STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:

Senate Bill No. 2272 - Funding Summary

	Base Budget	Final Legislative Action	Comparison to Base Budget
Department of Public Instruction			
Rapid enrollment grants		\$6,000,000	\$6,000,000
English language learner grants		500,000	500,000
Total all funds	\$0	\$6,500,000	\$6,500,000
Less estimated income	0	6,500,000	6,500,000
General fund	\$0	\$0	\$0
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00
Bill Total			
Total all funds	\$0	\$6,500,000	\$6,500,000
Less estimated income	0	6,500,000	6,500,000
General fund	\$0	\$0	\$0
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00

Senate Bill No. 2272 - Department of Public Instruction - Senate Action

This bill provides:

- A contingent transfer back to the foundation aid stabilization fund of any amounts transferred from the foundation aid stabilization fund to the school construction loan assistance fund or the scholarship endowment fund between December 1, 2016, and the effective date of the Act related to sections 9 and 10 of chapter 153 of the 2015 Session Laws.
- If the Board of University and School Lands has not transferred \$150 million from the strategic investment and improvements fund to the school construction assistance revolving loan fund, the board shall transfer \$150 million, including any outstanding loans, to the school construction assistance revolving loan fund.
- A transfer of \$75 million from the foundation aid stabilization fund to the school construction assistance revolving loan fund and authorizes up to \$50 million to refinance loans made under the Bank of North Dakota loan program.
- An appropriation of \$10 million from the foundation aid stabilization fund to the Department of Public Instruction for rapid enrollment grants to school districts.
- An appropriation of \$1 million from the foundation aid stabilization fund to the Department of Public Instruction for supplemental English language learner grants to school districts.

Senate Bill No. 2272 - Department of Public Instruction - House Action

	Base Budget	Senate Version	House Changes	House Version
Rapid enrollment grants		\$10,000,000	(\$4,000,000)	\$6,000,000
English language learner grants		1,000,000	(500,000)	500,000
Total all funds Less estimated income	\$0 0	\$11,000,000 11,000,000	(\$4,500,000) (4,500,000)	\$6,500,000 6,500,000
General fund	\$0	\$0	(4,300,000)	<u> </u>
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FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Department 201 - Department of Public Instruction - Detail of House Changes

	Reduces Funding for Rapid Enrollment Grants ¹	Reduces Funding for English Language Learner Grants ²	Total House Changes
Rapid enrollment grants	(4,000,000)		(4,000,000)
English language learner grants		(500,000)	(500,000)
Total all funds	(\$4,000,000)	(\$500,000)	(\$4,500,000)
Less estimated income	(4,000,000)	(500,000)	(4,500,000)
General fund	\$0	\$0	\$0
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00

- ¹ Funding from the foundation aid stabilization fund is reduced by \$4 million for rapid enrollment grants, to provide a total of \$6 million from the foundation aid stabilization fund for rapid enrollment grants.
- ² Funding from the foundation aid stabilization fund is reduced by \$500,000 for English language learner grants to provide a total of \$500,000 from the foundation aid stabilization fund for English language learner grants.

Senate Bill No. 2272 - Other Changes - House Action

This bill provides:

- A contingent transfer back to the foundation aid stabilization fund of any amounts transferred from the foundation aid stabilization fund to the school construction loan assistance fund or the scholarship endowment fund between December 1, 2016, and the effective date of the Act related to sections 9 and 10 of chapter 153 of the 2015 Session Laws, the same as the Senate version.
- A transfer of \$150 million, including any outstanding loans and cash, to the school construction assistance revolving loan fund from the strategic investment and improvements fund as authorized by the 2015 Legislative Assembly, if the Board of University and School Lands has not yet made the transfer, the same as the Senate version.
- A transfer of \$75 million from the foundation aid stabilization fund to the school construction assistance revolving loan fund and authorization of up to \$50 million of this amount to refinance loans made under the Bank of North Dakota loan program, the same as the Senate version.
- An appropriation of \$6 million from the foundation aid stabilization fund to the Department of Public Instruction for rapid enrollment grants to school districts.
- An appropriation of \$500,000 from the foundation aid stabilization fund to the Department of Public Instruction for supplemental English language learner grants to school districts.

Senate Bill No. 2272 - Department of Public Instruction - Senate Action

The Senate concurred with the House amendments.