

Delete the following Senate amendments:

HB0236SS001.01/ACE

HB0236S2002/AE

HB0236S2003/AE

HB0236S2004/AE

HB0236S2006/AE

HB0236S3001/AE

HB0236S3002/AE

HB0236S3004/AE

HB0236S3005/AE

Further amend the ENGROSSED COPY as follows:

Page 1-line 4 Delete "providing".

Page 1-line 5 Delete.

Page 1-line 6 Delete through "increase;".

Page 1-line 13 After "appropriations;" insert
 "repealing certain distributions
 related to education funding; providing
 conformance with other laws;".

Page 2-line 2 After "9-4-219," delete balance of
 line.

Page 2-line 3 Delete "9-4-719(f)," delete "21-13-306
 by".

Page 2-line 4 Delete through "(d),".

Page 2-line 7 Delete entirely and insert "through (m)
 and 21-15-111(a) (i)".

Page 2-lines 8 through 12 Delete.

Page 3-line 18 Delete "amount" insert "unobligated,
 unencumbered balance".

Page 3-lines 21 and 22 Delete.

Page 4-lines 1 through 21 Delete.

Page 5-lines 1 through 23 Delete.

Page 6-lines 1 through 4 Delete.

Page 8-lines 5 through 12 Delete.

Page 15-lines 10 through 20 Delete.

Page 16-lines 14 through 22 Delete.

Pages 17 through 20 Delete.

Page 21-lines 1 through 8 Delete.

Page 21-line 11 Delete "21-13-306.1,".

Page 22-line 11 Delete "0.90" insert "0.81".

Page 22-line 22 Delete "0.90" insert "0.81".

Page 25-line 17 Delete "linearly".

Page 25-line 23 Delete "linearly".

Page 30-line 8 Delete first "1,723,465,604" insert "1,752,865,604"; delete second "1,723,465,604" insert "1,752,865,604".

Page 30-line 11 Delete first "78,742,048" insert "42,965,798"; delete second "78,742,048" insert "42,965,798".

Page 30-line 15 Delete first "1,837,647,730" insert "1,831,271,480"; delete second "1,837,647,730" insert "1,831,271,480".

Page 31-lines 27 through 37 Delete and insert:

"Section 6.

(a) Except as otherwise provided in this section, the amendments to 2016 Wyoming Session Laws, Chapter 31, Section 2, Section 205 enacted pursuant to section 5 of this act shall be given precedence and shall prevail over amendments to 2016 Wyoming Session Laws, Chapter 31, Section 2, Section 205 made by 2017 House Bill 0001 to the

extent that 2017 House Bill 0001 is in direct conflict with this act.

(b) Appropriations for court ordered placements in 2016 Wyoming Session Laws, Chapter 31, Section 2, Section 205 as amended by 2017 House Bill 0001 shall be given precedence and shall prevail over the appropriation amount for court ordered placements specified in that provision in section 5 of this act.

(c) The legislative service office shall adjust totals and renumber as necessary the provisions of 2016 Wyoming Session Laws, Chapter 31, Section 2, Section 205 as amended by 2017 House Bill 0001 as enacted into law, and as amended by this act to conform with the requirements of this section. In preparing copy for printing of laws affected by this section the legislative service office shall require the publisher to note the provisions of this section and shall cause the laws to be printed in accordance with the provisions of this section."

Page 33-lines 7 through 23 Delete and insert:

"Section 8.

(a) The reductions implemented by this act are intended to be temporary, pending a recalibration of the education resource block grant model. The select committee on school finance recalibration is created consisting of the following members:

(i) Five (5) members of the Wyoming senate appointed by the president of the senate of which one (1) member shall be the chairman of the senate education committee;

(ii) Five (5) members of the Wyoming house of representatives appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives, of which one (1) member shall be the chairman of the house education committee;

(iii) Not more than four (4) members from each house shall be from the same political party;

(iv) The cochairmen of the select committee shall be appointed by the president of the senate and the speaker of the house, respectively.

(b) The select committee shall undertake a study to review the state educational program under W.S. 21-9-101 and to recalibrate the education resource block grant model as provided under W.S. 21-13-309(t) to determine if modifications are necessary to ensure the model remains effective and cost-based in light of changing conditions and modifications to law. If the committee determines an alternative to the education resource block grant model should be reviewed and developed to more efficiently meet the constitutional duties of the legislature in providing K-12 education funding the committee shall not limit its study to a recalibration of the existing cost-based model.

(c) The select committee shall also study and recommend solutions to the projected budget shortfall for funding related to public education in the state of Wyoming. The select committee shall focus on four (4) major issues related to school funding as follows:

(i) Options for use of existing unencumbered, unobligated revenues;

(ii) Consideration of the use of diversions of existing revenue streams and investment income;

(iii) Options to increase revenues;

(iv) Options for budget and expenditure reductions.

(d) The select committee shall be staffed by the legislative service office. The department of education, department of workforce services, school districts and the school finance data advisory committee established under W.S. 21-2-203 shall collect and provide the information requested by the select committee.

(e) The select committee may, through management council, seek expert opinions and may hire consultants as necessary to complete the study and recommendations required under this section. The legislative service office is authorized, subject to the approval of management council, to contract with consultants for the purposes of this section to complete recalibration of the education resource block grant model or to develop a new model.

(f) The select committee shall report its recommendations and any associated proposed legislation to the legislature not later than January 31, 2018. The select committee may develop and sponsor legislation as necessary to effectuate the purposes of this section, provided that no legislation shall be sponsored by the committee unless it is approved by a majority of the members of the select committee from each house.

(g) Appointments shall be made under this section not later than March 15, 2017. The select committee shall exist until March 31, 2018. Any vacancy occurring on the select committee shall be filled by the president of the senate or speaker of the house of representatives, as appropriate, immediately upon the vacancy occurring.

(h) For the period beginning on the effective date of this section and ending June 30, 2018, there is appropriated from the school foundation program account to the legislative service office eighty thousand dollars (\$80,000.00) to provide salary, per diem and mileage for members of the select committee and to fund other expenses of the select committee as necessary to carry out this section."

Pages 34 through 39 Delete.

Page 40-lines 1 through 21 Delete.

Page 40-line 23 Delete "11." insert "9."

Page 41-line 6 Delete "7, 8 and 9" insert "5 through 9".

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