

## Weights and Weighting Factors as Proposed in S.287

| <b>Cost Factor</b>                                      | <b>Weight</b> |
|---|---------------|
| <b>Student Need</b>                                     |               |
| Poverty, using FRL                                      | 1.03          |
| ELL   | 2.49          |
| <b>Grade Level</b>                                      |               |
| Middle grades (6-8)                                     | 0.36          |
| Secondary grades (9-12)                                 | 0.39          |
| <b>School Enrollment</b>                                |               |
| <100 pupils   | 0.21          |
| 100-250 pupils  | 0.07          |
| <b>Population Density<br/>(persons per square mile)</b> |               |
| less than 36 per square mile                            | 0.15          |
| 36 to less than 55 per square mile                      | 0.12          |
| 55 to less than 100 per square mile                     | 0.07          |