CONCEPTUAL AMENDMENT # 17

OFFERED IN THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE

BY SENATOR von Imhof

TO: SB 242

This is a conceptual amendment. Legislative Legal is directed to make any changes or deletions to the suggested language, including technical, conforming, or bill title changes, in order accomplish the intent.

INTENT OF AMENDMENT: Ensure that the governor make reasonable efforts to maximize federal funding for education stabilization under the CARES Act.

Where appropriate, insert a new section to add the following language to uncodified law:

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STATE ACCESS TO FEDERAL EDUCATION STABILIZATION FUNDS. The governor shall apply to the United States Department of Education for any emergency funding available to the state through the Education Stabilization Fund under the requirements outlined in the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act, also known as the CARES Act, enacted into law by the Second Session of the 116th Congress. The governor shall make reasonable efforts to make assurances required for the state to receive the maximum federal funding allocations allowable under the education stabilization provisions of the CARES Act."

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Note: replacement for amendment #4