

Amendment to HB 1644-FN

1 Amend the bill by replacing all after section 3 with the following:

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3 4 Chartered Public Schools; Funding. Amend RSA 194-B:11, I(b)(1) to read as follows:

4 (b)(1) Except as provided in subparagraph (2), for a chartered public school authorized
5 by the state board of education pursuant to RSA 194-B:3-a, the state shall pay tuition pursuant to
6 RSA 198:40-a, ***I, II, and II-a*** plus an additional grant of \$2,036 for the Virtual Learning Academy
7 Charter School and \$3,036 for all other chartered public schools directly to the chartered public
8 school for each pupil who is a resident of this state in attendance at such chartered public school.
9 Beginning July 1, 2017 and every biennium thereafter, the department of education shall adjust the
10 per pupil amount of the additional grant based on the average change in the Consumer Price Index
11 for All Urban Consumers, Northeast Region, using the "services less medical care services" special
12 aggregate index, as published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, United States Department of
13 Labor. ***The state shall pay amounts required pursuant to RSA 198:40-a, III directly to the***
14 ***resident district.***

15 5 Effective Date.

16 I. Section 2 of this act shall take effect as provided in section 3 of this act.

17 II. Section 3 of this act shall take effect upon its passage.

18 III. Section 4 of this act shall take effect July 1, 2016 at 12:01 a.m.

19 IV. The remainder of this act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.