

Introduced by

Education Committee

(At the request of the Superintendent of Public Instruction)

1 A BILL for an Act to provide an ~~appropriation for offsetting reductions in Title I funding to school~~
2 ~~districts~~exemption; and to declare an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. ~~APPROPRIATION - 2013-15 BIENNIUM.~~EXEMPTION - GRANTS - STATE**
5 **SCHOOL AID.**

6 1. ~~There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not~~
7 ~~otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$1,661,207, or so much of the sum as may be~~
8 ~~necessary, to the superintendent of public instruction for the purpose of offsetting the~~
9 ~~reduction in funding for Title I, Part A, of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act~~
10 ~~of 1965 [20 U.S.C. 6301, et seq.], as amended, that resulted from the federal~~
11 ~~sequestration order for fiscal year 2013, issued pursuant to Section 251A of the~~
12 ~~Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act [2 U.S.C. 901A], as amended, for~~
13 ~~the period beginning with the effective date of this Act, and ending June 30,~~
14 ~~2015.~~Notwithstanding section 54-44.1-11, if any moneys remain in the grants - state
15 school aid line item after the superintendent of public instruction complies with all
16 statutory payment obligations imposed for the 2013-15 biennium, the superintendent
17 shall reserve the first \$1,661,207, or so much of that amount as may be necessary, for
18 the purpose of offsetting the reduction in funding for Title I, Part A, of the Elementary
19 and Secondary Education Act of 1965 [20 U.S.C. 6301, et seq.], as amended, that
20 resulted from the federal sequestration order for fiscal year 2013, issued pursuant to
21 Section 251A of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act [2 U.S.C.
22 901A], as amended, for the period beginning with the biennium beginning July 1,
23 2015, and ending June 30, 2017.

1 2. The superintendent of public instruction shall forward any moneys received under this
2 section to school districts in proportionate amounts based on the percentage of total
3 Title I, Part A dollars to which each district was otherwise entitled during fiscal year
4 2013.

5 **SECTION 2. EMERGENCY.** This Act is declared to be an emergency measure.