

Fiscal Estimate - 2025 Session

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LRB Number 25-2255/1	Introduction Number SB-0097
Description parental notification of alleged sexual misconduct by a school staff member	
Fiscal Effect State: <div style="display: flex; flex-wrap: wrap;"><div style="width: 33%;"><input type="checkbox"/> No State Fiscal Effect <input type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriations <input type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriations</div><div style="width: 33%;"><input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues</div><div style="width: 33%;"><input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs</div></div> Local: <div style="display: flex; flex-wrap: wrap;"><div style="width: 33%;"><input type="checkbox"/> No Local Government Costs <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate 1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs 3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenue <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Revenue <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory <input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory</div><div style="width: 33%;">5. Types of Local Government Units Affected <div style="display: flex; flex-wrap: wrap;"><div style="width: 33%;"><input type="checkbox"/> Towns <input type="checkbox"/> Counties <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> School Districts</div><div style="width: 33%;"><input type="checkbox"/> Village <input type="checkbox"/> Others <input type="checkbox"/> WTCS Districts</div><div style="width: 33%;"><input type="checkbox"/> Cities</div></div></div></div>	

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

State Impact No fiscal effect

The department may be expected to develop guidance and other resources for school districts to ensure compliance with the requirements associated with this bill. However, the cost for developing these resources is expected to be minimal and could be absorbed within existing department resources. Therefore, there is no fiscal effect to the state as a result of this bill.

Local Impact: Indeterminate

The fiscal impact of the bill is likely to result in cost increases across several areas. For example, schools will likely face administrative expenses for developing new reporting systems, staff training, and compliance monitoring. Additionally, legal costs may increase as schools seek counsel to navigate Title IX compliance and address potential litigation from non-compliance, or if lawsuits arise due to mishandling or delays in notifications. Finally, schools may also need to allocate resources for support services, such as counseling and crisis intervention, for affected students and their families. These areas suggest significant costs may be associated with the implementation of, and ongoing compliance with, the requirements in this bill, but the precise fiscal impact is difficult to estimate as such costs are likely dependent on individual behavior. Therefore, the local fiscal impact is indeterminate as a result of this bill.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications