

LEGISLATIVE BILL 73

Approved by the Governor May 30, 2007

Introduced by McGill, 26; Howard, 9

FOR AN ACT relating to schools; to amend section 79-10,138, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to school breakfasts; to provide an operative date; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. Section 79-10,138, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read:

79-10,138 ~~The Legislature~~ State Department of Education shall reimburse each qualified public school in Nebraska a portion of the cost of such school's school breakfast program in the amount of five cents per school breakfast served by such school in the second preceding school year. To qualify, a school district shall operate a school lunch program and shall submit information regarding the number of breakfasts served in a manner prescribed by the department. The Legislature shall appropriate money from the General Fund to carry out this section. ~~If the Legislature does not appropriate sufficient funds to fully reimburse each qualified public school under this section, each such school shall be reimbursed a pro rata amount based on the proportion that the amount appropriated by the Legislature bears to the total amount needed to fully reimburse each qualified public school under this section.~~

Sec. 2. This act becomes operative on July 1, 2007.

Sec. 3. Original section 79-10,138, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is repealed.

Sec. 4. Since an emergency exists, this act takes effect when passed and approved according to law.