

Amend **HB 2**, on Page 17, strike Line 3 through Line 10, and substitute in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 42.201. TRANSPORTATION ALLOTMENT. (a) Each school district or county operating a regular transportation system is entitled to an allotment per mile for each approved route mile traveled by the system in an amount that corresponds to the overall average daily attendance of that school district, or to the overall average daily attendance of that county, using an equitable formula to be established by the Texas Education Agency.

(b) If the amount of an allotment under this section that a school district or county receives exceeds the district's or county's true and actual cost of operating the transportation system, the district or county may use the excess funds for any legal purpose, but must report the amount of excess to the Texas Education Agency.