



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 1061

January Session, 2007

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AN ACT CONCERNING VOCATIONAL-AGRICULTURE CENTER FUNDING.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Subsections (a) and (b) of section 10-65 of the general
2 statutes are repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof
3 (*Effective July 1, 2007*):

4 (a) Each local or regional school district operating a vocational
5 agriculture center approved by the State Board of Education for
6 program, educational need, location and area to be served shall be
7 eligible for the following grants: (1) In accordance with the provisions
8 of chapter 173, through progress payments in accordance with the
9 provisions of section 10-287i, ninety-five per cent of the net eligible
10 costs of constructing, acquiring, renovating and equipping approved
11 facilities to be used for such vocational agriculture center, for the
12 expansion or improvement of existing facilities or for the replacement
13 or improvement of equipment therein, and (2) subject to the provisions
14 of section 10-65b, in an amount equal to [seven hundred] two thousand
15 five hundred dollars per student for every secondary school student
16 who was enrolled in such center on October first of the previous year.

17 (b) The board of education operating a vocational agriculture center
18 may charge, subject to the provisions of section 10-65b, tuition for a
19 school year in an amount not to exceed one hundred [twenty] seven

20 per cent of the foundation level pursuant to subdivision (9) of section
21 10-262f, per student for the fiscal year in which the tuition is paid,
22 except that such board may charge tuition for (1) students enrolled
23 under shared-time arrangements on a pro rata basis, and (2) special
24 education students which shall not exceed the actual costs of educating
25 such students minus the amounts received pursuant to subdivision (2)
26 of subsection (a) of this section and subsection (c) of this section. Any
27 tuition paid by such board for special education students in excess of
28 the tuition paid for non-special-education students shall be reimbursed
29 pursuant to section 10-76g.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	July 1, 2007	10-65(a) and (b)

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Joint Favorable Subst. C/R

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