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TITLE: "AN ACT CONCERNING REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICES"
FAVORABLY REPORTED BY Education

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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT - BILL NUMBER SHB 5213

STATE IMPACT Yes, see explanation below
MUNICIPAL IMPACT See explanation below
STATE AGENCY(S) Department of Education

EXPLANATION OF ESTIMATES:

STATE AND MUNICIPAL IMPACT: This bill would result in a future cost to the State in as much as a Regional Education Service Center's (RESC's) school construction grant would not otherwise have to be paid if a RESC ceased to exist.

However, by allowing for continued payment of grants, lower bonding costs could accrue to the RESCs in the future and thus lower State reimbursements of construction costs. Additionally, State and local school district costs to educate children currently in a RESC are less than costs would be in an individual school district due to economies of scale, thus if State backing of RESCs allows RESCs to remain in operation a potential cost to the State could be offset.