

**LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE**  
**Fiscal Note**



Fiscal Note On: **SB 128** SLS 23RS 328

Bill Text Version: **ORIGINAL**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

<b>Date:</b> April 27, 2023	8:58 AM	<b>Author:</b> MORRIS, JAY
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<b>Subject:</b> Admissions/Scholarships/Financial Aid Criteria		

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Provides relative to certain practices of public postsecondary institutions. (8/1/23)

Proposed legislation prohibits public postsecondary institutions from using a student's or their family member's race, sex, or national origin as a factor for admission to the institution or a program of study and consideration for scholarships and financial aid awarded by the institution. Provides that scholarships and financial aid programs provided for by donors or special programs which require preferential treatment are exempt from the requirements in proposed legislation. Requires all public postsecondary institutions to provide a report to the House and Senate Education Committees on the scholarships and financial aid programs which require the consideration of a student's race, sex, or national origin by November 1, 2023. Students may seek a writ of mandamus or injunctive relief to require an institution comply with the proposed law.

<b>EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>2023-24</b>	<b>2024-25</b>	<b>2025-26</b>	<b>2026-27</b>	<b>2027-28</b>	<b>5 -YEAR TOTAL</b>
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Local Funds	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Annual Total</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

  

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**EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION**

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure. The higher education system offices and Board of Regents report there is no anticipated effect on expenditures as a result of this legislation.

**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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