

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 46th Legislature (1998)

HOUSE BILL NO. 2854

By: Greenwood

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to schools; providing extra funding for school districts which have ninety percent of the graduated class circumventing remedial classes in higher education; stating purpose; providing codification; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 18-107.2 of Title 70, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

Beginning July 1, 2002, the State Department of Education shall establish a program to award school districts. This should be an incentive for the school district to continue having students who graduate and who do not later require remedial courses. If ninety percent (90%) of the students who graduate from that district are not subject to remedial courses in higher education subjects, then the district will get incentive money in proportion to the amount other districts are rewarded.

The purpose of this program is to encourage those districts which have or plan to have a high quality education in the future.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 1998.

SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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