

**Department of Planning and Budget**  
**2007 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number** HB3172

<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** Hugo

**3. Committee** Education

**4. Title** Waiver of Standards of Learning requirements for certain students.

**5. Summary/Purpose:** Requires that the Standards of Learning requirements and all related assessments must be waived for any student enrolled in an advanced placement class at the high school level who scores three or above on the advanced placement test for that subject.

**6. Fiscal Impact Estimates are:** See Item 8.

**7. Budget amendment necessary:** No.

**8. Fiscal implications:** It is anticipated that this bill could generate savings in the cost to administer the Standards of Learning tests; however, the number of eligible students that will qualify for the exemption by scoring a three or higher on the advanced placement test for a subject is unknown. Therefore, no reliable estimate of potential savings can be provided at this time.

**9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected:** Department of Education, local school divisions.

**10. Technical amendment necessary:** No.

**11. Other comments:** This bill is similar to HB 1875.

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