

Sixtieth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2401

Introduced by

Senators Taylor, G. Lee, O'Connell

Representatives Haas, Mueller, Solberg

1 A BILL for an Act to provide school district transportation grants.

2 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

3 **SECTION 1. TRANSPORTATION GRANTS - DISTRIBUTION.**

- 4 1. a. During the first year of the 2007-09 biennium, the superintendent of public
5 instruction shall calculate the payment to which each school district is entitled
6 based on the state transportation formula as it existed on June 30, 2001,
7 except that the superintendent shall provide reimbursement at the rate of:
- 8 (1) Sixty cents per mile for schoolbuses having a capacity of ten or more
9 passengers and transporting students within city limits;
 - 10 (2) Eighty cents per mile for schoolbuses having a capacity of ten or more
11 passengers and transporting students in rural areas; and
 - 12 (3) Forty cents per mile for vehicles having a capacity of nine or fewer
13 passengers and transporting students in rural areas.
- 14 b. During the second year of the 2007-09 biennium, the superintendent of public
15 instruction shall distribute to each school district the same amount the district
16 received under this section for transportation services provided during the first
17 year of the biennium.
- 18 2. The superintendent of public instruction shall use the latest available student
19 enrollment count in each school district in applying the provisions of the
20 transportation formula as it existed on June 30, 2001.
- 21 3. Nothing in this section authorizes the reimbursement of any costs incurred in
22 providing transportation for student attendance at extracurricular activities or
23 events.