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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-NINTH SESSION

H. F. No. **554**

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to education finance; requiring a three-fifths vote to pass legislation
1.3 reducing the school aid payment percentage below 90; amending Minnesota
1.4 Statutes 2014, section 127A.45, subdivision 1.

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

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 127A.45, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

1.7 Subdivision 1. **Applicability.** This section applies to all aids or credits paid by the
1.8 commissioner from the general fund to districts. The current year aid payment percentage
1.9 specified in subdivision 2 must not be reduced below 90 unless the legislation affecting
1.10 the aid payment percentage has received a vote of three-fifths of the members of each
1.11 house of the legislature.

1.12 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.