

# **WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE**

## **2024 REGULAR SESSION**

**Introduced**

### **House Bill 4832**

By Delegates Ellington, Toney, and Statler

[Introduced January 17, 2024; Referred to the  
Committee on Education]

1 A BILL to amend and reenact §18-9B-21 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating  
2 to state superintendent's reports regarding the finances of school districts.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

**ARTICLE 9B. STATE BOARD OF SCHOOL FINANCE.**

**§18-9B-21. Reports by state superintendent.**

1 The state superintendent shall make an annual report to the ~~Governor and to the~~  
2 ~~Legislature~~ Legislative Oversight Commission on Education Accountability pertaining to the work  
3 ~~of the state superintendent and~~ regarding the finances of each ~~districts~~ district. Any school  
4 district that fails to report its finances to the state superintendent may be subject to a reduction of  
5 its state funding. The state superintendent shall make such special reports as the ~~Governor or the~~  
6 ~~Legislature~~ Legislative Oversight Commission on Education Accountability may request.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to clarify the state superintendent's reports regarding the finances of school districts.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from a heading or the present law and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.