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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE ON HOUSE BILL NO. 2760

As Amended by House Committee on
Education

Brief*

HB 2760, as amended, would change the current school finance formula for low enrollment weighting. Under this bill, the low enrollment weighting of a district which is less than 200 square miles in areas and which has an enrollment of less than 200 pupils would be equal to the low enrollment weighting of a district with an enrollment of 200 pupils. The provisions of this bill would take effect on July 1, 2010.

Background

Representative Clay Aurand supported the bill. There was one opponent of the bill, Rex Bollinger, Superintendent of USD 433 Midway and USD 425 Highland.

The House Education Committee amended the bill extending the effective date to July 1, 2010.

The Department of Education indicated the bill would reduce general state aid by approximately \$350,000.