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Fiscal Note

Fiscal Note On: HB 663 HLS 18RS 147
Bill Text Version: ENGROSSED
Opp. Chamb. Action:
Proposed Amd.:
Sub. Bill For.:

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Subject: Commission to Study Consolidation

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Creates a commission to study the feasibility of consolidating the Washington Parish and Bogalusa school systems

Purpose of Bill: This measure creates a commission to study the feasibility of consolidating the Washington Parish and Bogalusa school systems. Further, it provides for individuals that will make up the commission as well as the actions and plans that the commission is to perform/submit.

The commission shall submit a written report of its findings, conclusions, and recommendations to the two school systems no later than August 31, 2019.

Table with 7 columns: EXPENDITURES, 2018-19, 2019-20, 2020-21, 2021-22, 2022-23, 5 -YEAR TOTAL. Rows include State Gen. Fd., Agy. Self-Gen., Ded./Other, Federal Funds, Local Funds, and Annual Total. All values are \$0.

EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure.

Officials from both school systems indicated that they anticipated some expenditures associated with the commission, but they expect related expenditures to be minimal/negligible. The minimal increases may be in such areas as the following: Materials used for printing agendas, notices, and minutes; staff resources used to prepare documents and set up meeting spaces; and related travel.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental revenues as a result of this measure.

Senate Dual Referral Rules
13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S&H}
13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S&H}

House
6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}
6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

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