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Introduced by

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-27 of the North Dakota  
2 Century Code, relating to the provision of school district transportation payments; to provide for  
3 the distribution of transportation grants; and to provide an effective date.

4 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

5 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 15.1-27 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
6 created and enacted as follows:

7 **Transportation payments - Determination - Data envelopment analysis.** The  
8 superintendent of public instruction shall calculate school district transportation payments using  
9 data envelopment analysis and shall forward to each district the amount to which the district is  
10 entitled at the same time and in the same manner as required for state aid payments under  
11 section 15.1-27-01.

12 **SECTION 2. TRANSPORTATION GRANTS - DISTRIBUTION.** During the first year of  
13 the 2005-07 biennium, the superintendent of public instruction shall distribute to each school  
14 district in the state an amount equal to the state transportation aid payments received by the  
15 school district during the second year of the 2003-05 biennium. The superintendent shall  
16 distribute the payments at the same time and in the same manner as required for state aid  
17 payments under section 15.1-27-01.

18 **SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.** Section 1 of this Act becomes effective July 1, 2006.