

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS BILL

CommitteeAmendmentAED31

SB2500

Senator(s) Legg moved the following LATE FILED amendment:

Section: 02	EXPLANATION:	
On Page: 020	Makes the Digital Classrooms allocation of the FEFP contingent on Senate Bill 790 or similar	
Spec App: 96	legislation becoming law.	

NET IMPACT ON:	Total Funds	General Revenue	Trust Funds
Recurring -	0	0	0
Non-Recurring -	0	0	0

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EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF Public Schools, Division Of Program: State Grants/K-12 Program - FEFP 48250300

In Section 02 On Page 020 96 Aid To Local Governments 050560 Grants And Aids - Florida Educational Finance Program 10EB

Following Specific Appropriation 96, DELETE:

From the funds in Specific Appropriations 9 and 96, \$40,000,000 is provided to school districts to support digital classrooms. Funds shall be calculated as follows: \$250,000 shall be the minimum for each district, and the remaining balance shall be allocated based on each district's share of the state's total unweighted student enrollment. Each district must submit a digital classrooms plan approved by the school board, by October 2014 to the State Board of Education 1, specifying how the funds will be used to implement the plan. Each limited to, the following submitted plan must include, but is not components: infrastructure needs including network and wireless components; delivery of digital instruction; professional development; accommodations for students with disabilities; assessments; digital load testing; devices; and security. The plan must identify the tools; anticipated return on investment for each component with a district's include goals relating to increased student fiscal impact and achievement and measurable outcomes based on the plan components. The plan must be submitted with superintendent certification and approved by

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the State Board of Education prior to disbursement of funds. Each school district shall certify to the Department of Education, by September 1, 2015 for the 2014-2015 fiscal year, its use of funds from the Florida Digital Classrooms allocation and corresponding student performance outcomes. The commissioner shall submit a summary of the district reports to the Governor, President of the Senate, and Speaker of the House of Representatives.

AND INSERT:

From the funds in Specific Appropriations 9 and 96, \$40,000,000 is provided to school districts to support digital classrooms. Funds shall be calculated as follows: \$250,000 shall be the minimum for each district, and the remaining balance shall be allocated based on each district's share of the state's total unweighted student enrollment. Funds for this Digital Classrooms allocation shall be contingent on Senate Bill 790 or similar legislation becoming law.

Line item amendments are accepted as part of the amendatory process. However, due to the necessity of using computerized systems this may entail a different placement within a budget entity or the renumbering of the specific appropriation items.