

Written Testimony

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Support, Sec. 8. section 124D.65, subdivision 5

EL Funding

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I work with teachers every day, and I see that funding year to year is always inadequate to cover the needs of our most vulnerable students. Since the services for Special Ed and ELL students is legally mandated, any extra money that is needed then gets pulled from the general ed fund, which affects ALL students. This bill provides resources to Special Ed and ELL Service programs so that ALL students can thrive. Please show your support for our students by supporting the passage of this incredibly important piece of legislation.