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By Special Committee on Education

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AN ACT concerning school districts; relating to school finance; amending
 K.S.A. 20102011 Supp. 72-6455 and 72-6459 and repealing the
 existing sections.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

6 Section 1. K.S.A. 20102011 Supp. 72-6455 is hereby amended to 7 read as follows: 72-6455. (a) (1) As used in this section, "school district" 8 means any district having: (1) (A) An enrollment of at least 50% at-risk 9 pupils; or (2) (B) an enrollment of at least 35.1% at-risk pupils and an 10 enrollment density of at least 212.1 pupils per square mile.

(b) (2) The high density at-risk pupil weighting of each school district
 shall be determined by the state board by multiplying the number of at-risk
 pupils by .10. The product is the high density at-risk pupil weighting of the
 district.

15 (c) (3) If a school district becomes ineligible for high density at-risk pupil weighting because enrollment of at-risk pupils in the district falls-16 17 below the requirements of *paragraph (1)*-subsection (a), the high density 18 at-risk pupil weighting of the district shall be the greater of: (1) (A) The 19 high density at-risk pupil weighting in the current school year; (2) (B) the 20 high density at-risk pupil weighting in the prior school year; or (3) (C) the 21 average of the high density at-risk pupil weighting in the current school 22 year and the preceding two school years. The provisions of this subsection 23 paragraph shall expire on June 30, 2011.

(4) This subsection (a) shall expire on June 30 immediately preceding
 the school year for which the appropriation for general state aid is
 sufficient in an amount to fund the base state aid per pupil at an amount
 equal to or greater than \$4,492 commencement of the 2012-20132013 2014 school year.

(b) (1) This subsection (b) shall be effective on and after July 1 of
the 2012-20132013-2014 school year for which the appropriation forgeneral state aid is sufficient in an amount to fund the base state aid per
pupil at an amount equal to or greater than \$4,492 and for each school
year thereafter.

34 (2) The high density at-risk pupil weighting of each school district

1 shall be determined by the state board as follows:

2 (A) Except as provided in subparagraph (C), if the district has an 3 enrollment of at least 35%, but less than 50% at-risk pupils, the state 4 board shall:

5 (i) Subtract 35% from the percentage of at-risk enrollment in the 6 district;

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(ii) multiply the amount determined under clause (i) by .007.7; <i>and

8 (iii) multiply the number of at-risk pupils enrolled in the district by
9 the product determined under clause (ii). The resulting product is the high
10 density at-risk pupil weighting of the district.

(B) If the district has an enrollment of 50% or more at-risk pupils, the
state board shall multiply the number of at-risk pupils by .105. The
resulting product is the high density at-risk pupil weighting of the district.

14 (C) If the district has an enrollment of at least 35.1% at-risk pupils 15 and an enrollment density of at least 212.1 pupils per square mile, the 16 state board shall multiply the number of at-risk pupils by .105. The 17 resulting product is the high density at-risk pupil weighting of the district.

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 20102011 Supp. 72-6459 is hereby amended to read as
follows: 72-6459. (a) As used in this section, "school district" means any
district having an enrollment of at least 40% but less than 50% at-risk
pupils.

(b) The medium density at-risk pupil weighting of each school district
shall be determined by the state board by multiplying the number of at-risk
pupils by .06. The product is the medium density at-risk pupil weighting of
the district.

26 (c) If a school district becomes ineligible for medium density at-risk 27 pupil weighting because enrollment of at-risk pupils in the district falls 28 below the requirement of subsection (a), the medium density at-risk pupil 29 weighting of the district shall be the greater of: (1) The medium density atrisk pupil weighting in the current school year; (2) the medium density at-30 31 risk pupil weighting in the prior school year; or (3) the average of the 32 medium density at-risk pupil weighting in the current school year and the 33 preceding two school years.

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The provisions of this subsection shall expire on June 30, 2011.

35 *(d)* This section shall expire on June 30 immediately preceding the 36 school year for which the appropriation for general state aid is sufficient in 37 an amount to fund the base state aid per pupil at an amount equal to or 38 greater than \$4,492 commencement of the 2012-20132013-2014 school 39 year.

40 Sec. 3. K.S.A. 2010**2011** Supp. 72-6455 and 72-6459 are hereby 41 repealed.

42 Sec. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its 43 publication in the statute book.