block schedule may be considered instructional time, unless
- 8 that time is determined in an audit to be a study hall period.
- 9 (c) A pupil in grades 9 to 12 for whom a reduced schedule is
- 10 determined to be in the individual pupil's best educational
- 11 interest must be scheduled for a number of hours equal to at
- 12 least 80% of the required minimum number of hours of pupil
- 13 instruction to be considered a full-time equivalent pupil.
- 14 (d) If a pupil in grades 9 to 12 who is enrolled in a coop-
- 15 erative education program or a special education pupil cannot
- 16 receive the required minimum number of hours of pupil instruction
- 17 solely because of travel time between instructional sites during
- 18 the school day, that travel time $\frac{1}{2}$, up to a maximum of $\frac{2-1}{2}$
- 19 hours per school week, shall be considered to be pupil instruc-
- 20 tion time for the purpose of determining whether the pupil is
- 21 receiving the required minimum number of hours of pupil
- 22 instruction. However, if a district demonstrates to the satis-
- 23 faction of the department that the travel time limitation under
- 24 this subdivision would create undue costs or hardship to the dis-
- 25 trict, the department may consider more travel time to be pupil
- 26 instruction time for this purpose. IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR
- 27 TRAVEL TIME TO BE FULLY COUNTED AS INSTRUCTIONAL TIME UNDER THIS

- 1 SUBDIVISION, A DISTRICT MUST PROVIDE DOCUMENTATION OF ACTUAL
- 2 TRAVEL TIME FOR APPLICABLE PUPILS TO THE DISTRICT'S INTERMEDIATE
- 3 DISTRICT OR PUPIL ACCOUNTING AUDITOR DURING THE DISTRICT'S PUPIL
- 4 MEMBERSHIP OR SUPPLEMENTAL COUNT AUDITS, OR BOTH, IN ACCORDANCE
- 5 WITH THE MICHIGAN PUPIL ACCOUNTING MANUAL. A DISTRICT SHALL
- 6 LIMIT THIS TRAVEL TIME TO THE EXTENT PRACTICABLE.
- 7 (9) The department shall apply the guidelines under subsec-
- 8 tion (8) in calculating the full-time equivalency of pupils.
- 9 (10) Upon application by the district for a particular
- 10 fiscal year, the superintendent may waive for a district the 180
- 11 days or minimum number of hours of pupil instruction requirement
- 12 of subsection (3) for a department-approved alternative education
- 13 program. If a district applies for and receives a waiver under
- 14 this subsection and complies with the terms of the waiver, for
- 15 the fiscal year covered by the waiver the district is not subject
- 16 to forfeiture under this section for the specific program covered
- 17 by the waiver.
- 18 (11) Beginning in 2000-2001, a district may count up to 51
- 19 hours of professional development for teachers as hours of pupil
- 20 instruction. A district that elects to use this exception shall
- 21 notify the department of its election.
- 22 Sec. 105. (1) In order to avoid a penalty under this sec-
- 23 tion, and in order to count a nonresident pupil residing within
- 24 the same intermediate district in membership without the approval
- 25 of the pupil's district of residence, a district shall comply
- 26 with this section.

- 1 (2) Except as otherwise provided in this section, a district
- 2 shall determine whether or not it will accept applications for
- 3 enrollment by nonresident applicants residing within the same
- 4 intermediate district for the next school year. If the district
- 5 determines to accept applications for enrollment of a number of
- 6 nonresidents, beyond those entitled to preference under this sec-
- 7 tion, the district shall use the following procedures for accept-
- 8 ing applications from and enrolling nonresidents:
- 9 (a) The district shall publish the grades, schools, and spe-
- 10 cial programs, if any, for which enrollment may be available to,
- 11 and for which applications will be accepted from, nonresident
- 12 applicants residing within the same intermediate district.
- (b) If the district has a limited number of positions avail-
- 14 able for nonresidents residing within the same intermediate dis-
- 15 trict in a grade, school, or program, all of the following apply
- 16 to accepting applications for and enrollment of nonresidents in
- 17 that grade, school, or program:
- 18 (i) The district shall do all of the following not later
- 19 than the second Friday in August:
- 20 (A) Provide notice to the general public that applications
- 21 will be taken for a 15-day period from nonresidents residing
- 22 within the same intermediate district for enrollment in that
- 23 grade, school, or program. The notice shall identify the 15-day
- 24 period and the place and manner for submitting applications.
- 25 (B) During the application period under
- 26 sub-subparagraph (A), accept applications from nonresidents

- 1 residing within the same intermediate district for enrollment in
- 2 that grade, school, or program.
- 3 (C) Within 15 days after the end of the application period
- 4 under sub-subparagraph (A), using the procedures and preferences
- 5 required under this section, determine which nonresident appli-
- 6 cants will be allowed to enroll in that grade, school, or pro-
- 7 gram, using the random draw system required under subsection (13)
- 8 as necessary, and notify the parent or legal guardian of each
- 9 nonresident applicant of whether or not the applicant may enroll
- 10 in the district. The notification to parents or legal guardians
- 11 of nonresident applicants accepted for enrollment shall contain
- 12 notification of the date by which the applicant must enroll in
- 13 the district and procedures for enrollment.
- (ii) Beginning on the third Monday in August and not later
- 15 than the end of the first week of school, if any positions become
- 16 available in a grade, school, or program due to accepted appli-
- 17 cants failing to enroll or to more positions being added, the
- 18 district may enroll nonresident applicants from the waiting list
- 19 maintained under subsection (13), offering enrollment in the
- 20 order that applicants appear on the waiting list. If there are
- 21 still positions available after enrolling all applicants from the
- 22 waiting list who desire to enroll, the district may not fill
- 23 those positions until the second semester enrollment under sub-
- 24 section (3), as provided under that subsection, or until the next
- 25 school year.
- (c) For a grade, school, or program that has an unlimited
- 27 number of positions available for nonresidents residing within

- 1 the same intermediate district, all of the following apply to
- 2 enrollment of nonresidents in that grade, school, or program:
- 3 (i) The district may accept applications for enrollment in
- 4 that grade, school, or program, and may enroll nonresidents
- 5 residing within the same intermediate district in that grade,
- 6 school, or program, until the end of the first week of school.
- 7 The district shall provide notice to the general public of the
- 8 place and manner for submitting applications and, if the district
- 9 has a limited application period, the notice shall include the
- 10 dates of the application period. The application period shall be
- 11 at least a 15-day period.
- 12 (ii) Not later than the end of the first week of school, the
- 13 district shall notify the parent or legal guardian of each non-
- 14 resident applicant who is accepted for enrollment that the appli-
- 15 cant has been accepted for enrollment in the grade, school, or
- 16 program and of the date by which the applicant must enroll in the
- 17 district and the procedures for enrollment.
- 18 (3) If a district determines during the first semester of a
- 19 school year that it has positions available for enrollment of a
- 20 number of nonresidents residing within the same intermediate dis-
- 21 trict, beyond those entitled to preference under this section,
- 22 for the second semester of the school year, the district may
- 23 accept applications from and enroll nonresidents residing within
- 24 the same intermediate district for the second semester using the
- 25 following procedures:
- 26 (a) Not later than 2 weeks before the end of the first
- 27 semester, the district shall publish the grades, schools, and

- 1 special programs, if any, for which enrollment for the second
- 2 semester may be available to, and for which applications will be
- 3 accepted from, nonresident applicants residing within the same
- 4 intermediate district.
- 5 (b) During the last 2 weeks of the first semester, the dis-
- 6 trict shall accept applications from nonresidents residing within
- 7 the same intermediate district for enrollment for the second
- 8 semester in the available grades, schools, and programs.
- 9 (c) By the beginning of the second semester, using the pro-
- 10 cedures and preferences required under this section, the district
- 11 shall determine which nonresident applicants will be allowed to
- 12 enroll in the district for the second semester and notify the
- 13 parent or legal guardian of each nonresident applicant residing
- 14 within the same intermediate district of whether or not the
- 15 applicant may enroll in the district. The notification to par-
- 16 ents or legal guardians of nonresident applicants accepted for
- 17 enrollment shall contain notification of the date by which the
- 18 applicant must enroll in the district and procedures for
- 19 enrollment.
- 20 (4) If deadlines similar to those described in subsection
- 21 (2) or (3) have been established in an intermediate district, and
- 22 if those deadlines are not later than the deadlines under
- 23 subsection (2) or (3), the districts within the intermediate dis-
- 24 trict may use those deadlines.
- 25 (5) A district offering to enroll nonresident applicants
- 26 residing within the same intermediate district may limit the
- 27 number of nonresident pupils it accepts in a grade, school, or

- 1 program, at its discretion, and may use that limit as the reason
- 2 for refusal to enroll an applicant.
- 3 (6) A nonresident applicant residing within the same inter-
- 4 mediate district shall not be granted or refused enrollment based
- 5 on intellectual, academic, artistic, or other ability, talent, or
- 6 accomplishment, or lack thereof, or based on a mental or physical
- 7 disability, except that a district may refuse to admit a nonresi-
- 8 dent applicant if the applicant does not meet the same criteria,
- 9 other than residence, that an applicant who is a resident of the
- 10 district must meet to be accepted for enrollment in a grade or a
- 11 specialized, magnet, or intra-district choice school or program
- 12 to which the applicant applies.
- 13 (7) A nonresident applicant residing within the same inter-
- 14 mediate district shall not be granted or refused enrollment based
- 15 on age, except that a district may refuse to admit a nonresident
- 16 applicant applying for a program that is not appropriate for the
- 17 age of the applicant.
- 18 (8) A nonresident applicant residing within the same inter-
- 19 mediate district shall not be granted or refused enrollment based
- 20 upon religion, race, color, national origin, sex, height, weight,
- 21 marital status, or athletic ability, or, generally, in violation
- 22 of any state or federal law prohibiting discrimination.
- 23 (9) A district may refuse to enroll a nonresident applicant
- 24 if the applicant is, or has been within the preceding 2 years,
- 25 suspended from another school or if the applicant has ever been
- 26 expelled from another school.

- 1 (10) A district shall continue to allow a pupil who was
- 2 enrolled in and attended the district under this section in the
- 3 school year or semester immediately preceding the school year or
- 4 semester in question to enroll in the district until the pupil
- 5 graduates from high school. This subsection does not prohibit a
- 6 district from expelling a pupil described in this subsection for
- 7 disciplinary reasons.
- 8 (11) A district shall give preference for enrollment under
- 9 this section over all other nonresident applicants residing
- 10 within the same intermediate district to other school-age chil-
- 11 dren who reside in the same household as a pupil described in
- **12** subsection (10).
- 13 (12) If a nonresident pupil was enrolled in and attending
- 14 school in a district as a nonresident pupil in the 1995-96 school
- 15 year and continues to be enrolled continuously each school year
- 16 in that district, the district shall allow that nonresident pupil
- 17 to continue to enroll in and attend school in the district until
- 18 high school graduation, without requiring the nonresident pupil
- 19 to apply for enrollment under this section. This subsection does
- 20 not prohibit a district from expelling a pupil described in this
- 21 subsection for disciplinary reasons.
- 22 (13) If the number of qualified nonresident applicants eli-
- 23 gible for acceptance in a school, grade, or program does not
- 24 exceed the positions available for nonresident pupils in the
- 25 school, grade, or program, the school district shall accept for
- 26 enrollment all of the qualified nonresident applicants eligible
- 27 for acceptance. If the number of qualified nonresident

- 1 applicants residing within the same intermediate district
- 2 eligible for acceptance exceeds the positions available in a
- 3 grade, school, or program in a district for nonresident pupils,
- 4 the district shall use a random draw system, subject to the need
- 5 to abide by state and federal antidiscrimination laws and court
- 6 orders and subject to preferences allowed by this section. The
- 7 district shall develop and maintain a waiting list based on the
- 8 order in which nonresident applicants were drawn under this
- 9 random draw system.
- 10 (14) If a district, or the nonresident applicant, requests
- 11 the district in which a nonresident applicant resides to supply
- 12 information needed by the district for evaluating the applicant's
- 13 application for enrollment or for enrolling the applicant, the
- 14 district of residence shall provide that information on a timely
- 15 basis.
- 16 (15) If a district is subject to a court-ordered desegrega-
- 17 tion plan, and if the court issues an order prohibiting pupils
- 18 residing in that district from enrolling in another district or
- 19 prohibiting pupils residing in another district from enrolling in
- 20 that district, this section is subject to the court order.
- 21 (16) This section does not require a district to provide
- 22 transportation for a nonresident pupil enrolled in the district
- 23 under this section or for a resident pupil enrolled in another
- 24 district under this section. However, at the time a nonresident
- 25 pupil enrolls in the district, a district shall provide to the
- 26 pupil's parent or legal guardian information on available

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in that district.

1 transportation to and from the school in which the pupil 2 enrolls. 3 (17) If, in a particular state fiscal year, SUBJECT TO 4 SUBSECTION (20), IF the total number of pupils enrolled and 5 counted in membership in a district FOR 2001-2002 is less than 6 90% of the total number of pupils residing in the district who 7 are enrolled and counted in membership in either that district or 1 or more other districts FOR 2001-2002, the total amount of 8 9 money allocated to that district FOR 2001-2002 under -section 20 10 SECTIONS 22A AND 22B shall be adjusted so that the district receives a total allocation under -section 20 THOSE SECTIONS 11 12 equal to the amount the district would receive under - section 20 13 THOSE SECTIONS if exactly 90% of the pupils residing in the dis-14 trict who are enrolled and counted in either that district or 1

- 17 (18) SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION (20), IF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF
- 18 PUPILS ENROLLED AND COUNTED IN MEMBERSHIP IN A DISTRICT FOR
- 19 2002-2003 IS LESS THAN 70% OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF PUPILS RESIDING

or more other districts were enrolled and counted in membership

- 20 IN THE DISTRICT WHO ARE ENROLLED AND COUNTED IN MEMBERSHIP IN
- 21 EITHER THAT DISTRICT OR 1 OR MORE OTHER DISTRICTS FOR 2002-2003,
- 22 THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF MONEY ALLOCATED TO THAT DISTRICT UNDER SEC-
- 23 TIONS 22A AND 22B SHALL BE ADJUSTED SO THAT THE DISTRICT RECEIVES
- 24 A TOTAL ALLOCATION UNDER THOSE SECTIONS EQUAL TO THE AMOUNT THE
- 25 DISTRICT WOULD RECEIVE UNDER THOSE SECTIONS IF EXACTLY 70% OF THE
- 26 PUPILS RESIDING IN THE DISTRICT WHO ARE ENROLLED AND COUNTED IN

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- 1 EITHER THAT DISTRICT OR 1 OR MORE OTHER DISTRICTS WERE ENROLLED
- 2 AND COUNTED IN MEMBERSHIP IN THAT DISTRICT.
- 3 (19) SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION (20), IF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF
- 4 PUPILS ENROLLED AND COUNTED IN MEMBERSHIP IN A DISTRICT FOR
- 5 2003-2004 IS LESS THAN 50% OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF PUPILS RESIDING
- 6 IN THE DISTRICT WHO ARE ENROLLED AND COUNTED IN MEMBERSHIP IN
- 7 EITHER THAT DISTRICT OR 1 OR MORE OTHER DISTRICTS FOR 2003-2004,
- 8 THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF MONEY ALLOCATED TO THAT DISTRICT UNDER SEC-
- 9 TIONS 22A AND 22B SHALL BE ADJUSTED SO THAT THE DISTRICT RECEIVES
- 10 A TOTAL ALLOCATION UNDER THOSE SECTIONS EQUAL TO THE AMOUNT THE
- 11 DISTRICT WOULD RECEIVE UNDER THOSE SECTIONS IF EXACTLY 50% OF THE
- 12 PUPILS RESIDING IN THE DISTRICT WHO ARE ENROLLED AND COUNTED IN
- 13 EITHER THAT DISTRICT OR 1 OR MORE OTHER DISTRICTS WERE ENROLLED
- 14 AND COUNTED IN MEMBERSHIP IN THAT DISTRICT.
- 15 (20) A DISTRICT IS ELIGIBLE FOR A FUNDING ADJUSTMENT UNDER
- 16 SUBSECTION (17), (18), OR (19) ONLY IF THE DISTRICT MEETS BOTH OF
- 17 THE FOLLOWING:
- 18 (A) THE DISTRICT RECEIVED A FUNDING ADJUSTMENT UNDER 1 OF
- 19 THOSE SUBSECTIONS FOR THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING FISCAL YEAR.
- 20 (B) THE DISTRICT DOES NOT RECEIVE ADDITIONAL FUNDING DUE TO
- 21 THE MEMBERSHIP CALCULATION UNDER SECTION 6(4)(Y).
- 22 (21) -(18) A district may participate in a cooperative edu-
- 23 cation program with 1 or more other districts or intermediate
- 24 districts whether or not the district enrolls any nonresidents
- 25 pursuant to this section.
- 26 (22) $\frac{}{(19)}$ A district that, pursuant to this section,
- 27 enrolls a nonresident pupil who is eligible for special education

- 1 programs and services according to statute or rule, or who is a
- 2 child with disabilities, as defined under the individuals with
- 3 disabilities education act, title VI of Public Law 91-230, shall
- 4 be considered to be the resident district of the pupil for the
- 5 purpose of providing the pupil with a free appropriate public
- 6 education. Consistent with state and federal law, that district
- 7 is responsible for developing and implementing an individualized
- 8 education plan annually for a nonresident pupil described in this
- 9 subsection.
- 10 (23) $\overline{(20)}$ If a district does not comply with this section,
- 11 the district forfeits 5% of the total state school aid allocation
- 12 to the district under this act.
- 13 (24) $\overline{(21)}$ Upon application by a district, the superinten-
- 14 dent may grant a waiver for the district from a specific require-
- 15 ment under this section for not more than 1 year.
- 16 Sec. 107. (1) From the appropriation in section 11, there
- 17 is allocated an amount not to exceed \$80,000,000.00 for
- 19 fiscal year for 2001-2002 AND AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED
- 20 \$80,000,000.00 FOR 2002-2003 for adult education programs autho-
- 21 rized under this section.
- 22 (2) To be eligible to be a participant funded under this
- 23 section, a person shall be enrolled in an adult basic education
- 24 program, an adult English as a second language program, a general
- 25 education development (G.E.D.) test preparation program, a job
- 26 or employment related program, or a high school completion

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- 1 program, that meets the requirements of this section, and shall
- 2 meet either of the following, as applicable:
- 3 (a) If the individual has obtained a high school diploma or
- 4 a general education development (G.E.D.) certificate, the indi-
- 5 vidual meets 1 of the following:
- 6 (i) Is less than 20 years of age on September 1 of the
- 7 school year and is enrolled in the state technical institute and
- 8 rehabilitation center.
- 9 (ii) Is less than 20 years of age on September 1 of the
- 10 school year, is not attending an institution of higher education,
- 11 and is enrolled in a job or employment-related program through a
- 12 referral by an employer.
- 13 (iii) Is enrolled in an English as a second language
- 14 program.
- 15 (iv) Is enrolled in a high school completion program.
- 16 (b) If the individual has not obtained a high school diploma
- 17 or G.E.D. certificate, is at least 20 years of age on September 1
- 18 of the school year.
- 19 (3) The amount allocated under subsection (1) shall be dis-
- 20 tributed as follows:
- 21 (a) For districts and consortia that received payments for
- 22 1995-96 under former section 107f and that received payments for
- 23 1996-97 under subsection (4) of this section as in effect in
- 24 1996-97, the amount allocated to each $\frac{1}{1}$ for
- 25 2001-2002 AND FOR 2002-2003 shall be an amount each fiscal
- 26 year equal to 36.76% of the amount the district or consortium
- 27 received for 1995-96 under former section 107f.

- 1 (b) For districts and consortia that received payments under
- 2 subsection (3) of this section as in effect for 1996-97, the
- 4 FOR 2002-2003 shall be an amount each fiscal year equal to the
- 5 product of the number of full-time equated participants actually
- 6 enrolled and in attendance during the 1996-97 school fiscal year
- 7 in the program funded under subsection (3) of this section as in
- 8 effect for 1996-97 as reported to the department OF CAREER
- 9 DEVELOPMENT, audited, and adjusted according to subsection (10)
- 10 of this section as in effect for 1996-97, multiplied by
- **11** \$2,750.00.
- 12 (c) For districts and consortia that meet the conditions of
- 13 both subdivisions (a) and (b), the amount allocated each fiscal
- 14 year for 2000-2001, for 2001-2002 , and for 2002-2003 shall
- 15 be the sum of the allocations to the district or consortium under
- 16 subdivisions (a) and (b).
- 17 (d) A district or consortium that received funding in
- 18 1996-97 under this section as in effect for 1996-97 may operate
- 19 independently of a consortium or join or form a consortium for
- **20** $\frac{2000-2001}{1}$, for 2001-2002 $\frac{1}{1}$, or for 2002-2003. The allocation
- **21** for 2000-2001, for 2001-2002 -, or for 2002-2003 to the dis-
- 22 trict or the newly formed consortium under this subsection shall
- 23 be determined by the department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT and shall
- 24 be based on the proportion of the amounts specified in
- 25 subdivision (a) or (b), or both, that are attributable to the
- 26 district or consortium that received funding in 1996-97. A
- 27 district or consortium described in this subdivision shall notify

- 1 the department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT of its intention with regard
- 2 to $\frac{2000-2001}{}$ 2001-2002 $\frac{}{}$ or 2002-2003 by October 1 of the
- 3 affected fiscal year.
- 4 (4) A district that operated an adult education program in
- 5 1996-97 and does not intend to operate a program in $\frac{2000-2001}{1}$,
- 6 2001-2002 —, or 2002-2003 shall notify the department OF CAREER
- 7 DEVELOPMENT by October 1 of the affected fiscal year of its
- 8 intention. The funds intended to be allocated under this section
- 9 to a district that does not operate a program in $\frac{2000-2001}{1}$,
- 10 2001-2002 $\overline{}$ or 2002-2003 and the unspent funds originally allo-
- 11 cated under this section to a district or consortium that subse-
- 12 quently operates a program at less than the level of funding
- 13 allocated under subsection (3) shall instead be proportionately
- 14 reallocated to the other districts described in subsection (3)(a)
- 15 that are operating an adult education program in -2000-2001,
- 16 2001-2002 or 2002-2003 under this section.
- 17 (5) The amount allocated under this section per full-time
- 18 equated participant is \$2,850.00 for a 450-hour program. The
- 19 amount shall be proportionately reduced for a program offering
- 20 less than 450 hours of instruction.
- 21 (6) An adult basic education program or an adult English as
- 22 a second language program operated on a year-round or school year
- 23 basis may be funded under this section, subject to all of the
- 24 following:
- 25 (a) The program enrolls adults who are determined by an
- 26 appropriate assessment to be below ninth grade level in reading
- 27 or mathematics, or both, or to lack basic English proficiency.

- 1 (b) The program tests individuals for eligibility under
- 2 subdivision (a) before enrollment and tests participants to
- 3 determine progress after every 90 hours of attendance, using
- 4 assessment instruments approved by the department OF CAREER
- **5** DEVELOPMENT.
- 6 (c) A participant in an adult basic education program is
- 7 eligible for reimbursement until 1 of the following occurs:
- **8** (i) The participant's reading and mathematics proficiency
- 9 are assessed at or above the ninth grade level.
- 10 (ii) The participant fails to show progress on 2 successive
- 11 assessments after having completed at least 450 hours of
- 12 instruction.
- (d) A funding recipient enrolling a participant in an
- 14 English as a second language program is eligible for funding
- 15 according to subsection (10) until the participant meets 1 of the
- 16 following:
- 17 (i) The participant is assessed as having attained basic
- 18 English proficiency.
- 19 (ii) The participant fails to show progress on 2 successive
- 20 assessments after having completed at least 450 hours of
- 21 instruction. The department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT shall provide
- 22 information to a funding recipient regarding appropriate assess-
- 23 ment instruments for this program.
- 24 (7) A general education development (G.E.D.) test prepara-
- 25 tion program operated on a year-round or school year basis may be
- 26 funded under this section, subject to all of the following:

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- 1 (a) The program enrolls adults who do not have a high school
- 2 diploma.
- 3 (b) The program shall administer a G.E.D. pre-test approved
- 4 by the department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT before enrolling an indi-
- 5 vidual to determine the individual's potential for success on the
- 6 G.E.D. test, and shall administer other tests after every 90
- 7 hours of attendance to determine a participant's readiness to
- 8 take the G.E.D. test.
- 9 (c) A funding recipient shall receive funding according to
- 10 subsection (10) for a participant, and a participant may be
- 11 enrolled in the program until 1 of the following occurs:
- 12 (i) The participant passes the G.E.D. test.
- 13 (ii) The participant fails to show progress on 2 successive
- 14 tests used to determine readiness to take the G.E.D. test after
- 15 having completed at least 450 hours of instruction.
- 16 (8) A high school completion program operated on a
- 17 year-round or school year basis may be funded under this section,
- 18 subject to all of the following:
- 19 (a) The program enrolls adults who do not have a high school
- 20 diploma.
- 21 (b) A funding recipient shall receive funding according to
- 22 subsection (10) for a participant in a course offered under this
- 23 subsection until 1 of the following occurs:
- 24 (i) The participant passes the course and earns a high
- 25 school diploma.

- 1 (ii) The participant fails to earn credit in 2 successive
- 2 semesters or terms in which the participant is enrolled after
- 3 having completed at least 900 hours of instruction.
- 4 (9) A job or employment-related adult education program
- 5 operated on a year-round or school year basis may be funded under
- 6 this section, subject to all of the following:
- 7 (a) The program enrolls adults referred by their employer
- 8 who are less than 20 years of age, have a high school diploma,
- 9 are determined to be in need of remedial mathematics or communi-
- 10 cation arts skills and are not attending an institution of higher
- 11 education.
- 12 (b) An individual may be enrolled in this program and the
- 13 grant recipient shall receive funding according to subsection
- 14 (10) until 1 of the following occurs:
- 15 (i) The individual achieves the requisite skills as deter-
- 16 mined by appropriate assessment instruments administered at least
- 17 after every 90 hours of attendance.
- 18 (ii) The individual fails to show progress on 2 successive
- 19 assessments after having completed at least 450 hours of
- 20 instruction. The department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT shall provide
- 21 information to a funding recipient regarding appropriate assess-
- 22 ment instruments for this program.
- 23 (10) A funding recipient shall receive payments under this
- 24 section in accordance with the following:
- 25 (a) Ninety percent for enrollment of eligible participants.
- 26 (b) Ten percent for completion of the adult basic education
- 27 objectives by achieving an increase of at least 1 grade level of

- 1 proficiency in reading or mathematics; for achieving basic
- 2 English proficiency; for passage of the G.E.D. test; for passage
- 3 of a course required for a participant to attain a high school
- 4 diploma; or for completion of the course and demonstrated profi-
- 5 ciency in the academic skills to be learned in the course, as
- 6 applicable.
- 7 (11) As used in this section, "participant" means the sum of
- 8 the number of full-time equated individuals enrolled in and
- 9 attending a department-approved adult education program under
- 10 this section, using quarterly participant count days on the
- 11 schedule described in section 6(7)(b).
- 12 (12) A person who is not eligible to be a participant funded
- 13 under this section may receive adult education services upon the
- 14 payment of tuition. In addition, a person who is not eligible to
- 15 be served in a program under this section due to the program lim-
- 16 itations specified in subsection (6), (7), (8), or (9) may con-
- 17 tinue to receive adult education services in that program upon
- 18 the payment of tuition. The tuition level shall be determined by
- 19 the local or intermediate district conducting the program.
- 20 (13) An individual who is an inmate in a state correctional
- 21 facility shall not be counted as a participant under this
- 22 section.
- 23 (14) A district shall not commingle money received under
- 24 this section or from another source for adult education purposes
- 25 with any other funds of the district. A district receiving adult
- 26 education funds shall establish a separate ledger account for
- 27 those funds. This subsection does not prohibit a district from

- 1 using general funds of the district to support an adult education
- 2 or community education program.
- 3 (15) The department shall work with the department of educa-
- 4 tion to ensure that this section is administered in the same
- 5 manner as in 1998-99.
- 6 (16) As used in this section and section 108, "department"
- 7 means the department of career development.
- 8 Sec. 108. (1) From the general fund appropriation in
- 9 section 11, there is allocated for 2000-2001, 2001-2002, and
- 10 2002-2003 an amount not to exceed \$20,000,000.00 each fiscal
- 11 year FOR 2001-2002 AND AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$20,000,000.00
- 12 FOR 2002-2003 for partnership for adult learning programs autho-
- 13 rized under this section.
- 14 (2) To be eligible to be enrolled as a participant in an
- 15 adult learning program funded under this section, a person shall
- 16 be at least 16 years of age as of September 1 of the immediately
- 17 preceding state fiscal year and shall meet the following, as
- 18 applicable:
- 19 (a) If the individual has obtained a high school diploma or
- 20 a general education development (G.E.D.) certificate, the indi-
- 21 vidual is determined to have English language proficiency, read-
- 22 ing, writing, or math skills below workforce readiness standards
- 23 as determined by -department-approved tests APPROVED BY THE
- 24 DEPARTMENT OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT and is not enrolled in a post-
- 25 secondary institution. An individual who has obtained a high
- 26 school diploma is not eligible for enrollment in a G.E.D. test
- 27 preparation program funded under this section.

- 1 (b) If the individual has not obtained a high school diploma
- 2 or a G.E.D. certificate, the individual has not attended a sec-
- 3 ondary institution for at least 6 months before enrollment in an
- 4 adult learning program funded under this section and is not
- 5 enrolled in a postsecondary institution.
- 6 (3) From the allocation under subsection (1), an amount not
- 7 to exceed \$19,800,000.00 is allocated each fiscal year for
- 8 $\frac{2000-2001}{}$ for 2001-2002 $\frac{}{}$ and AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED
- 9 \$19,800,000.00 IS ALLOCATED for 2002-2003 to local workforce
- 10 development boards for the purpose of providing regional adult
- 11 learning programs. An application for a grant under this subsec-
- 12 tion shall be in the form and manner prescribed by the department
- 13 OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT. Subject to subsections (4), (5), and (6),
- 14 the amount allocated to each local workforce development board
- 15 shall be as provided in this subsection, except that an eligible
- 16 local workforce development board shall not receive an initial
- 17 allocation under this section that is less than \$70,000.00. The
- 18 maximum amount of a grant awarded to an eligible local workforce
- 19 development board shall be the sum of the following components:
- 20 (a) Thirty-four percent of the allocation under this subsec-
- 21 tion multiplied by the proportion of the family independence
- 22 agency caseload in the local workforce development board region
- 23 to the statewide family independence agency caseload.
- 24 (b) Thirty-three percent of the allocation under this sub-
- 25 section multiplied by the proportion of the number of persons in
- 26 the local workforce development board region over age 17 who have
- 27 not received a high school diploma compared to the statewide

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- 1 total of persons over age 17 who have not received a high school
- 2 diploma.
- 3 (c) Thirty-three percent of the allocation under this sub-
- 4 section multiplied by the proportion of the number of persons in
- 5 the local workforce development board region over age 17 for whom
- 6 English is not a primary language compared to the statewide total
- 7 of persons over age 17 for whom English is not a primary
- 8 language.
- 9 (4) The amount of a grant to a local workforce development
- 10 board under subsection (3) shall not exceed the cost for adult
- 11 learning programs needed in the local workforce development board
- 12 region, as documented in a manner approved by the department OF
- 13 CAREER DEVELOPMENT.
- 14 (5) Not more than 9% of a grant awarded to a local workforce
- 15 development board may be used for program administration, includ-
- 16 ing contracting for the provision of career and educational
- 17 information, counseling services, and assessment services.
- 18 (6) In order to receive funds under this section, a local
- 19 workforce development board shall comply with the following
- 20 requirements in a manner approved by the department OF CAREER
- 21 DEVELOPMENT:
- 22 (a) The local workforce development board shall document the
- 23 need for adult learning programs in the local workforce develop-
- 24 ment region.
- 25 (b) The local workforce development board shall report par-
- 26 ticipant outcomes and other measurements of program performance.

- 1 (c) The local workforce development board shall develop a
- 2 strategic plan that incorporates adult learning programs in the
- 3 region. Beginning in 2001-2002, a A local workforce develop-
- 4 ment board is not eligible for state funds under this section
- 5 without a department-approved strategic plan APPROVED BY THE
- 6 DEPARTMENT OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT.
- 7 (d) The local workforce development board shall furnish to
- 8 the department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT, in a form and manner deter-
- 9 mined by the department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT, the information
- 10 the department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT determines is necessary to
- 11 administer this section.
- 12 (e) The local workforce development board shall allow access
- 13 for the department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT or the department's
- 14 ITS designee to audit all records related to adult learning pro-
- 15 grams for which it receives funds. The local workforce develop-
- 16 ment board shall reimburse this state for all disallowances found
- 17 in the audit in a manner determined by the department OF CAREER
- 18 DEVELOPMENT.
- 19 (7) Local workforce development boards shall distribute
- 20 funds to eligible adult learning providers as follows:
- 21 (a) Not less than 85% of a grant award shall be used to sup-
- 22 port programs that improve reading, writing, and math skills to
- 23 workforce readiness standards; English as a second language pro-
- 24 grams; G.E.D. preparation programs; high school completion pro-
- 25 grams; or workforce readiness programs in the local workforce
- 26 development board region. These programs may include the

- 1 provision of career and educational information, counseling
- 2 services, and assessment services.
- 3 (b) Up to 15% of a grant award may be used to support work-
- 4 force readiness programs for employers in the local workforce
- 5 development board region as approved by the department OF CAREER
- 6 DEVELOPMENT. Employers or consortia of employers whose employees
- 7 participate in these programs must provide matching funds in a
- 8 ratio of at least \$1.00 of private funds for each \$1.00 of state
- 9 funds.
- 10 (8) Local workforce development boards shall award competi-
- 11 tive grants to eligible adult learning providers for the purpose
- 12 of providing adult learning programs in the local workforce
- 13 development board region. Applications shall be in a form and
- 14 manner prescribed by the department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT. In
- 15 awarding grants, local workforce development boards shall con-
- 16 sider all of the following:
- 17 (a) The ability of the provider to assess individuals before
- 18 enrollment using department-approved assessment tools APPROVED
- 19 BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT and to develop individual
- 20 adult learner plans from those assessments for each participant.
- 21 (b) The ability of the provider to conduct continuing
- 22 assessments in a manner approved by the department OF CAREER
- 23 DEVELOPMENT to determine participant progress toward achieving
- 24 the goals established in individual adult learner plans.
- 25 (c) The past effectiveness of an eligible provider in
- 26 improving adult literacy skills and -, beginning in 2001-2002,
- 27 the success of an eligible provider in meeting or exceeding

- 1 department-approved performance measures APPROVED BY THE
- 2 DEPARTMENT OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT.
- 3 (d) Whether the program is of sufficient intensity and dura-
- 4 tion for participants to achieve substantial learning gains.
- 5 (e) Whether the program uses research-based instructional
- 6 practices that have proven to be effective in teaching adult
- 7 learners.
- 8 (f) Whether the program uses advances in technology, as
- 9 appropriate, including computers.
- 10 (g) Whether the programs are staffed by well-trained teach-
- 11 ers, counselors, and administrators.
- 12 (h) Whether the activities coordinate with other available
- 13 resources in the community, such as schools, postsecondary insti-
- 14 tutions, job training programs, and social service agencies.
- (i) Whether the provider offers flexible schedules and sup-
- 16 port services, such as child care and transportation, that enable
- 17 participants, including individuals with disabilities or other
- 18 special needs, to attend and complete programs.
- (j) Whether the provider offers adequate job and postsecond-
- 20 ary education counseling services.
- 21 (k) Whether the provider can maintain an information manage-
- 22 ment system that has the capacity to report participant outcomes
- 23 and monitor program performance against department-approved
- 24 performance measures APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CAREER
- 25 DEVELOPMENT.
- 26 (l) Whether the provider will allow access for the local
- 27 workforce development board or its designee to audit all records

- 1 related to adult learning programs for which it receives funds.
- 2 The adult learning provider shall reimburse the local workforce
- 3 development board for all disallowances found in the audit.
- 4 (m) The cost per participant contact hour or unit of measur-
- 5 able outcome for each type of adult learning program for which
- 6 the provider is applying.
- 7 (9) Beginning in 2001-2002, contracts CONTRACTS awarded by
- 8 local workforce development boards to adult learning providers
- 9 shall comply with the priorities established in a
- 10 department-approved strategic plan APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT
- 11 OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT.
- 12 (10) Adult learning providers that do not agree with the
- 13 decisions of the local workforce development board in issuing or
- 14 administering competitive grants may use the grievance procedure
- 15 established by the department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT.
- 16 (11) Local workforce development boards shall reimburse eli-
- 17 gible adult learning providers under this section as follows:
- 18 (a) For a first-time provider, as follows:
- 19 (i) Fifty percent of the contract amount shall be allocated
- 20 to eligible adult learning providers based upon enrollment of
- 21 participants in adult learning programs. "Enrollment" means a
- 22 participant enrolled in the program who received a preenrollment
- 23 assessment using department-approved assessment tools APPROVED
- 24 BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT and for whom an individ-
- 25 ual adult learner plan has been developed.
- 26 (ii) Fifty percent of the contract amount shall be allocated
- 27 to eligible adult learning providers based upon the following

- 1 performance standards as measured in a department-approved
- 2 manner APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT:
- 3 (A) The percentage of participants taking both a pretest and
- 4 a posttest in English language proficiency, reading, writing, and
- 5 math.
- 6 (B) The percentage of participants showing improvement
- 7 toward goals identified in their individual adult learner plan.
- 8 (C) The percentage of participants achieving their terminal
- 9 goals as identified in their individual adult learner plan.
- 10 (b) Beginning in 2001-2002, eligible ELIGIBLE providers
- 11 that have provided adult learning programs previously under this
- 12 section shall be reimbursed 100% of the contract amount based
- 13 upon the performance standards in subdivision (a)(ii) as measured
- 14 in a manner determined by the department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT.
- 15 (c) A provider is eligible for reimbursement for a partici-
- 16 pant in an adult learning program until the participant's read-
- 17 ing, writing, or math proficiency, as applicable, is assessed at
- 18 workforce readiness levels or the participant fails to show
- 19 progress on 2 successive assessments as determined by the depart-
- 20 ment OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT.
- 21 (d) A provider is eligible for reimbursement for a partici-
- 22 pant in an English as a second language program until the partic-
- 23 ipant is assessed as having attained basic English proficiency or
- 24 the participant fails to show progress on 2 successive assess-
- 25 ments as determined by the department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT.
- (e) A provider is eligible for reimbursement for a
- 27 participant in a G.E.D. test preparation program until the

- 1 participant passes the G.E.D. test or the participant fails to
- 2 show progress on 2 successive assessments as determined by the
- 3 department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT.
- 4 (f) A provider is eligible for reimbursement for a partici-
- 5 pant in a high school completion program until the participant
- 6 earns a high school diploma or the participant fails to show
- 7 progress as determined by the department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT.
- 8 (12) A person who is not eligible to be a participant funded
- 9 under this section may receive adult learning services upon the
- 10 payment of tuition or fees for service. The tuition or fee level
- 11 shall be determined by the adult learning provider and approved
- 12 by the local workforce development board.
- 13 (13) Adult learning providers may collect refundable depos-
- 14 its from participants for the use of reusable equipment and sup-
- 15 plies and may provide incentives for program completion.
- 16 (14) A provider shall not be reimbursed under this section
- 17 for an individual who is an inmate in a state correctional
- 18 facility.
- 19 (15) In order to administer the partnership for adult learn-
- 20 ing system under this section, the department OF CAREER
- 21 DEVELOPMENT shall do all of the following:
- 22 (a) Develop and provide guidelines to local workforce devel-
- 23 opment boards for the development of strategic plans that incor-
- 24 porate adult learning.
- 25 (b) Develop and provide adult learning minimum program per-
- 26 formance standards to be implemented by local workforce
- 27 development boards.

- 1 (c) Identify approved assessment tools for assessing a
- 2 participant's English language proficiency, reading, math, and
- 3 writing skills.
- 4 (d) Approve workforce readiness standards for English lan-
- 5 guage proficiency, reading, math, and writing skills that can be
- 6 measured by department-approved, nationally recognized assess-
- 7 ment tools APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT.
- **8** (16) Of the amount allocated in subsection (1), up to
- 9 \$200,000.00 is allocated to the department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT
- 10 for the development and administration of a standardized data
- 11 collection system. Beginning in 2001-2002, local LOCAL work-
- 12 force development boards and adult learning providers receiving
- 13 funding under this section shall use the standardized data col-
- 14 lection system for enrolling participants in adult learning pro-
- 15 grams, tracking participant progress, reporting participant out-
- 16 comes, and reporting other performance measures.
- 17 (17) A provider is not required to use certificated teachers
- 18 or certificated counselors to provide instructional and counsel-
- 19 ing services in a program funded under this section.
- 20 (18) As used in this section:
- 21 (a) "Adult education", for the purposes of complying with
- 22 section 3 of article VIII of the state constitution of 1963,
- 23 means a high school pupil receiving educational services in a
- 24 nontraditional setting from a district or intermediate district
- 25 in order to receive a high school diploma.
- 26 (b) "Adult learning program" means a department-approved
- 27 program APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT that

- 1 improves reading, writing, and math skills to workforce readiness
- 2 standards; an English as a second language program; a
- 3 G.E.D. preparation program; a high school completion program; or
- 4 a workforce readiness program that enhances employment
- 5 opportunities.
- 6 (c) "Department" means the department of career
- 7 development.
- 8 (C) (d) "Eligible adult learning provider" means a dis-
- 9 trict, public school academy, intermediate district, community
- 10 college, university, community-based organization, or other
- 11 organization approved by the department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT
- 12 that provides adult learning programs under a contract with a
- 13 local workforce development board.
- 14 (D) (e) "Participant" means an individual enrolled in an
- 15 adult learning program and receiving services from an eligible
- 16 adult learning provider.
- 17 (E) —(f)— "Strategic plan" means a —department-approved
- 18 document APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT that
- 19 incorporates adult learning goals and objectives for the local
- 20 workforce development board region and is developed jointly by
- 21 the local workforce development board and the education advisory
- 22 groups.
- 23 (g) "Workforce development board" means a local workforce
- 24 development board established pursuant to the workforce invest-
- 25 ment act of 1998, Public Law 105-220, 112 Stat. 936, and the
- 26 school-to-work opportunities act of 1994, Public Law 103-239, 108
- 27 Stat. 568, or the equivalent.

- 1 (h) "Workforce readiness standard" means a
- 2 department-approved level of PROFICIENCY LEVEL APPROVED BY THE
- 3 DEPARTMENT OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT IN English language, reading,
- 4 writing, or mathematics, proficiency, or any and all of these,
- 5 as determined by results from assessments approved for use by the
- 6 department OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT.
- 7 SEC. 121A. FROM THE GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATION IN
- 8 SECTION 11, THERE IS ALLOCATED FOR 2002-2003 ONLY AN AMOUNT NOT
- 9 TO EXCEED \$4,600,000.00 TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY FOR PAY-
- 10 MENTS TO LOCAL TREASURERS FOR THE COSTS OF CHANGING THE COLLEC-
- 11 TION DATE FOR THE STATE EDUCATION TAX UNDER THE STATE EDUCATION
- 12 TAX ACT, 1993 PA 331, MCL 211.901 TO 211.906. ELIGIBLE COSTS TO
- 13 BE REIMBURSED AND THE MANNER OF REIMBURSEMENT SHALL BE DETERMINED
- 14 BY THE DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY.
- 15 Sec. 147. (1) The allocations for $\frac{2000-2001}{}$ 2001-2002
- 16 —, and 2002-2003 for the public school employees' retirement
- 17 system pursuant to the public school employees retirement act of
- 18 1979, 1980 PA 300, MCL 38.1301 to 38.1408, shall be made using
- 19 the entry age normal cost actuarial method and risk assumptions
- 20 adopted by the public school employees retirement board and the
- 21 department of management and budget. The annual level percentage
- 22 of payroll contribution rate for the 2000-2001 state fiscal year
- 23 is estimated at 12.16% and the annual level percentage of payroll
- 24 contribution rate for the 2001-2002 state fiscal year is esti-
- 25 mated at 12.17%. The portion of the contribution rate assigned
- 26 to districts and intermediate districts for each fiscal year is
- 27 all of the total percentage points. This contribution rate

- 1 reflects an amortization period of 36 years for 2000-2001 and
- 2 35 years for 2001-2002 AND 34 YEARS FOR 2002-2003. The public
- 3 school employees' retirement system board shall notify each dis-
- 4 trict and intermediate district by February 28 of each fiscal
- 5 year of the estimated contribution rate for the next fiscal
- 6 year.
- 7 (2) It is the intent of the legislature that the amortiza-
- 8 tion period described in section 41(2) of the public school
- 9 employees retirement act of 1979, 1980 PA 300, MCL 38.1341, be
- 10 reduced to 30 years by the end of the 2005-2006 state fiscal year
- 11 by reducing the amortization period by not more than 1 year each
- 12 fiscal year.
- 13 Enacting section 1. In accordance with section 30 of
- 14 article IX of the state constitution of 1963, total state spend-
- 15 ing in this amendatory act and in 2001 PA 121 and 2000 PA 297
- 16 from state sources for fiscal year 2001-2002 is estimated at
- 17 \$11,213,061,700.00 and state appropriations to be paid to local
- 18 units of government for fiscal year 2001-2002 are estimated at
- 19 \$11,174,289,800.00; and total state spending in this amendatory
- 20 act and in 2001 PA 121 and 2000 PA 297 from state sources for
- 21 fiscal year 2002-2003 is estimated at \$11,465,655,900.00 and
- 22 state appropriations to be paid to local units of government for
- 23 fiscal year 2002-2003 are estimated at \$11,424,444,500.00.
- 24 Enacting section 2. (1) Sections 32g, 63, 95, 97, and 166d
- 25 of the state school aid act of 1979, 1979 PA 94, MCL 388.1632g,
- 26 388.1663, 388.1695, 388.1697, and 388.1766d, are repealed.

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- (2) Sections 22c and 33 of the state school aid act of 1979, 1
- 2 1979 PA 94, MCL 388.1622c and 388.1633, are repealed effective
- 3 October 1, 2002.
- 4 Enacting section 3. Section 19 of the state school aid act
- **5** of 1979, 1979 PA 94, MCL 388.1619, as amended by this amendatory
- 6 act, takes effect October 1, 2002.