

Department of Planning and Budget 2019 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB2258

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: Pogge

3. Committee: Health, Welfare and Institutions

4. Title: Child day programs; staff training requirements; exemption for cooperative preschools.

5. Summary: Exempts parents and other persons who participate in a cooperative preschool center on behalf of a child attending such cooperative preschool center, including such parents and persons who are counted for the purpose of determining staff-to-child ratios, from orientation and training requirements applicable to staff of child day programs. The bill provides that such exempt parents may be required to complete up to four hours of training per year.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: This bill does not have a fiscal impact.

8. Fiscal Implications: The legislation exempts parents and other persons who participate in a cooperative preschool from orientation and training requirement applicable to staff of child day programs. The bill allows the Department of Social Services, through the regulatory process, to require exempted persons to participate in up to four hours of training annually. Furthermore, this bill does not apply to parents and other persons at cooperative preschools that accept federal Child Care Development Fund (CCDF) grant subsidies for child care services. The Department of Social Services is aware of 26 cooperative preschools that do not receive CCDF subsidies and would be affected by the bill.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Social Services

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.