

1.1 Senator moves to amend the delete-everything amendment (SCS1740A-2)
1.2 to S.F. No. 1740 as follows:

1.3 Page 16, after line 8, insert:

1.4 "Sec. 17. **FUND TRANSFERS AUTHORIZED TO AVOID TEACHER AND**
1.5 **INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF REDUCTIONS.**

1.6 (a) A governing board that adopts a written resolution indicating that, without the
1.7 flexibility provided under paragraph (b), it will reduce the number of teachers and other
1.8 instructional staff in the school for any of fiscal years 2025, 2026, or 2027, may transfer
1.9 funds as provided under paragraph (b). The written resolution must outline the purpose for
1.10 and specify the amount of funds that are transferred under this section. A school board must
1.11 post the resolution for each approved transfer on its website and must transmit a timely,
1.12 electronic notice of each approved transfer to the commissioner.

1.13 (b) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 123B.80, subdivision 3, or any law to
1.14 the contrary, for fiscal years 2025, 2026, and 2027 only, a school district, charter school,
1.15 or cooperative unit whose governing board adopts a resolution as provided under paragraph
1.16 (a) may transfer any funds not already assigned to or encumbered by staff salary and benefits,
1.17 or otherwise encumbered by federal law, from any operating account or operating fund to
1.18 the undesignated balance in any other operating account or operating fund. A fund or account
1.19 transfer under this section must not increase state aid obligations to the district or school,
1.20 or result in additional property tax authority for the district.

1.21 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment."

1.22 Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

1.23 Amend the title accordingly