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Fiscal Note On: **HB 786** HLS 14RS 1262

Bill Text Version: **ENROLLED**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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Provides relative to the election of members of the Lafayette Parish School Board

Purpose of Bill: This measure would provide that the members of the Lafayette Parish School Board be elected at gubernatorial elections instead of congressional elections. This measure would also provide that the members of the school board elected at the congressional elections in 2014 shall serve five year terms, in order to facilitate moving future elections from congressional to gubernatorial.

EXPENDITURES	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	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	UNKNOWN	UNKNOWN	UNKNOWN	UNKNOWN	UNKNOWN	
Annual Total						

REVENUES	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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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>	<u>\$0</u>
Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

There is an indeterminate effect on local government expenditures due to this measure.

According to an official with the Secretary of State's office, statewide elections have very little additional cost; therefore, changing the Lafayette Parish School Board election from a congressional election to a gubernatorial election would have little effect on local government expenditures. However, there may be some cost savings, but this cannot be determined at the present time.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

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

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

13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S&H} 6.8(F)(2) >= \$500,000 State Rev. Reduc. {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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