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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE BILL NO. 307

BY EDUCATION COMMITTEE

AN ACT

2 RELATING TO EDUCATION; AMENDING SECTION 33-1004E, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE FOR

3 THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014.

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

SECTION 1. That Section 33-1004E, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

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

- 1. To determine the apportionment for instructional staff, first determine the district average experience and education index by placing all eligible district certificated instructional 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 1994-95 school year, and shall receive their actual index but not more than the state average plus .06 for the 1995-96 school year, and thereafter shall receive their actual district index. The district instructional staff index shall be multiplied by the instructional base salary of \$23,123. 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. The instructional salary allocation shall be further increased by the amount necessary for each full-time equivalent instructional staff member placed on the experience and education index to be allocated at least the minimum salary mandated by this section. 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 \$30,500. If an instructional staff member has been certified by the national board for professional teaching standards, the staff member shall be designated as a master teacher and receive \$2,000 per year for five (5) years. The instructional salary shall be increased by \$2,000 for each master teacher 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. For purposes of this section, teachers qualifying for the salary increase as master teacher 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 district administrative staff, first determine the district average experience and education index by plac-

ing 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 \$31,833. The amount so determined shall be multiplied by the district staff allowance for administrative staff determined as provided in section 33-1004(3), Idaho Code. The resulting amount is the district's salary-based apportionment for administrative staff.

- 3. To determine the apportionment for classified staff, multiply \$19,058 by the district classified staff allowance determined as provided in section 33-1004(4), Idaho Code. The amount so determined is the district's apportionment for classified staff.
- 4. The district's salary-based apportionment shall be the sum of the apportionments calculated in subsections 1., 2. and 3., of this section, plus the benefit apportionment as provided in section 33-1004F, Idaho Code.
- $\underline{5}$. For fiscal year 2014, one and two-thirds percent (1.67%) of the funds calculated pursuant to subsection 1. of this section shall be used for the following purposes:
 - (a) Increasing the number of certificated instructional employees as compared to fiscal year 2013;
 - (b) Increasing the number of contract days for certificated instructional employees as compared to fiscal year 2013; or
 - (c) A combination of subsection 5. (a) and (b) of this section.