

Joint Committee on Ways and Means

Carrier – House: Rep. G. Smith
Carrier – Senate: Sen. Johnson

Revenue: No revenue impact

Fiscal: Minimal fiscal impact, no statement issued

Action: Do Pass the B-Engrossed Measure with Amendments to Resolve Conflicts and Be Printed C-Engrossed

Vote:

House

Yeas: Buckley, D. Edwards, Galizio, Garrard, Gilman, Jenson, Kotek, Richardson, Shields, G. Smith

Nays:

Exc: C. Edwards, Nathanson

Senate

Yeas: Bates, Carter, Girod, Johnson, Monroe, Nelson, Verger, Walker, Whitsett, Winters

Nays:

Exc:

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Meeting Date: June 29, 2009

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Modifies the criteria to qualify as a small high school in the school equalization formula.

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: Resolves conflicts.

BACKGROUND: School districts with small high schools generally require higher funding per student to meet State requirements. Additional funding for eligible school districts is currently provided by adding student weights in the school equalization formula.