



Senate

General Assembly

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Substitute Senate Bill No. 1113

Senate, April 3, 2007

The Committee on Education reported through SEN. GAFFEY of the 13th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the Senate, that the substitute bill ought to pass.

AN ACT CONCERNING UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT #1 EDUCATION CREDIT.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 10-220h of the general statutes is repealed and the
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2007*):

3 When a student enrolls in a school in a new school district, the new
4 school district shall provide written notification of such enrollment to
5 the school district in which the student previously attended school.
6 The school district in which the student previously attended school (1)
7 shall transfer the student's education records to the new school district
8 no later than ten days after receipt of such notification, and (2) if the
9 student's parent or guardian did not give written authorization for the
10 transfer of such records, shall send notification of the transfer to the
11 parent or guardian at the same time that it transfers the records. In the
12 case of a student who transfers from Unified School District #1, the
13 new school district shall provide written notification of such
14 enrollment to Unified School District #1 not later than ten days after

15 the date of enrollment, the unified school district shall, not later than
 16 ten days after receipt of notification of enrollment from the new school
 17 district, transfer the records of the student to the new school district
 18 [which] and the new school district shall, not later than thirty days
 19 after receiving the student's education records, credit the student for
 20 all instruction received in Unified School District #1.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	10-220h

ED *Joint Favorable Subst.*

The following fiscal impact statement and bill analysis are prepared for the benefit of members of the General Assembly, solely for the purpose of information, summarization, and explanation, and do not represent the intent of the General Assembly or either chamber thereof for any purpose:

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

Agency Affected	Fund-Effect	FY 08 \$	FY 09 \$
State Technical High Schools	GF - None	None	None

Note: GF=General Fund

Municipal Impact:

Municipalities	Effect	FY 08 \$	FY 09 \$
Various Local and regional School Districts	Cost	Potential Minimal	Potential Minimal

Explanation

This bill results in a potential minimal cost to local and regional school districts due to mailing costs associated with the bill's notification requirements. Many districts will not see the transfer students for which these notification requirements would be provided and thus will see no increased costs. The state technical high schools would use the state's internal mailing system and thus would not have any costs associated with notification.

OLR Bill Analysis**sSB 1113*****AN ACT CONCERNING UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT #1
EDUCATION CREDIT.*****SUMMARY:**

This bill requires school districts receiving transfer students from Unified School District #1 to provide written notification of the enrollment to the unified district within 10 days. The law does not set a deadline for receiving districts to send a transfer student enrollment notification to other sending districts. The bill specifies that, as under existing law for sending districts, Unified School District #1 must transfer the student's records within 10 days of receiving the notice. Unified School District #1 serves students in the custody of the Department of Correction.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2007

COMMITTEE ACTION

Education Committee

Joint Favorable Substitute

Yea 28 Nay 0 (03/19/2007)