

## Department of Planning and Budget 2014 Fiscal Impact Statement

**1. Bill Number:** HB449

<b>House of Origin</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Engrossed
<b>Second House</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

**2. Patron:** Bell, Robert B.

**3. Committee:** Education

**4. Title:** Student information; release to federal government agencies and commercial educational entities.

**5. Summary:** The proposed legislation would prohibit a member or employee of a local school board or the Department of Education (DOE) from transmitting personally identifiable information from a student's record to a federal government agency or any commercial educational entity or an authorized representative of such agency or entity for purposes permitted by local, state, or federal law unless the member or employee first notifies the student's parent or the student, in the case of a student who is eighteen years of age or older, and provides the parent or student with the opportunity to opt out of the transmission.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary:** None.

**7. Fiscal Impact Estimates:** Indeterminate. See Item 8.

**8. Fiscal Implications:** The bill limits the ability of members or employees of local school boards or DOE staff from transmitting personally identifiable information from a student's record. The bill will likely have an administrative staffing impact to school divisions and DOE related to administering the required parental notification and opt out processes for personally identifiable information covered under the bill. Modifications to existing computer systems would likely need to be made as well to allow for adjusted data files containing omitted data due to parental opt outs.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** Board of Education, Department of Education, local school divisions

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** None.

**11. Other Comments:** Similar to HB200.

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