

## 101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2019 and 2020 SB0185

Introduced 1/30/2019, by Sen. Kimberly A. Lightford

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

105 ILCS 5/3-16

Amends the School Code. With regard to grants to alternative schools, safe schools, and alternative learning opportunities programs, for fiscal year 2019, to calculate grant amounts to the programs operated by regional offices of education, the State Board of Education shall calculate an amount equal to the greater of the regional program's best 3 months of average daily attendance for the 2017-2018 school year or the average of the best 3 months of average daily attendance for the 2015-2016 school year through the 2017-2018 school year, multiplied by the amount of \$6,119. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

1 AN ACT concerning education.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

Section 5. The School Code is amended by changing Section 3-16 as follows:

## 6 (105 ILCS 5/3-16)

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Sec. 3-16. Grants to alternative schools, safe schools, and alternative learning opportunities programs. The State Board of Education, subject to appropriation, shall award grants to alternative schools, safe schools, and alternative learning opportunities programs operated by a regional office of education. For fiscal year 2018, to  $\frac{\pi_0}{2}$  calculate grant amounts to the programs operated by regional offices of education, the State Board shall calculate an amount equal to the greater of the regional program's best 3 months of average daily attendance for the 2016-2017 school year or the average of the best 3 months of average daily attendance for the 2014-2015 school year through the 2016-2017 school year, multiplied by the amount of \$6,119. For fiscal year 2019, to calculate grant amounts to the programs operated by regional offices of education, the State Board shall calculate an amount equal to the greater of the regional program's best 3 months of average daily attendance for the 2017-2018 school year or the average

- 1 of the best 3 months of average daily attendance for the 2 2015-2016 school year through the 2017-2018 school year, multiplied by the amount of \$6,119. These amounts This amount 3 shall be termed the "Regional Program Increased Enrollment 4 5 Recognition". If the amount of the Regional Program Increased 6 Enrollment Recognition is greater than the amount of the 7 regional office of education program's Base Funding Minimum for fiscal year 2018 or fiscal year 2019, calculated under Section 8 9 18-8.15, then the State Board of Education shall pay the 10 regional program a grant equal to the difference between the 11 regional program's Regional Program Increased Enrollment 12 Recognition and the Base Funding Minimum for fiscal year 2018 13 or fiscal year 2019, respectively. Nothing in this Section shall be construed to alter any payments or calculations under 14 15 Section 18-8.15. 16 (Source: P.A. 100-587, eff. 6-4-18.)
- 17 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon 18 becoming law.