

Floor Amendment to HB 2-FN-A-LOCAL

1 Amend the bill by inserting after section 372 the following new section:

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3 373 State Revenues and Education Grants; Intent of the House of Representatives. It is the
4 intent of the house of representatives that, to the extent that final revenue estimates for the FY
5 2022-2023 biennium exceed those adopted by the house of representatives, or federal funds become
6 available for supporting public education, additional funds for education grants to municipalities
7 shall be appropriated as follows:

8 I. \$45,700,000, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, to modify the calculation of the cost
9 of an opportunity for an adequate education, consistent with the provisions of SB 135 as approved by
10 the senate on February 18, 2021, to ensure the COVID-19 pandemic does not artificially suppress
11 average daily membership in attendance figures;

12 II. \$30,000,000, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, to provide fiscal capacity disparity
13 aid, consistent with the provisions of RSA 198:40-c, as in effect for the fiscal year ending June 30,
14 2021;

15 III. \$15,000,000, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, to provide additional aid based on
16 free or reduced-price meals, consistent with the provisions of RSA 198:40-b, as in effect for the fiscal
17 year ending June 30, 2021;

18 IV. \$30,000,000, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, to provide fiscal capacity disparity
19 aid, consistent with the provisions of RSA 198:40-c, as in effect for the fiscal year ending June 30,
20 2021;

21 V. \$15,000,000, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, to provide additional aid based on
22 free or reduced-price meals, consistent with the provisions of RSA 198:40-b, as in effect for the fiscal
23 year ending June 30, 2021

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AMENDED ANALYSIS

Insert: 97. Establishes the intent of the house of representatives for additional funds for education grants to municipalities, if additional funds become available for supporting public education.