Article 4 - American Indian Education

House Language H5237-3

53.1	ARTICLE 4
53.2	AMERICAN INDIAN EDUCATION
53.3 53.4	Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2023 Supplement, section 124D.81, subdivision 2b, is amended to read:
53.5 53.6 53.7 53.8 53.9	Subd. 2b. Carry forward of funds. Notwithstanding section 16A.28, if a school district or Tribal contract school does not expend the full amount of the American Indian education aid in accordance with the plan in the designated fiscal year, the school district or Tribal contract school may carry forward and expend up to half of the remaining funds in the first six months of the following fiscal year, and is not subject to an aid reduction if:
53.10 53.11	(1) the district is otherwise following the plan submitted and approved under subdivision 2;
53.12 53.13 53.14	(2) the American Indian Parent Advisory Committee for the school is aware of and has approved the carry forward and has concurred with the district's educational offerings extended to American Indian students under section 124D.78;
53.15 53.16	(3) the funds carried over are used in accordance with section 124D.74, subdivision 1; and
53.17 53.18 53.19 53.20	(4) by April 1, the district reports to the Department of Education American Indian education director the reason the aid was not expended in the designated fiscal year, and describes how the district intends to expend the funds in the following fiscal year. The district must report this information in the form and manner determined by the commissioner.
53.21	EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.

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15.14	Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 2023 Supplement, section 124D.81, subdivision 2b, is amended
15.15	to read:
15.16 15.17	Subd. 2b. Carry forward of funds. Notwithstanding section 16A.28, if a school district or Tribal contract school does not expend the full amount of the American Indian education
15.18 15.19 15.20	aid in accordance with the plan in the designated fiscal year, the school district or Tribal contract school may carry forward and expend up to half of the remaining funds in the first six months of the following fiscal year, and is not subject to an aid reduction if:
15.21 15.22	(1) the district is otherwise following the plan submitted and approved under subdivision 2 ;
15.23 15.24 15.25	(2) the American Indian Parent Advisory Committee for the school is aware of and has approved the carry forward and has concurred with the district's educational offerings extended to American Indian students under section 124D.78;
15.26 15.27	(3) the funds carried over are used in accordance with section 124D.74, subdivision 1; and
15.28 15.29 15.30 15.31	(4) by April 1, the district reports to the Department of Education American Indian education director the reason the aid was not expended in the designated fiscal year, and describes how the district intends to expend the funds in the following fiscal year. The district must report this information in the form and manner determined by the commissioner.
16.1	EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective for revenue in fiscal year 2024 and later.