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State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NINETY-FOURTH SESSION

H. F. No. 4116

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1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to education finance; requiring a length of time to elapse before a new
1.3 education mandate takes effect; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota
1.4 Statutes, chapter 127A.

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

1.6 Section 1. [127A.02] ORDERLY TIME FRAME FOR K-12 EDUCATION CHANGES.

1.7 Subdivision 1. Local impact notes. An enactment significantly affecting the duties of
1.8 school districts and charter schools where a local impact note has been requested from the
1.9 Legislative Budget Office under section 3.987 is not effective until that local impact note
1.10 has been completed and posted to the Legislative Budget Office's website.

1.11 Subd. 2. Education funding program implementation. Notwithstanding section 645.02,
1.12 any substantive change to a kindergarten through grade 12 education funding program that
1.13 impacts the majority of school districts and charter schools enacted after March 1 of any
1.14 calendar year is effective July 1 of the following calendar year.

1.15 EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective July 1, 2027.