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## 94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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### AN ACT

To amend chapter 163, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to school funding for prisoners in state custody.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 163, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be  
2 known as section 163.165, to read as follows:

2 **163.165. 1. Beginning January 1, 2008, and every year thereafter, the director of**  
3 **the department of corrections, the commissioner of education, and the commissioner of**  
4 **administration shall determine:**

4 (1) **The average daily cost of maintaining a prisoner in state custody; and**

5 (2) **The number of prisoners whose last attended Missouri school district was a**  
6 **metropolitan district or an urban district containing the greater part of a home rule city**  
7 **with more than four hundred thousand inhabitants and located in more than one county.**

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9 **The average daily cost and the number of prisoners meeting the description above agreed**  
10 **upon shall be used to determine a deduction from the school state aid of the affected**  
11 **district for the upcoming fiscal year under subsection 2 of this section.**

12 **2. The department of elementary and secondary education shall have all the**  
13 **necessary power and authority to make the deductions from a district's state school aid**  
14 **apportionment that result from multiplying the number of prisoners in the affected**

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

15 **districts by the average cost as derived under subsection 1 of this section and to transfer**  
16 **the calculated amount to the department of corrections.**

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