

HOUSE BILL 1354

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By Representatives Hunt, Haigh, Hunter, and Darneille; by request of Office of Financial Management

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1            AN ACT Relating to apportionments to educational service districts  
2 and school districts for the 2010-11 school year; amending RCW  
3 28A.510.250; and declaring an emergency.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5            **Sec. 1.** RCW 28A.510.250 and 1990 c 33 s 426 are each amended to  
6 read as follows:

7            (1) Except for the 2010-11 school year, on or before the last  
8 business day of September 1969 and each month thereafter, the  
9 superintendent of public instruction shall apportion from the state  
10 general fund to the several educational service districts of the state  
11 the proportional share of the total annual amount due and apportionable  
12 to such educational service districts for the school districts thereof  
13 as follows:

14	September	.....	9%
15	October	.....	9%
16	November	.....	5.5%

1	December	.....	9%
2	January	.....	9%
3	February	.....	9%
4	March	.....	9%
5	April	.....	9%
6	May	.....	5.5%
7	June	.....	6.0%
8	July	.....	10.0%
9	August	.....	10.0%
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11       (2) Subject to the payment process in subsection (1) of this  
12 section, for the 2010-11 school year, the superintendent of public  
13 instruction shall apportion from the state general fund on the  
14 following schedule:

15	<u>On or before the last business day of September</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>9%</u>
16	<u>On or before the last business day of October</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>9%</u>
17	<u>On or before the last business day of November</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>5.5%</u>
18	<u>On or before the last business day of December</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>9%</u>
19	<u>On or before the last business day of January</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>9%</u>
20	<u>On or before the last business day of February</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>9%</u>
21	<u>On or before the last business day of March</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>9%</u>
22	<u>On or before the last business day of April</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>9%</u>
23	<u>On or before the last business day of May</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>5.5%</u>
24	<u>On the last business day of June</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>0.7%</u>
25	<u>On the first business day of July</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>5.3%</u>
26	<u>On or before the last business day of July</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>10.0%</u>
27	<u>On or before the last business day of August</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>10.0%</u>

28       (3) The annual amount due and apportionable shall be the amount  
29 apportionable for all apportionment credits estimated to accrue to the  
30 schools during the apportionment year beginning September first and  
31 continuing through August thirty-first. Appropriations made for school  
32 districts for each year of a biennium shall be apportioned according to  
33 the schedules set forth in this section for the fiscal year starting  
34 September 1st of the then calendar year and ending August 31st of the  
35 next calendar year. The apportionment from the state general fund for  
36 each month shall be an amount which will equal the amount due and  
37 apportionable to the several educational service districts during such

1 month: PROVIDED, That any school district may petition the  
2 superintendent of public instruction for an emergency advance of funds  
3 which may become apportionable to it but not to exceed ten percent of  
4 the total amount to become due and apportionable during the school  
5 districts apportionment year. The superintendent of public instruction  
6 shall determine if the emergency warrants such advance and if the funds  
7 are available therefor. If the superintendent determines in the  
8 affirmative, he or she may approve such advance and, at the same time,  
9 add such an amount to the apportionment for the educational service  
10 district in which the school district is located: PROVIDED, That the  
11 emergency advance of funds and the interest earned by school districts  
12 on the investment of temporary cash surpluses resulting from obtaining  
13 such advance of state funds shall be deducted by the superintendent of  
14 public instruction from the remaining amount apportionable to said  
15 districts during that apportionment year in which the funds are  
16 advanced.

17 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** This act is necessary for the immediate  
18 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the  
19 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect  
20 immediately.

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