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**S 1419. ADDITIONAL TEACHERS FOR VERY SMALL SCHOOLS.** Filed 3/21/07. DIRECTING THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO PROVIDE AT LEAST ONE TEACHER PER GRADE LEVEL FOR CERTAIN SMALL, GEOGRAPHICALLY ISOLATED SCHOOLS.

Directs the State Board of Education (SBE) to modify its policy on the allotment of additional classroom teachers to geographically isolated small schools where the average daily membership is 110 or less. Provides for allotting teachers to the geographically isolated schools on the basis of one teacher per grade level and allotting teachers to the rest of the local education agency (LEA) under the regular teacher allotment formula. Authorizes the SBE to allot additional teachers to the LEA if warranted by demographic conditions. Effective July 1, 2007.

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