

Amendments to Senate Bill No. 152
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Requested by Senator Bob Story

For the Senate Education and Cultural Resources Committee

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1. Page 1, line 12.

Following: "and to"

Insert: "equitably"

2. Page 2, line 25.

Strike: "basic"

3. Page 2, line 26.

Strike: subsection (b) in its entirety

Re-number: subsequent subsections

4. Page 2, line 29 through page 3, line 1.

Strike: "salaries" on page 2, line 29 through "(2)(c)" on page 3,
line 1

Insert: "access to qualified staff"

5. Page 3, line 2 through line 3.

Strike: "through" on line 2 through "(2)(c)" on line 3

Insert: "and (2)(b)"

6. Page 3, line 4 through line 9.

Strike: "Resources" on line 4 through "learning;" on line 9

Re-number: subsequent subsections

7. Page 3, line 12.

Strike: "transportation of students"

Insert: "access to programs through distance learning or"

8. Page 3, line 15.

Strike: "In" through the second "the"

Insert: "The"

Following: the third "the"

Insert: "funding of the"

9. Page 3, line 17.

Following: "of"

Insert: "isolated"

10. Page 3, line 18 through line 20.

Strike: "l" on line 18 through "proficiency" on line 20

11. Page 3, line 21.

Strike: subsection (c) in its entirety

Renumber: subsequent subsections

12. Page 3, line 22.

Strike: "areas of the state"

Insert: "schools"

13. Page 3, line 23.

Strike: the second "and"

14. Page 3, line 24 through line 25.

Strike: "preservation" on line 24 through "constitution" on line 25

Insert: "ability of a school district's tax base to support the schools;

(e) the number of students in a school district; and

(f) salaries and mandated employee benefits, including health insurance and retirement benefits for district-certified and district-classified employees required to implement the programs identified in subsections (2)(a) and (2)(b)"

15. Page 3.

Following: line 25

Insert: "(4) Other educationally relevant factors include:

(a) the preservation of local control of school districts pursuant to Article X, section 8, of the Montana constitution;

(b) the ability of the state to fund the basic system of free quality public elementary and secondary schools; and

(c) implementation of Indian education for all authorized in Title 20, chapter 1, part 5."

Renumber: subsequent subsections

16. Page 3, line 28.
Strike: "subsection"
Insert: "subsections"
Following: "(3)"
Insert: "and (4)"

17. Page 4, line 2.
Strike: "(4)"
Insert: "(5)"

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