

2SSB 5263 - S AMD 225

By Senator Braun

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1 On page 2, beginning on line 12, after "(b)" strike all material
2 through "A" on line 13 and insert "(i) Subject to the limitation in
3 (b)(ii) of this subsection (2), a"

4 On page 2, beginning on line 33, after "~~school~~" strike all
5 material through "1.32" on line 37 and insert "~~day~~) 1.32."

6 (ii) If the enrollment percent exceeds 16 percent, the excess
7 cost allocation calculated under (b)(i) of this subsection must be
8 adjusted by multiplying the allocation by 16 percent divided by the
9 enrollment percent"

10 On page 3, beginning on line 4, after "~~((Base))~~" strike all
11 material through "~~enrollment-))~~" on line 25 and insert "Basic
12 education enrollment" means enrollment of resident students including
13 nonresident students enrolled under RCW 28A.225.225 and students from
14 nonhigh districts enrolled under RCW 28A.225.210 and excluding
15 students residing in another district enrolled as part of an
16 interdistrict cooperative program under RCW 28A.225.250.

17 (b) "District's base allocation" means the total state allocation
18 to all schools in the district generated by the distribution formula
19 under RCW 28A.150.260 (4)(a), (5), (6), and (8) and the allocation
20 under RCW 28A.150.415, to be divided by the district's full-time
21 equivalent enrollment.

22 ~~((b) "Basic education enrollment" means enrollment of resident~~
23 ~~students including nonresident students enrolled under RCW~~
24 ~~28A.225.225 and students from nonhigh districts enrolled under RCW~~
25 ~~28A.225.210 and excluding students residing in another district~~
26 ~~enrolled as part of an interdistrict cooperative program under RCW~~
27 ~~28A.225.250.))~~

28 (c) "Enrollment percent" means the district's resident annual
29 average enrollment of students who are eligible for and receiving
30 special education, excluding students ages three and four and those
31 five year olds not yet enrolled in kindergarten and students enrolled

1 in institutional education programs, as a percent of the district's
2 annual average full-time equivalent basic education enrollment.

3 (d) "State average base allocation" means the total state
4 allocation to all school districts in the state generated by the
5 distribution formula under RCW 28A.150.260 (4) (a), (5), (6), and (8)
6 and the allocation under RCW 28A.150.415, to be divided by the
7 state's full-time equivalent enrollment."

8 On page 4, beginning on line 21, after "(e)" strike all material
9 through "~~(f)~~)" on line 22 and insert "and (f)"

10 On page 4, beginning on line 29, after "(f)" strike all material
11 through "~~(g)~~)" on line 36 and insert "Using criteria developed by
12 the committee, the committee shall then consider extraordinary costs
13 associated with communities that draw a larger number of families
14 with children in need of special education services, which may
15 include consideration of proximity to group homes, military bases,
16 and regional hospitals. Safety net awards under this subsection
17 (2)(f) shall be adjusted to reflect amounts awarded under (e) of this
18 subsection.

19 (g) "

20 Reletter the remaining subsections consecutively and correct any
21 internal references accordingly.

22 On page 9, beginning on line 16, after "RCW 28A.150.390(3)."
23 strike all material through "needs." on line 19

EFFECT: Reinstates the 16 percent special education funded enrollment cap that is removed in the underlying bill and aligns bill language to that effect.

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