

A bill for an act

relating to education finance; requiring permanent school fund revenue to be set aside for school technology purposes; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 127A.

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

Section 1. **[127A.331] SCHOOL ENDOWMENT FUND; USE OF REVENUE.**

A school district that receives school endowment fund revenue under section 127A.33 must use that revenue only for the following purposes:

(1) to purchase or lease computers and related materials, copying machines, telecommunications equipment, and other noninstructional equipment;

(2) to purchase or lease assistive technology or equipment for instructional programs;

(3) to purchase new and replacement library media resources or technology;

(4) to pay for ongoing or recurring telecommunications or Internet access costs associated with Internet access, data lines, and video links; and

(5) to pay for service provider installation fees for installation of new telecommunications lines or increased bandwidth.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective for revenue for fiscal year 2010.