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**THIRD CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT BRIEF
HOUSE BILL NO. 2809**

As Agreed to May 25, 2006

Brief*

HB 2809 would increase the weighting for part of the high density at-risk component of the school finance formula as part of SB 549. Under the provisions of this bill, the weighting for school districts that have a density of 212.1 students per square mile and at least 35.1 percent population of free meal students, would increase from 0.04 to 0.08 in school year 2006-2007, and from 0.05 to 0.09 in school year 2007-2008.

Conference Committee Action

The Conference Committee makes the above technical change.

Background

SB 549, the 2006 Legislative Session school finance bill, which has been signed by the Governor, has a technical error which would have reduced state aid to Leavenworth, Hutchinson, and Turner school districts by a total of \$1,300,000. This bill would correct the error.

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