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Bill Summary

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Overview

Most school districts do not receive categorical revenue for deferred maintenance (although the state's largest school districts receive deferred maintenance revenue by participating in the alternative facilities program). Instead, most school districts must fund deferred maintenance projects out of their fund balance or by using bond proceeds authorized by the voters residing in the district.

Section

- 1 Discretionary revenue.** Authorizes a fully equalized discretionary levy of up to \$100 per pupil unit for school districts that do not qualify for the alternative facilities program if the average age of the district's buildings are more than 30 years old.
- 2 Appropriations.** Appropriates an unspecified amount of revenue for the discretionary revenue program.
- 3 Effective date.** Makes sections 1 and 2 effective for revenue for fiscal year 2000 and later.