

FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Measure: SB 105

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Measure Description:

Clarifies method by which moneys are transferred from State School Fund to Regional Educational Services Account for use by Office of Regional Educational Services.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

Department of Education, Education Service Districts (ESD)

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: This bill clarifies the method of transferring funds from the State School Fund to Regional Educational Services Account for use by the Office of Regional Educational Services. The bill repeals ORS 327.009 and changes the current formula for distribution. Under current law, distributions in excess of 100% have been made and this bill fixes that issue. Information from Educational Services Districts was requested, but as of this time, no response has been received. The Oregon Department of Education estimated that this bill would result in a \$250,000 decrease in funding to ESD's and provide that money to the Office of Regional Education Services. The bill currently has a subsequent referral to the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.