



# House of Representatives

General Assembly

**File No. 72**

February Session, 2010

House Bill No. 5414

*House of Representatives, March 18, 2010*

The Committee on Appropriations reported through REP. GERAGOSIAN of the 25th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the House, that the bill ought to pass.

## **AN ACT CONCERNING EXPENDITURES FOR THE PROGRAMS AND SERVICES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.**

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

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2010*) The Board of Education shall  
2 review the programs and services administered or provided by the  
3 Department of Education in order to: (1) Evaluate the effectiveness and  
4 benefits of such programs and services, and (2) assign priority for the  
5 continued funding of such programs and services. The board shall  
6 submit, in accordance with section 11-4a of the general statutes,  
7 findings and recommendations to the joint standing committee of the  
8 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to  
9 appropriations and the budgets of state agencies not later than January  
10 1, 2011, and annually thereafter.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>July 1, 2010</i>	New section
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**APP**      *Joint Favorable*

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***OFA Fiscal Note******State Impact:*** None***Municipal Impact:*** None***Explanation***

The bill requires a review of certain expenditures by the Department of Education and would not result in a fiscal impact.

***The Out Years******State Impact:*** None***Municipal Impact:*** None

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**OFA Bill Analysis**

**HB 5414**

***AN ACT CONCERNING EXPENDITURES FOR THE PROGRAMS AND SERVICES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.***

**SUMMARY:**

The bill requires the commissioner of education to review the programs administered by his agency in order to evaluate their cost effectiveness and benefits and assign priority for continued funding. The commissioner must submit findings and recommendations to the Appropriations Committee not later than January 1, 2011 and annually thereafter.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2010

**COMMITTEE ACTION**

Appropriations Committee

Joint Favorable

Yea 52 Nay 0 (03/08/2010)