

Department of Planning and Budget 2018 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB184

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

2. Patron: Favola

3. Committee: Rehabilitation and Social Services

4. Title: Child abuse and neglect; founded reports regarding former school employees.

5. Summary: Requires local departments of social services to notify the appropriate school board without delay if the subject of a founded complaint of child abuse or neglect was, at the time of the investigation or the conduct that led to the report, an employee of a school division located within the Commonwealth. Currently, such reporting is only required if the subject of the complaint is an employee of a school division at the time the complaint is determined to be founded.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: See Item 8.

8. Fiscal Implications: No fiscal impact is anticipated. This bill ensures that a local school board is made aware of a founded complaint of child abuse or neglect in call cases where the conduct occurred while the subject was an employee of the local school board, regardless of whether or not the employee continued his/her employment throughout the investigation.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Social Services, Department of Education, local departments of social services, local school divisions

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.