

# **SPONSOR STATEMENT**

## **HOUSE BILL 1**

**"AN ACT RELATING TO THE BASE STUDENT ALLOCATION USED IN THE FORMULA FOR STATE FUNDING OF PUBLIC EDUCATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE."**

This bill would increase the base student allocation by \$320 to \$4896. This number represents an increase of approximately 7% over last year.

I urge your consideration and support for this measure.