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Bill Analysis

SB 1126 allocates funding to the State Department of Education from the General Appropriations bill in the following manner:

- 1) \$3,120,730,927.00 for the Local- and State-supported Financial Support of Public Schools,
 - 1) \$410,851,159.00 for the Certified Employee Health Benefit Allowance,
 - 2) \$247,723,418.00 for the Support Employee Health Benefit Allowance,
 - 3) \$35 million for the Teachers' Retirement Credit,
 - 4) \$45,190,000.00 for the Purchase of Textbooks and Instructional Materials,
 - 5) \$6.5 million for the Public School Paid Maternity Leave Revolving Fund,
 - 6) \$2,650,000.00 for the Student Teacher Compensation,
 - 7) \$14 million for the Alternative High Challenge Education,
 - 8) \$4.5 million for Education Leadership Oklahoma,
 - 9) \$1,559,863.00 for Advanced Placement Incentives,
 - 10) \$17.5 million for the Strong Readers Act,
 - 11) \$13,405,685.00 for Required Assessments,
 - 12) \$200,000.00 for Street School,
 - 13) \$38,000.00 for Ag in the Classroom,
 - 14) \$1 million for Imagine Math,
 - 15) \$1 million for Imagine Reading,
 - 16) \$2 million for the Oklahoma Imagination Library Program,
 - 17) \$320,000.00 for the Oklahoma Arts Institute,
 - 18) \$16,725,341.00 for Earl Intervention,
 - 19) \$500,000.00 for Great Expectations,
 - 20) \$14 million for the Early Childhood Initiative,
 - 21) \$3,140,137.00 for School Lunch Matching,
 - 22) \$250,000.00 for Nationally Recognized Career Readiness Assessments, and
 - 23) \$50,000.00 for the Civil Rights Curriculum.
- 2) \$18,145,366.00 for the Administrative and Support Functions of the State Department of Education,
- 3) \$3,976,979,896.00 for the State School Aid and Programs,
- 4) \$22,627,959.00 for Payroll, Salaries or Wages, Including Tax-sheltered Deferment Contracts and Longevity Payments Authorized by State Statutes,
- 5) \$33,645,498.00 for Professional and Personal Services Contracts,
- 6) \$3,927,205,809.00 for Other Operating Funds, and
- 7) \$634,934,710.00 for the Expenditure of Federal Funds.

The measure also transfers \$3,250,000.00 to the School Consolidation Assistance Fund and \$3,250,000.00 to the Teachers' Retirement System Dedicated Revenue Revolving Fund. The measure authorizes the Department to reduce in equal proportions funds allocated to certain programs to fully fund the employee contribution credits if needed.

The measure directs that \$250,000.00 of the allocated funding be transferred to the Oklahoma National Board Certification Revolving Fund and \$4,250,000.00 transferred to the Oklahoma School Psychologist, Speech-Language Pathologist, and Audiologist National Certification Revolving Fund.

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