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ONE HUNDREDTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE BILL 988A

Introduced by Raikes, 25.

Read first time March 10, 2008

A BILL

1	FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to amend Laws 2007, LB 321,
2	section 49; to change appropriations to aid in carrying
3	out the provisions of Legislative Bill 988, One Hundredth
4	Legislature, Second Session, 2008; to repeal the original
5	section; and to declare an emergency.

6 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

LB 988A LB 988A Section 1. Laws 2007, LB 321, section 49, is amended to 1 2 read: 3 Sec. 49. AGENCY NO. 13 - STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION Program No. 158 - Education Aid 4 5 FY2007-08 FY2008-09 6 GENERAL FUND 952,197,997 1,036,530,133 7 GENERAL FUND 952,197,997 1,022,930,676 2,282,938 8 CASH FUND 2,282,938 254,923,780 9 FEDERAL FUND est. 262,443,987 10 1,209,404,715 1,301,257,058 PROGRAM TOTAL PROGRAM TOTAL 11 <u>1,209,404,715</u> 1,287,657,601 12 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2007-08 \$952,197,997 General Funds, \$2,282,938 13 14 Cash Funds, and \$254,923,780 Federal Funds estimate for state 15 aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2008-09 16 17 \$1,036,530,133 \$1,022,930,676 General Funds, \$2,282,938 Cash Funds, 18 and \$262,443,987 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall

19 only be used for such purpose.

There is included in the amount shown for FY2007-08 \$753,555,548 General Funds which are hereby appropriated to the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities Fund, which fund is hereby appropriated to provide state aid to public school districts pursuant to the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities Support Act. There is included in the amount shown for FY2008-09 \$832,498,267 \$818,898,810 General Funds which are

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hereby appropriated to the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities
 Fund, which fund is hereby appropriated to provide state aid to
 public school districts pursuant to the Tax Equity and Educational
 Opportunities Support Act.

5 There is included in the amount shown for this program 6 \$179,508,584 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2007-08 for 7 special education reimbursement. There is included in the amount 8 shown for this program \$184,893,842 General Funds provided as state 9 aid for FY2008-09 for special education reimbursement.

10 There is included in the amount shown for this program 11 \$435,000 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2007-08 and 12 \$450,000 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2008-09 to carry 13 out the provisions of subsection (2) of section 79-734.

There is included in the amount shown for this program \$3,626,267 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2007-08 and \$3,615,426 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2008-09 for early childhood education projects.

18 There is included in the amount shown for this program 19 \$8,266,325 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2007-08 and 20 \$8,266,325 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2008-09 for 21 core services for educational service units.

There is included in the amount shown for this program \$2,566,013 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2007-08 and \$2,566,013 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2008-09 for technology infrastructure for educational service units.

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There is included in the amount shown for this program 1 2 \$530,300 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2007-08 and 3 \$530,300 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2008-09 for distance education aid to educational service units. 4 5 There is included in the amount shown for this program \$2,336,921 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2007-08 and 6 \$2,336,921 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2008-09 for 7 8 programs for learners with high ability. 9 There is included in the amount shown for this program 10 \$271,378 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2007-08 and 11 \$271,378 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2008-09 for the 12 school breakfast program. 13 There is included in the amount shown for this program \$421,087 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2007-08 and 14 15 \$421,087 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2008-09 for the 16 school lunch program.

17 There is included in the amount shown for this program 18 \$230,574 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2007-08 and 19 \$230,574 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2008-09 for 20 adult basic education programs.

There is included in the amount shown for this program 450,000 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2007-08 and \$450,000 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2008-09 for the Career Education Partnership Act.

25 The unexpended appropriation balance of the \$2,000,000

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Cash Funds appropriated from the School District Reorganization
 Fund for base year reorganization incentives existing on June 30,
 2007, is hereby reappropriated.

On or before October 1 of each year, the Department of 4 5 Health and Human Services and the State Department of Education shall jointly certify to the budget administrator of the budget 6 division of the Department of Administrative Services the amount 7 8 of federal medicaid funds paid to school districts pursuant to 9 the Early Intervention Act for special education services for 10 children age five years and older. The General Fund appropriation 11 to the State Department of Education, Program 158, for state 12 special education aid shall be decreased by an amount equal to 13 the amount that would have been reimbursed with state General 14 Funds to the school districts through the special education 15 reimbursement process for special education services for children 16 age five years and older that was paid to school districts or 17 approved cooperatives with federal medicaid funds. There is hereby appropriated from the General Fund an amount equal to the amount 18 19 certified to the budget administrator for FY2007-08 and FY2008-09 20 to the Department of Health and Human Services to aid in carrying 21 out the provisions of Laws 1991, LB 701. The budget administrator 22 shall distribute the amount appropriated between budget programs 23 according to percentages certified by the Department of Health and 24 Human Services.

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Sec. 2. Original Laws 2007, LB 321, section 49, is

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1 repealed.

Sec. 3. Since an emergency exists, this act takes effect
when passed and approved according to law.