

**FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION**

**Measure: SB 330 - A**

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**Measure Description:**

Creates Task Force on the Instruction of Talented and Gifted Children.

**Government Unit(s) Affected:**

Department of Education

**Summary of Expenditure Impact:** See Analysis

**Local Government Mandate:**

This bill does not affect local governments' service levels or shared revenues sufficient to trigger Section 15, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

**Analysis:**

The measure establishes the Task Force on the Instruction of Talented and Gifted Children charged with determining the appropriate funding level and resources needed to provide instruction to talented and gifted children. The task force is required to submit a final report to the interim committee related to education by October 1, 2012. The bill contains an emergency clause and is effective on passage.

The measure directs the Superintendent of Public Instruction to appoint the members of the task force and members are not entitled to compensation. The task force meets at the times and places specified by the call of the chair or the majority of the voting members.

The measure directs the Department of Education to provide staff support to the task force. The Department anticipates reprioritizing the duties and responsibilities of existing staff to provide administrative support to the task force. Depending on the cumulative workload requirements added this session or possible budget reductions, the legislature may need to review staffing requirements in the future should this legislation pass.

The Legislative Fiscal Office notes that measure does not define the number of members on the task force.