

IN THE SENATE

SENATE BILL NO. 1108

BY EDUCATION COMMITTEE

AN ACT

1 RELATING TO DRIVER TRAINING; AMENDING SECTION 33-1707, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE
2 PROVISIONS REGARDING REIMBURSEMENT TO SCHOOL DISTRICTS FROM THE DRIVER
3 TRAINING ACCOUNT, TO PROVIDE FOR CERTAIN SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS, AND
4 TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS.
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6 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

7 SECTION 1. That Section 33-1707, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby
8 amended to read as follows:

9 33-1707. REIMBURSEMENT -- DETERMINATION -- CERTIFICATION. ~~a.~~ (1)
10 From the data provided by the school district, as required by section
11 33-1706, Idaho Code, the state department of education shall compute the
12 average of the number of pupils enrolling in the course and those completing
13 the same, and determine for such average number, the per-pupil cost thereof.
14 The amount due the district from the driver training ~~fund account~~ in the
15 state treasury shall be the total cost of operating the program and defraying
16 expenses for pupils, or the average of the number enrolling in the course
17 and those completing the same, multiplied by an amount up to one hundred
18 twenty-five fifty dollars (\$1250), whichever is the lesser.

19 (2) This subsection shall create student scholarships and grant oppor-
20 tunities. Student scholarships and grants shall be administered from the
21 driver training account and shall not exceed ten percent (10%) of the annual
22 revenue in the fund.

23 (a) Needs-based student scholarships shall be provided upon successful
24 completion of a driver training program. Scholarship awards shall be
25 limited to ten percent (10%) of the total number of students reimbursed
26 for courses in the prior year. Disbursements shall be made in accor-
27 dance with the timing set forth in subsection (3) of this section.

28 (b) Competitive grants shall be awarded to school districts promoting
29 program safety, efficacy, and further reducing students' out-of-pocket
30 costs.

31 ~~b.~~ (3) On or before the fifteenth day of February, and the thirtieth day
32 of June, and the fifteenth day of September in each year, the state superin-
33 tendent of public instruction shall certify to the state controller a list of
34 school districts having submitted the reports required in section 33-1706,
35 Idaho Code, and the amount of money due to each as computed under the provi-
36 sions of subsection ~~a.~~ (1) of this section. The state controller shall draw
37 his warrants against the driver training account in the state treasury, in
38 favor of the several districts entitled thereto, in the amount so certified.
39 Annually, not later than the first day of September in each year, the state
40 superintendent of public instruction shall cause the supervisor of driver
41 training to prepare a report listing the names of the school districts hav-
42 ing submitted the reports as required in section 33-1706, Idaho Code, and the

1 amounts of money paid each as computed under the provisions of subsection ~~a.~~
2 (1) of this section.