

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-EIGHTH SESSION

H. F. No. 2480

02/27/2014 Authored by Selcer, Newton, Dorholt, Abeler, Rosenthal and others  
The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance

03/06/2014 Adoption of Report: Amended and re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

03/10/2014 Adoption of Report: Placed on the General Register  
Read Second Time

03/13/2014 Calendar for the Day, Amended  
Read Third Time as Amended  
Passed by the House as Amended and transmitted to the Senate to include Floor Amendments

1.1 A bill for an act

1.2 relating to education finance; providing for nutrition policy; appropriating

1.3 money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 124D.111, by adding a

1.4 subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 2013 Supplement, section 124D.111, subdivision

1.5 1; Laws 2013, chapter 116, article 7, section 21, subdivision 2.

1.6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.7 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2013 Supplement, section 124D.111, subdivision 1,

1.8 is amended to read:

1.9 Subdivision 1. **School lunch aid computation.** Each school year, the state must

1.10 pay participants in the national school lunch program the amount of 12.5 cents for each

1.11 full paid, ~~reduced-price~~, and free student lunch and 52.5 cents for each reduced-price

1.12 student lunch served to students.

1.13 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective for fiscal year 2015 and later.

1.14 Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 124D.111, is amended by adding a

1.15 subdivision to read:

1.16 Subd. 4. **No fees.** A participant that receives school lunch aid under this section

1.17 must make lunch available without charge to all participating students who qualify for

1.18 free or reduced-price meals. The participant must also ensure that any reminders for

1.19 payment of outstanding student meal balances do not demean or stigmatize any child

1.20 participating in the school lunch program.

1.21 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective for fiscal year 2015 and later.

1.22 Sec. 3. Laws 2013, chapter 116, article 7, section 21, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

2.1           Subd. 2. **School lunch.** For school lunch aid according to Minnesota Statutes,  
 2.2 section 124D.111, and Code of Federal Regulations, title 7, section 210.17:

2.3		<del>13,032,000</del>		
2.4	\$	<u>12,417,000</u>	.....	2014
2.5		<del>13,293,000</del>		
2.6	\$	<u>16,185,000</u>	.....	2015