

# STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN SENATE

January 12, 2026

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

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to the additional apportionment of building aid for certain projects

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

1 Section 1. Subparagraph 1 of paragraph b of subdivision 6-f of section  
2 3602 of the education law, as added by section 19 of part H of chapter  
3 83 of the laws of 2002, is amended to read as follows:

4 (1) has a total project cost of [~~one hundred~~] two hundred fifty thou-  
5 sand dollars or less[~~, provided however, that for any district, no more~~  
6 ~~than one project shall be eligible pursuant to this subparagraph for an~~  
7 ~~apportionment within the same school year] modified by an annual county  
8 or multi-county labor market composite wage rate, established by the  
9 commissioner of labor in consultation with the commissioner, for July  
10 first of the base year, indexed to the median of such county or multi-  
11 county rates, but not less than one, up to a maximum of five hundred  
12 thousand dollars, as determined by the building aid regional cost  
13 factor; and provided further a school district may combine up to five  
14 years of project allowances pursuant to this subparagraph and apply to  
15 the commissioner for project approval for the entire apportionment and  
16 such apportionment may be used for one or more projects; and/or~~

17 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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