

House \_\_\_\_\_ Amendment NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Offered By \_\_\_\_\_

1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1250, Page 1, in the Title, Line 3, by  
2 deleting all of said line and inserting in lieu thereof the phrase "education."; and  
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4 Further amend said bill and page, Section A, Line 2, by inserting immediately after said line the  
5 following:  
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7 "160.053. 1. If a school district maintains a prekindergarten program under section 163.018,  
8 a child may be eligible for admission to the prekindergarten program only if the child has reached the  
9 age of three before the first day of August of the school year beginning in that calendar year.

10 2. If a school district maintains a kindergarten program, a child is eligible for admission to  
11 kindergarten and to the summer school session immediately preceding kindergarten, if offered, if the  
12 child reaches the age of five before the first day of August of the school year beginning in that  
13 calendar year or if the child is a military dependent who has successfully completed an accredited  
14 prekindergarten program or has attended an accredited kindergarten program in another state. A  
15 child is eligible for admission to first grade if the child reaches the age of six before the first day of  
16 August of the school year beginning in that calendar year or if the child is a military dependent who  
17 has successfully completed an accredited kindergarten program in another state.

18 [2.] 3. Any kindergarten or grade one pupil beginning the school term and any pupil  
19 beginning summer school prior to a kindergarten school term in a metropolitan school district or an  
20 urban school district containing the greater part of the population of a city which has more than three  
21 hundred thousand inhabitants pursuant to section 160.054 or 160.055 and subsequently transferring  
22 to another school district in this state in which the child's birth date would preclude such child's  
23 eligibility for entrance shall be deemed eligible for attendance and shall not be required to meet the  
24 minimum age requirements. The receiving school district shall receive state aid for the child,  
25 notwithstanding the provisions of section 160.051.

26 [3.] 4. Any child who completes the kindergarten year shall not be required to meet the age  
27 requirements of a district for entrance into grade one.

28 [4.] 5. The provisions of this section relating to kindergarten instruction and state aid  
29 therefor shall not apply during any particular school year to those districts which do not provide  
30 kindergarten classes that year."; and  
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32 Further amend said bill, Page 4, Section 160.518, Line 88, by inserting immediately after said line  
33 the following:  
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35 "162.1265. 1. The department of elementary and secondary education shall develop and  
36 implement a grant program for districts that are declared unaccredited and provisionally accredited

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1 that commit to extended instructional time for the purpose of improving academic achievement,  
 2 including but not limited to early childhood education. Such grants shall be for a two-year term and  
 3 shall be renewable for up to three additional two-year terms.

4 2. To be eligible for a grant a school district shall:

5 (1) Demonstrate that it has analyzed its current use of instructional time and determined the  
 6 potential effects of additional instructional time on student academic achievement. The analysis  
 7 shall also include a study of the potential effects of extended instructional time on assignments of  
 8 personnel and on the need for professional development; and

9 (2) Provide a rationale for the method of adding instructional time, whether it is a longer  
 10 school year, longer day, fewer days between school years or school terms, or early childhood  
 11 program, as applied to the chosen target student population which may include an entire school  
 12 district, particular building, or small group.

13 3. Grant award amounts shall be proportional to additional instructional time over the  
 14 minimum hours required by law and the average daily attendance rate of the affected students.  
 15 Unaccredited districts shall receive priority.

16 4. There is hereby established in the state treasury a fund to be known as the "Extended  
 17 Instructional Time Fund", which shall consist of all moneys that may be appropriated to it by the  
 18 general assembly, and in addition may include any gifts, contributions, grants, or bequests received  
 19 from federal, state, private, or other sources. The fund shall be administered by the department of  
 20 elementary and secondary education. The state treasurer shall be custodian of the fund and may  
 21 approve disbursements from the fund in accordance with sections 30.170 and 30.180. Upon  
 22 appropriation, moneys in the fund shall be used solely for the administration of the extended  
 23 instructional time program. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 33.080 to the contrary, any  
 24 moneys remaining in the fund at the end of the biennium shall not revert to the credit of the general  
 25 revenue fund. The state treasurer shall invest moneys in the fund in the same manner as other funds  
 26 are invested. Any interest and moneys earned on such investments shall be credited to the fund.

27 5. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created  
 28 under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is  
 29 subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and  
 30 chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to  
 31 chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently  
 32 held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after  
 33 August 28, 2014,  
 34 shall be invalid and void.

35 163.018. 1. Notwithstanding the definition of "average daily attendance" in subdivision (2)  
 36 of section 163.011 to the contrary, pupils between the ages of three and five attending a  
 37 prekindergarten program that is operated by and in a district that is declared to be provisional or  
 38 unaccredited under section 161.092 and that is providing full-day kindergarten and that meets  
 39 standards established by the state board of education, shall be included in the district's calculation of  
 40 average daily attendance.

41 2. This section shall not require school attendance beyond that mandated under sections  
 42 167.031 and 167.132 and shall not change or amend the provisions of sections 160.051, 160.053,  
 43 160.054, and 160.055 relating to kindergarten attendance.

44 167.131. 1. The board of education of each district in this state that does not maintain an  
 45 accredited school for specific grade levels pursuant to the authority of the state board of education to  
 46 classify schools as established in section 161.092 shall pay [the] tuition [of] as calculated by the  
 47 receiving district under subsection 2 of this section and provide transportation consistent with the  
 48 provisions of section 167.241 for each pupil resident therein who attends an accredited school in

1 another district of the same or an adjoining county.

2 2. The rate of tuition to be charged by the district attended and paid by the sending district is  
3 the per pupil cost of maintaining the district's grade level grouping which includes the school  
4 attended. The cost of maintaining a grade level grouping shall be determined by the board of  
5 education of the district but in no case shall it exceed all amounts spent for teachers' wages,  
6 incidental purposes, debt service, maintenance and replacements. The term "debt service", as used in  
7 this section, means expenditures for the retirement of bonded indebtedness and expenditures for  
8 interest on bonded indebtedness. Per pupil cost of the grade level grouping shall be determined by  
9 dividing the cost of maintaining the grade level grouping by the average daily pupil attendance. If  
10 there is disagreement as to the amount of tuition to be paid, the facts shall be submitted to the state  
11 board of education, and its decision in the matter shall be final. Subject to the limitations of this  
12 section, each pupil shall be free to attend the public school of his or her choice. "; and

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14 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references  
15 accordingly.