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Overview

There are three statutorily created intermediate school districts in the metro area that provide cooperative services to local school districts. Intermediate school districts provide special education services, secondary vocational services (career and technical programs), and other educational services such as area learning center programs to students of their member districts.

This bill, as amended by the author's amendment identified as H243DE1, authorizes a school district that is a member of an intermediate school district to increase its safe schools levy by \$2 per pupil unit for safety costs at the intermediate school sites.

Section

- 1** **Safe schools levy.** Authorizes a school district that is a member of an intermediate school district to increase its safe school levy by \$2 per pupil unit for school safety needs at the intermediate school district school sites. Makes this section effective for taxes payable in 2005 and later.