

HOUSE BILL No. 2450

By Committee on Federal and State Affairs

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9 AN ACT concerning school districts; relating to compliance with federal
10 requirements; relating to school finance.

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12 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

13 Section 1. (a) As used in this section:

14 (1) "Federal law" means the elementary and secondary education act,
15 the no child left behind act and any other federal statute, rule and reg-
16 ulation or requirement enacted, adopted, promulgated or imposed by the
17 federal government which relates to elementary and secondary education.

18 (2) "Federal law" shall not mean the individuals with disabilities ed-
19 ucation act.

20 (b) The state board of education and the boards of education of
21 school districts shall have no authority to enforce, implement or comply
22 with the provisions of any federal law.

23 (c) Each year, the state board of education shall determine, and cer-
24 tify to the board of education of each school district, the amount of mon-
25 eys the school district does not receive from the federal government as a
26 result of the enactment of subsection (b).

27 (d) Each year, the board of education of each district may levy an ad
28 valorem tax upon the taxable tangible property within the district for the
29 purpose of:

30 (1) Financing that portion of the district's general fund budget which
31 is not financed from any other source provided by law;

32 (2) paying a portion of the costs of operating and maintaining public
33 schools in partial fulfillment of the constitutional obligation of the legis-
34 lature to finance the educational interests of the state; and

35 (3) with respect to any redevelopment district established prior to
36 July 1, 1997, pursuant to K.S.A. 12-1771, and amendments thereto, pay-
37 ing a portion of the principal and interest on bonds issued by cities under
38 authority of K.S.A. 12-1774, and amendments thereto, for the financing
39 of redevelopment projects upon property located within the district.

40 (e) The amount of the proceeds from such levy shall not exceed the
41 amount certified by the state board pursuant to subsection (c). The pro-
42 ceeds from the tax levied by a district under authority of this section,
43 except the proceeds of such tax levied for the purpose of paying a portion

1 of the principal and interest on bonds issued by cities under authority of
2 K.S.A. 12-1774, and amendments thereto, for the financing of redev-
3 opment projects upon property located within the district, shall be de-
4 posited in the general fund of the district.

5 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
6 publication in the statute book.