

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 47th Legislature (2000)

SENATE BILL 1022

By: Coffee

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to schools; allowing certain students educated at home to attend up to one-half of a day of classes in the district of residence; requiring certain students to be included in calculations of State Aid for certain districts; providing certain formula; requiring weighting of certain students; providing for 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 1-114.2 of Title 70, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A student under nineteen (19) years of age who is not enrolled in a public school and is receiving education by other means, including education at home pursuant to Section 4 of Article XIII of the Oklahoma Constitution may enroll in up to one-half of a day of classes, or the equivalent for those schools using other than a standard schedule, in the district of residence. Parents or guardians desiring to enroll a student pursuant to this section shall notify the district in writing forty-five (45) days prior to the first day of the following semester. The district superintendent may waive this requirement.

For purposes of this section a school day shall be as defined in Section 1-111 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 18-201.2 of Title 70, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

Each student under nineteen (19) years of age who is not enrolled in a public school and is receiving education by other means, including education at home pursuant to Section 4 of Article XIII of the Oklahoma Constitution who enrolls in up to one-half of a day of classes, or the equivalent for those schools using other than a standard schedule, in a school district as authorized in Section 1 of this act shall be counted, using the formula set forth in this section, for purposes of calculating the district's State Aid. Each such student shall be assigned a weight equal to the percentage of the total school day the student attends. The weight shall then be added to the weighted pupil category calculation for State Aid pursuant to Section 18-201.1 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

For purposes of this section a school day shall be as defined in Section 1-111 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

SECTION 3. This act shall become effective July 1, 2000.

SECTION 4. 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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