## <u>2SHB 1238</u> - H AMD 157 By Representative Rude

1 On page 3, line 25, after "rate." insert "For school districts 2 that are not participating in the school lunch program or the school 3 breakfast program that provided school meals to enrolled students 4 meeting federal eligibility requirements for free and reduced-price 5 lunches during the 2023-24 school year, the state reimbursement 6 provided under this subsection must be equivalent to the per-meal 7 reimbursement that the school district would have otherwise 8 qualified for if it had been participating in the school lunch 9 program and the school breakfast program."

<u>EFFECT:</u> (1) Establishes a state per-meal reimbursement rate for school districts that: (a) are required to provide no-charge meals in qualifying schools; (b) are not participating in the federal school lunch or breakfast programs; and (c) provided school meals to students meeting federal eligibility requirements for free and reduced-price lunches during the 2023-24 school year.

(2) Specifies that the state per-meal reimbursement rate for these school districts must be equivalent to the per-meal reimbursement that the school district would have otherwise received if it had been participating in the federal school lunch and breakfast programs.

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