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1.1	A bill for an act			
1.2	relating to education; offering a financial incentive for school boards and teacher			
1.3	representatives to sign a collective bargaining agreement by January 15 in an			
1.4	even-numbered year; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in			
1.5	Minnesota Statutes, chapter 123B.			
1.6	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:			
1.7	Section 1. [123B.051] FINANCIAL INCENTIVE TO SIGN COLLECTIVE			
1.8	<b>BARGAINING AGREEMENT BY JANUARY 15.</b>			
1.9	Subdivision 1. Definitions. (a) The following definitions apply to this section.			
1.10	(b) "Public employer" means:			
1.11	(1) a district; and			
1.12	(2) a public employer, as defined by section 179A.03, subdivision 15, other than			
1.13	a district that (i) negotiates a contract under chapter 179A with teachers, and (ii) is			
1.14	established by or receives state money or levies under chapters 120A to 129C, 136D,			
1.15	<u>or 268A.</u>			
1.16	(c) "Teacher" means a person, other than a superintendent or assistant superintendent,			
1.17	principal, assistant principal, or a supervisor or confidential employee who occupies a			
1.18	position for which the person must be licensed by the Board of Teaching, commissioner			
1.19	of education, the former Board of Technical Colleges, or the Board of Trustees of the			
1.20	Minnesota State Colleges and Universities.			
1.21	Subd. 2. Financial incentive to sign a collective bargaining agreement by			
1.22	January 15. (a) A district where the public employer and the exclusive representative of			
1.23	the teachers sign a collective bargaining agreement by January 15 of an even-numbered			
1.24	calendar year is eligible to receive a state aid payment of \$25 times the number of adjusted			
1.25	pupil units in the district in that fiscal year. A public employer, other than a district,			

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2.1	meeting the requirements of this section	n is eligible to rea	eive \$25 times the number o	f	
2.2	adjusted pupil units in programs provid	led by that emplo	yer during the preceding fisca	<u>al</u>	
2.3	year.				
2.4	(b) The department must determine	ine the number of	adjusted pupil units in the		
2.5	programs and must make education aid payments under this section on a first-come,				
2.6	first-served basis to the extent such aid	is available for th	is purpose.		
2.7	EFFECTIVE DATE. This section	on is effective the	day following final enactmen	<u>ıt.</u>	
2.8	Sec. 2. FINANCIAL INCENTIVI	E TO SIGN A CO	DLLECTIVE BARGAININ	G	
2.9	AGREEMENT BY JANUARY 15.				
2.10	\$ for fiscal year 2012 is appr	opriated from the	general fund to the commissi	oner	
2.11	of education for payment of financial i	ncentives to distri	cts under Minnesota Statutes	2	
2.12	section 123B.051.				
2.13	EFFECTIVE DATE. This section	on is effective the	day following final enactmen	<u>ıt.</u>	