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53A-17a-112.1 Appropriation for intensive special education costs.

- (1) As used in this section:
 - (a) "Board" means the State Board of Education.
 - (b) "Local education agency" or "LEA" means:
 - (i) a school district;
 - (ii) a charter school; or
 - (iii) the Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind.
- (2)
 - (a) On or before February 1, 2017, the board shall, in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, make rules establishing a distribution formula to allocate money appropriated to the board for Special Education -- Intensive Services that allocate to an LEA:
 - (i) 50% of the appropriation based on the highest cost students with disabilities; and
 - (ii) 50% of the appropriation based on the highest impact to an LEA due to high cost students with disabilities.
 - (b) Beginning with the 2017-18 school year, the board shall allocate money appropriated to the board for Special Education -- Intensive Services in accordance with rules described in Subsection (2)(a).
- (3) Before initiating the rulemaking process under Subsection (2)(a), the board shall present the proposed rule to the Public Education Appropriations Subcommittee or Education Interim Committee.

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