

Department of Planning and Budget 2013 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB2171

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Second House	<input type="checkbox"/> In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

2. Patron: McQuinn

3. Committee: Education

4. Title: Review of school crisis, emergency management, and medical emergency response plans.

5. Summary: Requires each local school board to conduct a school safety audit and review its school crisis, emergency management, and medical emergency response plans bimonthly. Under current law, each local school board is required to complete such tasks annually. Also, shortens the time that school safety audits are to be made public from 90 days to 30 days.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary. See item 8.

8. Fiscal Implications: It is anticipated that this legislation will not have an immediate state fiscal impact. However, local school divisions could incur additional costs related to the bimonthly review of school crisis, emergency management, and medical emergency response plans. Such costs will vary by school division; therefore, any potential local impact is unknown at this time. To the extent that school divisions incur increased operational costs related to this legislation, such costs could be included as part of the expenditure base used to develop rebenchmarking costs in future biennia. However, any state fiscal impact attributed to such costs is indeterminate at this time.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Local school divisions.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.

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