

Department of Planning and Budget

2020 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB275

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

2. Patron: Barker

3. Committee: Passed both houses

4. Title: School enrollment; students formerly in foster care.

5. Summary: Specifies, for the purpose of several provisions of law relating to the public school enrollment of children placed in foster care, that such provisions apply to any student who was in foster care upon reaching 18 years of age but who has not yet reached 22 years of age.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

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

8. Fiscal Implications: This bill would expand the pool of students for which foster care reimbursements can be claimed under Direct Aid to Public Education. Additionally, the increase in eligible foster care students would produce a similar increase in average daily membership. The number of additional students and any additional resulting state cost are indeterminate at this time, as is the fiscal impact to local school divisions.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Education, local school divisions

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None