

**CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 174(RLS)**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE

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Sponsor(s): SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 "An Act establishing a base student allocation for purposes of determining education  
2 funding in the amount of \$4,010; providing that only 50 percent of the annual increase  
3 in assessed value may be included for purposes of calculating the required contribution  
4 to education from a city or borough school district; providing that a community with at  
5 least 101 students but not more than 425 students in average daily membership is  
6 counted as one elementary and one secondary school, and that, in a community with  
7 more than 425 students in average daily membership, each facility administered as a  
8 separate school, except certain alternative schools, is counted as a school; and providing  
9 for an effective date."

10 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

11 \* **Section 1.** AS 14.17.470 is amended to read:

12 **Sec. 14.17.470. Base student allocation.** The base student allocation is

1           \$4,010 [\$3,940].

2       \* **Sec. 2.** AS 14.17.510 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

3           (c) Notwithstanding AS 14.17.410(b)(2) and the other provisions of this  
4 section, if the assessed value in a city or borough school district determined under (a)  
5 of this section increases from the base year, only 50 percent of the annual increase in  
6 assessed value may be included in determining the assessed value in a city or borough  
7 school district under (a) of this section. The limitation on the increase in assessed  
8 value in this subsection applies only to a determination of assessed value for purposes  
9 of calculating the required contribution of a city or borough school district under  
10 AS 14.17.410(b)(2) and 14.17.490(b). In this subsection, the base year is 1999.

11       \* **Sec. 3.** AS 14.17.905 is amended to read:

12           **Sec. 14.17.905. Facilities constituting a school.** For purposes of this chapter,  
13 the determination of the number of schools in a district is subject to the following:

14                   (1) a community with an ADM of at least 10, but not more than 100,  
15 shall be counted as one school;

16                   (2) a community with an ADM of at least 101, but not more than 425  
17 [750], shall be counted as

18                           (A) one elementary school, which includes those students in  
19 grades kindergarten through six [6]; and

20                           (B) one secondary school, which includes students in grades  
21 seven [7] through 12;

22                   (3) in a community with an ADM of greater than 425 [750], each  
23 facility that is administered as a separate school shall be counted as one school, except  
24 that each alternative school with an ADM of less than 200 shall be counted as a part of  
25 the school in the district with the highest ADM.

26       \* **Sec. 4.** This Act takes effect July 1, 2001.