

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE  
2 BILL NO. 1202

By: Casey and Newton of the  
House

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4 Quinn of the Senate  
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8 An Act relating to schools; defining per-pupil  
9 expenditure; listing expenditure categories;  
10 excluding certain expenditures; providing for  
11 application; requiring the reporting or publishing of  
12 certain categories; providing for codification; and  
13 providing an effective date.

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

15 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
16 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-124 of Title 70, unless there  
17 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

18 A. Unless otherwise specifically defined, "per-pupil  
19 expenditure" shall mean the aggregate current expenditures of school  
20 districts, from all funding sources including federal funds, state  
21 funds and local funds, plus the direct support aggregate current  
22 expenditures of the state for the day-to-day operations of schools  
23 and school districts from all funding sources including federal  
24 funds, divided by the aggregate student membership number for the  
same fiscal year for which the expenditures are determined. The

1 aggregate student membership number shall be the count of students  
2 enrolled on October 1 or the school day closest to October 1 to whom  
3 school districts in the state provide a public education. The  
4 aggregate current expenditures shall include without limitation the  
5 following categories of expenditures:

- 6 1. Instruction;
- 7 2. Support services for students;
- 8 3. Support services for instructional staff;
- 9 4. Support services for general administration;
- 10 5. Support services for school administration;
- 11 6. Support services for business;
- 12 7. Operation and maintenance of plant services;
- 13 8. Student transportation services;
- 14 9. Child nutrition services; and
- 15 10. Enterprise services.

16 B. Aggregate current expenditures shall not include  
17 expenditures for adult and community education, facilities  
18 acquisition and construction services, debt services, property and  
19 other expenditures not related to the day-to-day operations.

20 C. The provisions of subsection A of this section shall apply  
21 when related to the expenditure of public funds by educational and  
22 governmental entities. When reporting or publishing the per-pupil  
23 expenditure for any purpose, the State Department of Education shall  
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also report or publish each category of expenditure as listed in subsection A of this section as well as the aggregate expenditure.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2017.

Passed the House of Representatives the 27th day of February,  
2017.

Presiding Officer of the House  
of Representatives

Passed the Senate the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2017.

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