

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

March 6, 2025
Date

Committee on Education.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB25-1274 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Finance with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 6, strike lines 17 and 18 and substitute "TWELVE
2 MILLION FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED
3 EIGHTY-EIGHT DOLLARS."

4 Page 23, line 25, strike "JULY 1, 2027," and substitute "JULY 1, 2026,".

5 Page 24, line 3, strike "JULY 1, 2027," and substitute "JULY 1, 2026,".

6 Page 24, line 7, strike "A" and substitute "THE FOLLOWING".

7 Page 24, after line 8 insert:

8 (c) (I) ON JULY 1, 2026, IN ADDITION TO THE AMOUNT DESCRIBED
9 IN SUBSECTION (4.5)(a) OF THIS SECTION, THE STATE TREASURER SHALL
10 TRANSFER AN AMOUNT FROM THE STATE EDUCATION FUND TO THE FUND
11 EQUAL TO THE AMOUNT REPORTED BY THE OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING
12 AND BUDGETING PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (4.5)(c)(II) OF THIS SECTION.

13 (II) BEFORE JULY 1, 2026, THE OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING AND
14 BUDGETING SHALL, IN COLLABORATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF
15 REVENUE, PREPARE AN ESTIMATE OF THE AMOUNT OF STATE EDUCATION
16 FUND HEALTHY SCHOOL MEALS FOR ALL REVENUE FOR THE IMMEDIATELY
17 PRECEDING FISCAL YEAR AND REPORT THAT ESTIMATE TO THE STATE
18 TREASURER."

19 Reletter succeeding paragraph accordingly.