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1.1 A bill for an act

1.2 relating to education finance; providing supplemental aid for transportation,

1.3 nutrition, English learners, and special education; appropriating money.

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

1.5 Section 1. **SUPPLEMENTAL PUPIL TRANSPORTATION AID.**

1.6 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 126C.10, subdivision 18a, for fiscal year

1.7 2023 only, the commissioner of education must adjust the pupil transportation adjustment

1.8 from 18.2 percent to 100 percent.

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

1.10 Sec. 2. **SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION AID.**

1.11 For fiscal year 2023 only, in addition to the amounts provided for school lunch under

1.12 Minnesota Statutes, section 124D.111, and school breakfast under Minnesota Statutes,

1.13 section 124D.1158, the commissioner must provide supplemental nutrition aid to participants

1.14 in the national school breakfast and lunch programs. A participant's supplemental nutrition

1.15 aid equals the participant's fiscal year 2022 actual expenditures for providing school breakfast

1.16 and lunch, minus the participant's fiscal year 2022 state breakfast and lunch aid, minus the

1.17 participant's fiscal year 2022 federal breakfast and lunch aid.

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

2.1 Sec. 3. APPROPRIATIONS.

2.2 Subdivision 1. Department of Education. The sums indicated in this section are
2.3 appropriated from the general fund to the Department of Education for the fiscal years
2.4 designated.

2.5 Subd. 2. Supplemental pupil transportation aid. (a) For supplemental pupil
2.6 transportation aid under section 1:

2.7 \$ 2023

2.8 (b) This is a onetime appropriation.

2.9 Subd. 3. Supplemental nutrition aid. (a) For supplemental nutrition aid under section
2.10 2:

2.11 \$ 2023

2.12 (b) This is a onetime appropriation.

2.13 Subd. 4. Supplemental English learner cross subsidy aid. (a) For supplemental English
2.14 learner cross subsidy aid:

2.15 \$ 2023

2.16 (b) The supplemental English learner cross subsidy aid for each school district equals
2.17 the difference between the school district's actual expenditures for qualifying English learner
2.18 services for fiscal year 2022 and the school district's English learner revenue for fiscal year
2.19 2022.

2.20 (c) Revenue under this section must be used and reserved as basic skills revenue according
2.21 to Minnesota Statutes, section 126C.15.

2.22 (d) This is a onetime appropriation.

2.23 Subd. 5. Supplemental special education cross subsidy aid. (a) For supplemental
2.24 special education cross subsidy aid:

2.25 \$ 100,000,000 2023

2.26 (b) The supplemental special education cross subsidy aid for each school district equals
2.27 the ratio of the school district's initial special education cross subsidy in fiscal year 2022,
2.28 as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 125A.76, subdivision 1, to the total initial special
2.29 education cross subsidy in fiscal year 2022 for all districts.

2.30 (c) This is a onetime appropriation.

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