HB 2146 -- Alternative Education Programs

Sponsor: Bland

This bill requires that 1% of the foundation formula, exclusive of categorical funds, in each district must be devoted to alternative schools and that districts must offer alternative education as a condition of funding beginning with Fiscal Year 2007. Beginning with the 2006-07 school year, each district must form an alternative education committee to assess its needs. The bill specifies the membership and responsibilities of the committee.

The bill contains an emergency clause.