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Fiscal Note



Fiscal Note On: **HB 400** HLS 16RS 228

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Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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Subject: Textbooks		

TEXTBOOKS/MATERIALS

EG NO IMPACT See Note

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Provides relative to the review of textbooks and other instructional materials by the state Dept. of Education

Current law allows the Department of Education (DOE) to review textbooks and other materials at such times as it deems necessary but shall review core subject areas of English language arts, math, science and social studies at least every six years. Proposed legislation requires DOE to prioritize reviews of textbooks and other instructional materials used to teach state academic content standards recently reviewed and revised and shall publish on its website a projected timeline for the prioritized reviews.

EXPENDITURES	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	\$0
Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

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EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on DOE expenditures as a result of this measure. Annual costs for reviewers is based on the number of completed reviews, not the content of the review and the number of reviews is based on the number of textbooks submitted by publishers. DOE anticipates this will help direct resources where most needed. The DOE notes that limiting reviews may limit local access to state reviewed materials with the latest subject information. This could increase the burden on local school districts to conduct their own reviews of materials not reviewed by the state since actual selection and purchase of materials is determined locally.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

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

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13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S&H}

6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}

13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S&H}

6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

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