

HB 402 -- School District Professional Development Funds

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Currently, to qualify for state school aid, a school district must devote 1% of its state school aid, exclusive of categorical funds, to professional development. This bill reduces the requirement to 0.5%.

The bill has an emergency clause and will be effective on the later of July 1, 2003, or the date of its approval.