

S.F. No. 1131 – Regional Public Library Aid

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Section 1. Base aid distribution. Increases the basic aid distribution from five percent to 15 percent of the available funds being paid to each system as their base aid for basic system services.

Effective Date. Makes the section effective for state aid for fiscal year 2022 and later.

Section 2. Adjusted net tax capacity per capita distribution. Reduces the adjusted net tax capacity per capita distribution from 25 percent to 15 percent of the available aid funds being paid to regional public library systems. Modifies the adjusted net tax capacity calculation data from the second to the third year preceding the fiscal year for which aid is provided. Makes technical corrections.

Effective Date. Makes the section effective for state aid for fiscal year 2022 and later.

Section 3. Population determination. Amends the regional public library's population calculation to use the most recent estimate available under section 477A.011, subdivision 3, at the time the aid amounts are calculated.

Effective Date. Makes the section effective for state aid for fiscal year 2022 and later.

Section 4. Appropriations. Appropriates \$17,170,000 in fiscal year 2022 and \$17,570,000 in fiscal year 2023 from the general fund for regional library basic system support.