# FIRST REGULAR SESSION

### HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 698**

### 94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Reported from the Special Committee on Urban Education Reform February 15, 2007 with recommendation that House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 698 Do Pass by Consent. Referred to the Committee on Rules pursuant to Rule 25(21)(f).

D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

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### **AN ACT**

To amend chapter 163, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to school funding, with an emergency clause.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 163, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 163,095, to read as follows:

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163.095. For any district in the county with a charter form of government and with more than one million inhabitants that in calendar year 2005 (school year 2005-2006)

- 3 erroneously set a levy in the capital projects fund rather than the incidental fund and
- 4 reported the capital projects amount to the county for which the county issued tax notices
- $\,\,$ 5 and the district received taxes for calendar year 2005, the department of elementary and
- secondary education shall calculate the amount the district would have received in state
- 7 school aid for fiscal year 2006 had the district placed the levy in the incidental fund rather
- 8 than the capital projects fund and use this revised 2005-2006 calculated funding amount
- 9 in the distribution of state school aid for fiscal year 2007 and subsequent years. The
- 10 calculation shall not change the actual funding due the district for the 2005-2006 year.
  - Section B. Because immediate action is necessary to clarify potential school funding
- 2 problems, section A of this act is deemed necessary for the immediate preservation of the public
- 3 health, welfare, peace, and safety, and is hereby declared to be an emergency act within the

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

- 4 meaning of the constitution, and section A of this act shall be in full force and effect on July 1,
- 5 2007, or upon its passage and approval, whichever later occurs.

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