

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE
Fiscal Note



Fiscal Note On: **HB 95** HLS 13RS 194
 Bill Text Version: **ENGROSSED**
 Opp. Chamb. Action:
 Proposed Amd.:
 Sub. Bill For.:

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Subject: Admission or readmission to a public school	

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Provides relative to eligibility criteria for admission or readmission to a public school and prohibits the denial of admission or readmission based on certain student characteristics

Present law prohibits a public school board from denying students of suitable age admission or readmission to school unless such student is legally excluded from attending school. The proposed legislation requires school systems to grant admission or readmission to school any student who meets all of the following: 1) resides within the geographic boundaries, 2) meets eligibility requirements pursuant to R.S. 17:222(A), 3) is 21 years of age or younger on September 30th of the calendar year in which the school begins, 4) has not received a high school diploma or its equivalent, and 5) is otherwise eligible for enrollment in a public school pursuant to state law and policies of the school board and Board of Elementary and Secondary Education. If a student meets all of the above, they shall not be denied admission or readmission based on any of the following: 1) the student voluntarily withdrew from school, 2) the student is pregnant, 3) the student is a parent, or 4) the student is married. The admission or readmission of a student who is 21 years of age or younger on September 30th of the calendar year in which the school begins shall be limited to grade 11 or 12. Students who are 22-26 years of age on September 30th of the calendar year in which the school begins and meet all other criteria may be admitted at the discretion of the school board.

EXPENDITURES	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	
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	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	
Annual Total						

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Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

The proposed legislation is not anticipated to have a significant impact on state or local school district expenditures. However, in the event that certain students meeting the requirements listed in the legislation have not been allowed to enter the public school system in the past, local school district expenditures and state general fund expenditures will increase to provide for the education of such student if they choose to enroll in the public school system. It is assumed that the majority of the students meeting the requirements listed in the legislation and are under 21 are currently allowed to enter the public school system.

Note: According to calculations in the MFP, the total average cost per student in a public school from state and local resources is approximately \$8,500.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

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

<u>Senate</u>	<u>Dual Referral Rules</u>	<u>House</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> 13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S&H}	<input type="checkbox"/> 6.8(F) >= \$500,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S}	
<input type="checkbox"/> 13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S&H}	<input type="checkbox"/> 6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}	

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