



Statement on Supreme Court decision holding the Legislature in contempt

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The court got it right. Our state legislators must uphold the constitutional mandate to make sure all our students can attend amply funded schools. The clock is ticking and it's time to come up with the money. We urge legislators to find dependable funding to comply with the McCleary decision. We look forward to working with them and the governor to make this happen.

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