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LB 1243

SENATOR BEUTLER: Or how can...do they have to be...

SENATOR THOMPSON: That...

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...do they have to be students also, in addition to being of that age?

SENATOR THOMPSON: This was the language that was suggested by legal counsel, and I believe it's the language that defines currently special education dollars, but we just moved it down to children from birth. That's...so the lower end was lowered, not the upper end.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay.

SENATOR THOMPSON: I'll double check that, I'm kind of making eye contact and I'm getting a nod.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Thank you.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Thank you, Senator Beutler. There are no further lights on. Senator Thompson, did you wish to close on your amendment? Closing is waived. The question before the body is the adoption of the Thompson amendment to LB 1243. Those in favor please vote aye, those opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of the amendment.

SENATOR COORDSEN: The Thompson amendment is adopted. Anything further on the bill, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Senator Bohlke would move to amend. (AM2744, Legislative Journal pages 994-998.)

SENATOR COORDSEN: Senator Bohlke, to open on your AM2744.

SENATOR BOHLKE: Thank you, Mr. President and members. Over the years, we have heard from school districts with certain situations, that I will explain to you, that this amendment does