

Department of Planning and Budget 2016 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB831

House of Origin Introduced Substitute Engrossed
Second House In Committee Substitute Enrolled

2. Patron: Greason

3. Committee: Education

4. Title: Board of Education; graduation requirements; computer science as foreign language.

5. Summary: Requires the Board of Education, in establishing course and credit requirements for a high school diploma, to provide that the standard units of credit in foreign language required to graduate with an advanced studies diploma or a standard diploma may be satisfied by the successful completion of computer science courses.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

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

8. Fiscal Implications: Board of Education costs to establish the criteria outlined in this bill can be absorbed within existing resources. There is no anticipated state fiscal impact resulting from this legislation.

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

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: This bill is similar to HB 228, HB 1186, and HB 1219.