

Enrolled Senate Bill 5515

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CHAPTER

AN ACT

Relating to the financial administration of the Department of Education; and declaring an emergency.

Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

SECTION 1. There are appropriated to the Department of Education, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, out of the General Fund, the following amounts, for the following purposes:

- (1) Operations..... \$ 143,486,686
- (2) Oregon School for the Deaf.. \$ 17,323,780

SECTION 2. There are appropriated to the Department of Education, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, out of the General Fund, the following amounts, which are to be distributed as grants-in-aid, for program costs and to purchase services, for the following purposes:

- (1) Early intervention services
and early childhood special
education programs \$ 250,201,917
- (2) Other K-12 grant-in-aid
programs..... \$ 136,515,914
- (3) Youth development
programs..... \$ 18,573,513

SECTION 3. Notwithstanding ORS 327.856, there is appropriated to the Department of Education, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$138,927,716 for deposit into the High School Graduation and College and Career Readiness Fund.

SECTION 4. There is appropriated to the Department of Education, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$78,578,573 for debt service on general obligation bonds.

SECTION 5. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the amount of \$70,828,864 is established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, as the maximum limit for payment of expenses from lottery moneys allocated from the Administrative Services Economic Development Fund for deposit in the School Capital Matching Fund established under ORS 286A.806 as described in section 4, Article XI-P, of the Oregon Constitution.

SECTION 6. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the amount of \$8,693,643 is established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, as the maximum limit for payment of expenses from lottery moneys allocated from the Administrative Services Economic Development Fund to the Department of Education for debt service.

SECTION 7. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the following amounts are established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, as the maximum limits for payment of expenses, other than expenses described in sections 8 and 16 of this 2025 Act, from fees, moneys or other revenues, including Miscellaneous Receipts, but excluding lottery funds, corporate activity tax funds and federal funds, collected or received by the Department of Education, for the following purposes:

- (1) Capital bonding \$ 202,415,961
- (2) Operations..... \$ 59,906,260
- (3) Oregon School for the Deaf.. \$ 7,513,371

SECTION 8. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the following amounts are established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, as the maximum limits for payment of grants-in-aid, program costs and purchased services from fees, moneys or other revenues, including Miscellaneous Receipts, but excluding lottery funds, corporate activity tax funds and federal funds, collected or received by the Department of Education for programs other than those specified in sections 7 and 16 of this 2025 Act, for the following purposes:

- (1) Youth development programs..... \$ 6,874,100
- (2) All other grants..... \$ 244,853,746
- (3) Educator Advancement Council..... \$ 45,781,848

SECTION 9. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the following amounts are established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, as the maximum limits for payment of expenses from federal funds, other than those described in sections 10 and 16 of this 2025 Act, collected or received by the Department of Education, for the following purposes:

- (1) Operations..... \$ 82,151,893
- (2) Oregon School for the Deaf.. \$ 516,066

SECTION 10. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the following amounts are established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, as the maximum limits for payment of grants-in-aid, program costs and purchased services from federal funds, other than those described in sections 9 and 16 of this 2025 Act, received by the Department of Education, for the following purposes:

- (1) Youth development programs..... \$ 1,362,829
- (2) All other grants..... \$ 955,358,992

SECTION 11. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the amount of \$1,109,828,482 is established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, as the maximum limit for payments of grants-in-aid, program costs and purchased services by the Department of Education from the Student Investment Account established under ORS 327.175.

SECTION 12. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the amount of \$122,643,007 is established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, as the maximum limit for payments of grants-in-aid, program costs and purchased services by the Department of Education from the Early Learning Account established under ORS 327.269, for early intervention services and early childhood special education programs.

SECTION 13. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the amount of \$427,741,593 is established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, as the maximum limit for payment of expenses by the Department of Education for a transfer of corporate activities tax funds from the Early Learning Account established under ORS 327.269 to the Department of Early Learning and Care.

SECTION 14. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the following amounts are established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, as the maximum limits for payments of grants-in-aid, program costs and purchased services by the Department of Education from the Statewide Education Initiatives Account established under ORS 327.250, for the following purposes:

- (1) High School Graduation and College and Career Readiness Fund..... \$ 199,151,203
- (2) Reengagement program \$ 9,059,615
- (3) All other grants \$ 349,727,083

SECTION 15. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the amount of \$71,773,110 is established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, as the maximum limit for payment of expenses by the Department of Education from the Statewide Education Initiatives Account established under ORS 327.250 for operations.

SECTION 16. For the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, the following expenditures by the Department of Education are not limited:

- (1) Moneys from the School Foods Revolving Account, Education Training Revolving Account and Common School Fund; and
- (2) Expenditures for grants-in-aid and purchased services from federal funds received by the Department of Education from the United States Department of Agriculture.

SECTION 17. This 2025 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2025 Act takes effect July 1, 2025.

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