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Sectional Analysis for SB 257

“An Act relating to funding for residential schools; and providing for an effective date.”

Section 1:

Amends AS 14.16.200(b) by tying the the per-pupil monthly stipends to cover room and board expenses for residential schools to percentages of the Base Student Allocation (BSA). The regions are as follows:

- Southeast (Region I): 37% of the BSA
- Southcentral (Region II): 36% of the BSA
- Interior (Region III): 44% of the BSA
- Southwest (Region IV): 45% of the BSA
- Northern Remote (Region V): 53% of the BSA

Section 2:

Amends the uncodified law of the state of Alaska by establishing a retroactive effective date to July 1st, 2025.

Section 3:

Establishes an immediate effective date under AS 01.10.070(c).