

FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Measure: HB 2585 A

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Measure Description:

Directs State Board of Education to adopt process for complaints about incidents involving use of physical restraint or seclusion in public education programs.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

Department of Education, School Districts

Summary of Expenditure Impact:

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	2013-15 Biennium	2015-17 Biennium
General Fund	\$102,674	\$46,816
Lottery Funds		
Other Funds		
Federal Funds		
Total Funds	\$102,674	\$46,816
Positions		
FTE		

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 would require the Department of Education (ODE) to adopt a process and report on complaints regarding the use of physical restraints and seclusion in public education programs and requires school districts to provide yearly reports to the Superintendent of Public Education on the use of physical restraints and seclusion events.

ODE would need to build and maintain a database for these events and reports. In addition, ODE would have ongoing costs for maintenance and investigation of complaints. School districts would have costs associated with investigations of the validity of complaints and provide reporting to the Superintendent of Public Education. It is not known, the exact costs to the school districts in the state, but reports from a number of districts of various sizes indicate a minimal fiscal impact.