

1 HOUSE BILL 138

2 **55TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2021**

3 INTRODUCED BY

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8 FOR THE LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION STUDY COMMITTEE

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10 AN ACT

11 RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE; INCREASING THE FINE ARTS  
12 EDUCATION PROGRAM UNIT.

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14 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

15 SECTION 1. Section 22-8-23.5 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 2003,  
16 Chapter 144, Section 3 and Laws 2003, Chapter 152, Section 8)  
17 is amended to read:

18 "22-8-23.5. FINE ARTS EDUCATION PROGRAM UNITS.--The  
19 number of fine arts education program units is determined by  
20 multiplying the full-time-equivalent MEM in programs  
21 implemented in accordance with the provisions of the Fine Arts  
22 Education Act by the cost differential factor of [~~0.0166 for~~  
23 ~~fiscal year 2004, 0.0332 for fiscal year 2005, and 0.05 for~~  
24 ~~fiscal year 2006 and~~] 0.054 for fiscal year 2022 and succeeding  
25 fiscal years."

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SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.--The effective date of the provisions of this act is July 1, 2021.