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H 2180. RAISE FUNDING CAP/CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES. Filed 5/15/08. TO RAISE THE CAP ON THE NUMBER OF CHILDREN RECEIVING SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDING FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES.

Current law provides that each local school administrative unit receive funding for children with disabilities based on whichever number is less: (1) the total number of children identified with disabilities or (2) 12.5% of the allocated average daily membership (ADM) for the unit.

The bill increases the cap to 12.75% of ADM for the 2008-09 school year. Appropriates \$6,212,402 for 2008-09 from the General Fund to the Department of Public Instruction to raise the cap on supplemental funding for children with disabilities. Intro. by Glazier, Rapp, McLawhorn. APPROP