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AMENDMENTS TO LB967

Introduced by Sullivan

1 1. Insert the following new section:

Sec. 4. Section 79-1007.20, Revised Statutes Supplement,

3 2013, is amended to read:

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4 79-1007.20 (1) School districts may apply to the

5 department for a student growth adjustment, on a form prescribed

by the department, on or before October 15 of the school fiscal

7 year immediately preceding the school fiscal year for which aid

is being calculated. Such form shall require an estimate of the

9 average daily membership for the school fiscal year for which aid

10 is being calculated, the estimated student growth calculated by

11 subtracting the fall membership of the current school fiscal year

from the estimated average daily membership for the school fiscal

13 year for which aid is being calculated, and evidence supporting

14 the estimates. On or before the immediately following December

15 1, the department shall approve the estimated student growth,

16 approve a modified student growth, or deny the application based

17 on the requirements of this section, the evidence submitted on the

18 application, and any other information provided by the department.

19 The state board shall establish procedures for appeal of decisions

of the department to the state board for final determination.

21 (2) The student growth adjustment for each approved

22 district shall equal the sum of the product of the school

23 district's basic funding per formula student multiplied by the

1 difference of the approved student growth minus the greater of

- 2 twenty-five students or one percent of the fall membership for the
- 3 school fiscal year immediately preceding the school fiscal year for
- 4 which aid is being calculated plus the product of fifty percent of
- 5 the school district's basic funding per formula student multiplied
- 6 by the greater of twenty-five students or one percent of the fall
- 7 membership for the school fiscal year immediately preceding the
- 8 school fiscal year for which aid is being calculated.
- 9 (3) For school fiscal year 2011-12 and each school fiscal 10 year thereafter, the The department shall calculate a student 11 growth adjustment correction for each district that received a 12 student growth adjustment for aid distributed in the most recently available complete data year. Such student growth correction shall 13 14 equal the product of the difference of the average daily membership 15 for such school fiscal year minus the estimated average daily 16 membership actual student growth for such school fiscal year minus 17 the estimated student growth for such school fiscal year used to 18 calculate the student growth adjustment for such school fiscal year multiplied by the school district's basic funding per formula 19 student used in the final calculation of aid pursuant to section 20 79-1065 for such school fiscal year, except that the absolute value 21 22 of a negative correction shall not exceed the original adjustment.
- 2. Renumber the remaining sections and amend the repealer
 accordingly.