

## STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS28961 / H0388

This bill provides funding from the federal American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) for Idaho's school districts and public charter schools for FY 2022. This includes onetime funding for the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Funds (ESSER 3) and onetime funding for existing special education programs as part of the Individuals with Disabilities in Education Act (IDEA).

The bill also amends Section 33-907, Idaho Code, and restricts the withdrawal of any moneys from the Public Education Stabilization Fund (PESF) for any moneys appropriated for FY 2022 only. Finally the bill includes a section that acknowledges the actions in this bill are onetime in nature and for onetime purposes.

## FISCAL NOTE

This bill provides onetime funding of \$454,031,900 from the American Rescue Plan Fund for FY 2022. This includes \$439,642,000 for ESSER III funds; \$13,233,700 for IDEA Part B grants; and \$1,156,200 for special education services for children aged 4-5 years old.

The bill also restricts any withdrawal of moneys from PESF for FY 2022, which will potentially save state funds for FY 2022 related costs.

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