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SYNOPSIS

Provides school district will receive no less than amount of State aid received in 2017-2018 school year.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As introduced.



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1 **AN ACT** concerning State school aid and supplementing P.L.2018,
2 c.67 (C.18A:7F-67 et al.).

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4 **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
5 *of New Jersey:*

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7 1. Notwithstanding any provision of P.L.2018, c.67 (C.18A:7F-
8 67 et al.) or any other section of law to the contrary, in the 2019-
9 2020 school year and in each school year thereafter, a school
10 district shall receive the greater of the amount of State aid
11 calculated pursuant to the provisions of P.L.2018, c.67 (C.18A:7F-
12 67 et al.) or the amount of State aid the district received in the
13 2017-2018 school year.

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15 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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STATEMENT

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20 P.L.2018, c.67 (C.18A:7F-67 et al.) established a mechanism for
21 allocating State school aid from the 2019-2020 through 2024-2025
22 school years. Under that law, a State aid differential is calculated
23 for each school district. In the case of a school district in which the
24 State aid differential is negative, the district will receive an increase
25 in State aid. In the case of a school district in which the State aid
26 differential is positive, the district will receive a reduction in State
27 aid.

28 This bill addresses the situation of school districts that will
29 receive a reduction in State aid under P.L.2018, c.67 (C.18A:7F-67
30 et al.) by providing that such districts will receive in the 2019-2020
31 school year and in each subsequent school year, the greater of the
32 amount of State aid calculated pursuant to the provisions of that act
33 or the amount of State aid that the district received in the 2017-2018
34 school year.