

FISCAL ESTIMATE

ORIGINAL UPDATED)

LRB or Bill No./Adm. Rule No.
Senate Bill 13 (99-0565/1)

DOA-2048 (R10/92

CORRECTED SUPPLEMENTAL

Amendment No. If Applicable

Subject: Commencement of the fall semester at public schools

Fiscal Effect

State: No State Fiscal Effect

Check columns below only if bill makes a direct appropriation or affects a sum sufficient appropriation

- Increase Existing Appropriation Increase Existing Revenues
- Decrease Existing Appropriation Decrease Existing Revenues
- Create New Appropriation

- Increase Costs-May be possible to Absorb
Within Agency's Budget Yes No
- Decrease Costs

Local: Indeterminable

- 1. Increase Costs
 Permissive Mandatory
- 2. Decrease Costs
 Permissive Mandatory

- 3. Increase Revenues
 Permissive Mandatory
- 4. Decrease Revenues
 Permissive Mandatory

5. Types of Local Governmental Units Affected:
- Towns Villages Cities
 - Counties Others _____
 - School Districts WTCS Districts

Fund Sources Affected

- GPR FED PRO PRS SEG SEG-S

Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This bill provides that, beginning in 2000, no public school may commence its school term until after September 1. The bill specifies that the prohibition does not prevent a school board from holding athletic contests or practices before that date, scheduling in-service days or work days before that date or holding school year-round.

This bill may result in additional costs for some school districts for heating or cooling and other seasonal maintenance if schools were to stay in session during normal winter or summer vacation periods in order to accommodate the proposed schedule change. These costs are indeterminable. Any additional costs to school districts would need to be accommodated under the revenue limits.

Additionally, current law requires school districts to provide transportation for pupils in private schools. If private schools choose to begin the school year prior to September 1, the bill may result in additional transportation costs if school districts are required to run additional bus lines or otherwise accommodate the transportation needs of private school pupils when public school is not in session. These costs are indeterminable.

There is no anticipated fiscal effect on the department as a result of this bill.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

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