

SENATE BILL NO. 552

October 08, 2019, Introduced by Senator STAMAS and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

A bill to amend 1979 PA 94, entitled
"The state school aid act of 1979,"
(MCL 388.1601 to 388.1897/) by adding section 54e.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 54e. (1) In addition to the appropriations in section 11,
2 there is appropriated for 2019-2020 only an amount not to exceed
3 \$350,000.00 from the general fund for a pilot program to train at
4 least 60 early on providers in the components of evidence-based
5 parent-implemented models of intervention for the treatment of
6 autism. To receive funding under this section, a program provider

1 must agree to use the funds for training in these components for
2 early on providers using an evidence-based program to conduct the
3 training and may receive the funding in the form and manner
4 prescribed by the department. The department shall ensure that
5 early on providers in multiple intermediate districts are provided
6 with training under this section and shall include early on
7 providers in intermediate districts based on interest in the
8 program and need for the training.

9 (2) The department shall conduct a survey of intermediate
10 districts in the pilot program described under this section after
11 implementation of the parent-implemented model of intervention
12 pilot program to measure the impact of the program. The department
13 shall report the findings from the survey to the legislature. The
14 department may use existing vendors to conduct this data
15 collection. The department may use not more than 10% of the
16 allocation under this section for administration and management of
17 the pilot program.

18 (3) As used in this section, "parent-implemented model of
19 intervention" means a model in which parents directly use
20 individualized developmentally appropriate intervention practices
21 with their children to increase the social abilities of children
22 with autism.

23 (4) Notwithstanding section 17b, the department shall make
24 payments under this section on a schedule determined by the
25 department.

26 Enacting section 1. In accordance with section 30 of article
27 IX of the state constitution of 1963, total state spending on
28 school aid under article I of the state school aid act of 1979,
29 1979 PA 94, MCL 388.1601 to 388.1772, as amended by 2019 PA 58 and

1 this amendatory act, from state sources for fiscal year 2019-2020
2 is estimated at \$13,392,535,100.00 and state appropriations for
3 school aid to be paid to local units of government for fiscal year
4 2019-2020 are estimated at \$13,186,465,300.00.