



FOR THE CONSENT CALENDAR

**FINANCE**

**HB 1563-FN-LOCAL**, relative to the special education aid formula and the administration and monitoring of state special education aid.

Ought to Pass, Vote 7-0.

Senator Timothy Lang for the committee.

This bill, effective July 1, 2028 (FY 2029 payment based upon 2027-2028 school year costs), revises the aid formula for higher cost special education students by lowering the eligibility threshold and restructuring cost sharing between the state and school districts. HB 1563-FN-LOCAL also establishes a new certified reporting and risk-based monitoring system to improve oversight of reimbursements."