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sHB-5033

AN ACT ADDRESSING THE NEEDS OF FOOD-INSECURE
STUDENTS AT PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION.

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The bill results in no fiscal impact to the constituent units because the units have sufficient expertise and resources to carry out the survey, reporting, program, and other activities required by the bill.

In addition, the bill is not anticipated to result in a fiscal impact to the Department of Social Services (DSS) associated with the consideration of work-study requirements for purposes of Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) eligibility for students. The bill's change (from eligibility based on participation in a work-study program to approval for one) conforms to current practice as allowed under the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2021, for the duration of the public health emergency. SNAP benefits are federally funded and the provision of such is subject to federal regulations.

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State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None