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IN SENATE

January 17, 2020

Introduced by Sen. AKSHAR -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Education

AN ACT authorizing the commissioner of education to make a payment for building aid to which the Norwich city school district is entitled to be used for services and expenses of such school district

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. In order to avoid endangering the fiscal stability of the 1 2 Norwich city school district, certain apportionments payable to the 3 Norwich city school district shall be paid on an accelerated schedule. 4 Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, the commissioner of educa-5 tion shall make a payment for the allotted balance of state building aid 6 to which the Norwich city school district is entitled in an amount equal 7 to \$850,684 no later than June 30, 2020. Funds paid pursuant to this act shall be used for services and expenses of the Norwich city school 8 district and shall be applied to support of its educational programs and 9 10 any liability incurred by such city school district in carrying out its 11 functions and responsibilities under the education law.

12 § 2. If any clause, sentence, subdivision, paragraph, section or part 13 of this act be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction, to be 14 invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the 15 remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, 16 sentence, subdivision, paragraph, section or part thereof directly 17 involved in the controversy in which such judgment shall have been 18 rendered.

19 § 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in <u>italics</u> (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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