## LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

Sixty-third Legislature

First Regular Session - 2015

## IN THE SENATE

## SENATE BILL NO. 1184

## BY FINANCE COMMITTEE

AN ACT 1 RELATING TO THE APPROPRIATION TO THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT 2 PROGRAM/DIVISION OF TEACHERS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016; PROVIDING FOR EXPEN-3 DITURES FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT PROGRAM/DIVISION OF 4 5 TEACHERS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016; APPROPRIATING GENERAL FUND MONEYS FOR TRANSFER TO THE PUBLIC SCHOOL INCOME FUND; APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO THE 6 PUBLIC SCHOOLS EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT PROGRAM/DIVISION OF TEACHERS FOR 7 FISCAL YEAR 2016; AMENDING SECTION 33-1004E, IDAHO CODE, AS AMENDED IN 8 SECTION 8 OF HOUSE BILL NO. 296, AS ENACTED BY THE FIRST REGULAR SESSION 9 10 OF THE SIXTY-THIRD IDAHO LEGISLATURE, TO INCREASE THE BASE SALARY FOR PUPIL SERVICE STAFF AND TO INCREASE THE MINIMUM SALARY FOR PUPIL SERVICE 11 STAFF; DIRECTING THE USE OF MONEYS FOR PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT, TRAIN-12 ING AND ASSISTANCE; AND DEFINING THE TERM "DISTRIBUTED." 13

14 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

15 SECTION 1. The following amount shall be expended for the Public 16 Schools Educational Support Program/Division of Teachers for the period 17 July 1, 2015, through June 30, 2016:

18 FROM:

 19
 General Fund
 \$791,119,800

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 Federal Grant
 15,000,000

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 TOTAL
 \$806,119,800

SECTION 2. There is hereby appropriated the following amount to be transferred to the Public School Income Fund for the period July 1, 2015, through June 30, 2016:

25 FROM:

26 General Fund \$791,119,800

SECTION 3. There is hereby appropriated to the Public Schools Educational Support Program/Division of Teachers the following amount to be expended from the listed funds for the period July 1, 2015, through June 30, 2016:

31 FROM:

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 Public School Income Fund
 \$791,119,800

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 Federal Grant
 15,000,000

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 TOTAL
 \$806,119,800

SECTION 4. That Section 33-1004E, Idaho Code, as amended in Section 8 of House Bill No. 296, as enacted by the First Regular Session of the Sixtythird Idaho Legislature, be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

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33-1004E. DISTRICT'S SALARY-BASED APPORTIONMENT. Each district shall be entitled to a salary-based apportionment calculated as provided in this section.

- To determine the apportionment for instructional staff, take the amounts indicated on the career ladder table plus the amounts associated with the additional education allocation amounts pursuant to section 33-1004B, Idaho Code, and calculate the weighted average. The amount so determined shall be multiplied by the district staff allowance for instructional staff determined as provided in section 33-1004(2), Idaho Code. Full-time instructional staff salaries shall be determined from a salary schedule developed by each district and submitted to the state department of education. No full-time instructional staff member shall be paid less than the minimum dollar amount on the career ladder residency compensation rung pursuant to section 33-1004B, Idaho Code, for the applicable fiscal year. If an instructional staff member has been certified by the national board for professional teaching standards, the staff member shall receive two thousand dollars (\$2,000) per year for five (5) years from the year in which national board certification was earned. The district staff allotment shall be increased by two thousand dollars (\$2,000) for each national board certified instructional staff person and pupil service staff member who earned national board certification; provided however, that no such awards shall be paid for the period July 1, 2010, through June 30, 2011, nor shall any liabilities accrue or payments be made pursuant to this section in the future to any individuals who would have otherwise qualified for a payment during this stated time period. The resulting amount is the district's salary-based apportionment for instructional staff and pupil service staff. For purposes of this section, teachers qualifying for the salary increase shall be those who have been recognized as national board certified teachers as of July 1 of each year.
- (2) To determine the apportionment for pupil service staff, first determine the district average experience and education index by placing all eligible district certificated pupil service employees on the statewide index pursuant to section 33-1004A, Idaho Code. The resulting average is the district index. The district pupil service staff index shall be multiplied by the instructional base salary of twenty-threefour thousand three hundred fifty-fourfive dollars (\$23,35424,055). The amount so determined shall be multiplied by the district staff allowance for pupil service staff determined pursuant to section 33-1004(3), Idaho Code. The pupil service staff salary allocation shall be further increased by the amount necessary for each full-time equivalent pupil service staff member placed on the experience and education index to be allocated at least the minimum salary mandated by this section. Full-time pupil service staff salaries shall be determined from a salary schedule developed by each district and submitted to the state department of education. The resulting amount is the district's salary-based apportionment for pupil service staff. No full-time pupil

service staff member shall be paid less than thirty- $\frac{1}{1}$  thousand seven hundred fifty three dollars (\$\frac{31,750}{32,703}).

- (3) To determine the apportionment for district administrative staff, first determine the district average experience and education index by placing all eligible certificated administrative employees on the statewide index provided in section 33-1004A, Idaho Code. The resulting average is the district index. Districts with an index above the state average index shall receive their actual index but not more than the state average plus .03 for the school year 1994-95, and shall receive their actual index but not more than the state average index plus .06 for the 1995-96 school year, and thereafter shall receive their actual district index. The district administrative staff index shall be multiplied by the base salary of thirty-two thousand one hundred fifty-one dollars (\$32,151). The amount so determined shall be multiplied by the district staff allowance for administrative staff determined as provided in section 33-1004(4), Idaho Code. The resulting amount is the district's salary-based apportionment for administrative staff.
- (4) To determine the apportionment for classified staff, multiply nineteen thousand two hundred forty-nine dollars (\$19,249) by the district classified staff allowance determined as provided in section 33-1004(5), Idaho Code. The amount so determined is the district's apportionment for classified staff.
- (5) The district's salary-based apportionment shall be the sum of the apportionments calculated in subsections (1), (2), (3) and (4), of this section, plus the benefit apportionment as provided in section 33-1004F, Idaho Code.
- SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the Legislature that of the moneys appropriated in Section 3 of this act, \$10,625,000 shall be distributed for professional development, including, but not limited to, ongoing, job-embedded training, the ability for teachers to identify gifted and talented students, and to gain gifted education certification in Idaho to enable school districts to meet the requirements of Section 33-2003, Idaho Code. Funding shall be distributed by a formula prescribed by the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

SECTION 6. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the Legislature for the purposes of this act, the term "distributed" means moneys that are transferred to school districts and public charter schools, with no funds withheld for any other contract or administrative costs.