

ONE HUNDRED SIXTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 362

Introduced by DeBoer, 10.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this interim study is to conduct an in-depth review of the financing of special education in public primary and secondary schools.

The issues addressed by this interim study shall include, but not be limited to:

(1) The methods of financing special education in public schools, including methods in other states that would provide equitable education across the state;

(2) The percentage of special education funding received from federal, state, and local sources, and how the ratio of funding from these sources has changed over the past ten years;

(3) The maintenance of effort requirements regarding federal funding for special education; and

(4) The annual change in special education expenditures in school districts of various sizes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Education Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution.

2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.