

## **Department of Planning and Budget 2015 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number:** HB2318

<b>House of Origin</b>	<input 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

**2. Patron:** Orrock

**3. Committee:** Passed both houses

**4. Title:** High school graduation and dropout information

**5. Summary:** The proposed legislation would require the Board of Education to make existing graduation and dropout information available to the public. The bill also requires the Board to collect, analyze, report, and make available to the public high school graduation and dropout data that uses a formula that excludes any student who fails to graduate because such student is in the custody of the Department of Corrections, the Department of Juvenile Justice, or local law enforcement, and use this dropout data for the Standards of Accreditation. The provisions of this legislation become effective on July 1, 2016. The Board of Education is required to report its progress towards meeting the bill's provisions to the General Assembly's education committees no later than December 1, 2015.

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

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

**8. Fiscal Implications:** The provisions of the bill can be accommodated within the Department of Education's current resources. The bill is not anticipated to have a state fiscal impact.

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

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

**11. Other Comments:** None.

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