

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2162

Page 1, line 6, after the semicolon insert "to provide an appropriation;"

Page 14, after line 21, insert:

"SECTION 10. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$2,000,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the superintendent of public instruction for the purpose of financially assisting eligible school districts that have experienced declining student enrollments, for the biennium beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2001. A district is eligible to receive payments under this section if the district's student enrollment at the conclusion of the 1998-99 school year is less than the district's student enrollment at the conclusion of the 1993-94 school year. The superintendent shall base the per student payments on the decline in student enrollments experienced by each eligible school district between the conclusion of the 1993-94 school year and the conclusion of the 1998-99 school year. The superintendent shall distribute the per student payments under this section no earlier than June 1, 2000, nor later than June 30, 2000."

Renumber accordingly