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ENROLLED ACT NO. 82, SENATE

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AN ACT relating to school finance; modifying foundation program hold harmless provisions; providing certain district distributions for school year 2002-2003; and providing for an effective date.

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

Section 1. 2002 Wyoming Session Laws, Chapter 76, Section 12 is amended to read:

Section 12. [HOLD HARMLESS OF FOUNDATION PROGRAM AMOUNT]

(a) Notwithstanding W.S. 21-13-309(p), using computations of district foundation program amounts by the state department of education based upon reports from districts required by the department, the foundation program amount computed for a district under W.S. 21-13-309(p) for school years 2002-2003 and year 2003-2004, less amounts reimbursed under W.S. 21-13-320 for transportation, W.S. 21-13-321 for special education, W.S. 21-13-324 for teacher extra compensation, W.S. 21-4-401 for transportation or maintenance of isolated students and W.S. 21-4-501 through 21-4-506 for tuition payments, shall not be less than one hundred percent (100%) of the foundation program amount available to that district during the 2001-2002 school year, as computed under W.S. 21-13-309(p) prior to addition of the reimbursement amounts for transportation, special education, teacher extra compensation, transportation of isolated students and tuition payments for that school year. A district is not entitled to additional funding ORIGINAL SENATE FILE NO. 0141

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under this section if, but for a decrease in ADM as compared with the 2001-2002 school year, that district would not have a foundation program amount that is less that one hundred percent (100%) of the school year 2001-2002 foundation program amount.

(b) Notwithstanding subsection (a) of this section, this section shall not apply to any district subject to recapture under W.S. 21-13-102(b) whose recapture revenues exceed limitations imposed under W.S. 21-13-102(c), as established by the department for that district.

Section 2.

(a) On or before June 30, 2003, the state department of education shall distribute the amounts specified to the following school districts from the school foundation program account:

No.	1	(i) Big Horn County School District\$129,466
No.	2	(ii) Big Horn County School District
No.	3	(iii) Big Horn County School District
No.	2	(iv) Carbon County School District
No.	2	<pre>(v) Converse County School District</pre>

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No.		(vi) Crook County School District
No.	2	(vii) Fremont County School District
No.		(viii) Fremont County School District
No.		(ix) Fremont County School District
No.		<pre>(x) Fremont County School District40,635</pre>
No.		(xi) Goshen County School District
No.		(xii) Hot Springs School District
No.	2	(xiii) Laramie County School District
No.	1	(xiv) Lincoln County School District
No.		(xv) Lincoln County School District
No.		(xvi) Park County School District
No.	2	(xvii) Platte County School District

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(b) Amounts distributed under this section shall be in addition to amounts distributed under W.S. 21-13-309(p) and shall not be reported as a local district resource under W.S. 21-13-310.

Section 3.

(a) Except as provided by subsection (b) of this section, this act is effective July 1, 2003.

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(b) Notwithstanding subsection (a) of this section, section 2 of this act is effective immediately upon completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming Constitution.

(END)

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Governor

TIME APPROVED: _____

I hereby certify that this act originated in the Senate.

Chief Clerk