HB 2763 A BUDGET REPORT and MEASURE SUMMARY

Joint Committee On Ways and Means

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Teachers Standards and Practices Commission 2017-19



Budget Summary	2015-17 Legislatively Approved Budget		2017-19 Current S Level	Service	 .9 Committee mmendation	Committee Change from 2015-17 Leg. Approved			
						\$	S Change	% Change	
General Fund	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 1,700,000	\$	1,700,000	100.0%	
Other Funds					\$ 1,700,000	\$	1,700,000	100.0%	
Total	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 3,400,000	\$	1,700,000	100.0%	
Position Summary									
Authorized Positions		0		0	1		1		
Full-time Equivalent (FTE) positions		0.00		0.00	1.00		1.00		

Summary of Revenue Changes

House Bill 2763 appropriates \$1,700,000 General Fund to the Teacher Standards and Practices Commission (TSPC) for deposit into the National Board Certification Fund. TSPC must waive the renewal fee for educator licenses of educators who are certified by a national professional organization for teaching standards recognized by the TSPC. The impact of the loss of renewal fees over the long-term may result in the need for the TSPC to raise fees for non-nationally certified educators to cover administrative costs. The projected Other Funds revenue loss to TSPC from existing nationally certified teachers is estimated at a maximum of \$21,000 per biennium and would compound each budget cycle as more teachers become nationally certified.

Summary of Education Subcommittee Action

House Bill 2763 appropriates \$1.7 million General Fund for the National Board Certification Fund. The bill also establishes a \$1,700,000 Other Funds expenditure limitation, which includes \$124,593 for one Administrative Specialist 2 (1.00 FTE) and \$18,221 for associated Services and Supplies. The remaining \$1,557,186 will be distributed to provide assistance with the direct costs of seeking and obtaining national board certification, including costs related to participating in a cohort for certification for at least 150 teachers. No later than April 1, 2020, TSPC is directed to submit a report to the Legislative Assembly regarding national board certification outcomes and statistics, as well as identify funding levels necessary to increase the number of teachers holding national board certification in this state, to 10 percent of all public school teachers.

DETAIL OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS ACTION

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DESCRIPTION				OTHER		FEDERAL FUNDS			TOTAL			
	GENERAL FUND	LOTTERY FUNDS		LIMITED		LIMITED	LIMITED	NC	ONLIMITED	ALL FUNDS	POS	FTE
SUBCOMMITTEE ADJUSTMENTS (from CSL)												
SCR 100 - Operations												
Personal Services	\$ - \$		- \$	124,593	\$	- \$		- \$	- \$	124,593	1	1.00
Services and Supplies	\$ - \$		- \$	18,221	\$	- \$		- \$	- \$	18,221		
Special Payments (Intra-Agency General Fund Transfer)	\$ 1,700,000 \$		- \$	-	\$	- \$		- \$	- \$	1,700,000		
Special Payments (Other Special Payments)	\$ - \$		- \$	1,557,186	\$	- \$		- \$	- \$	1,557,186		
TOTAL ADJUSTMENTS	\$ 1,700,000 \$		- \$	1,700,000	\$	- \$		- \$	- \$	3,400,000	1	1.00
SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION	\$ 1,700,000 \$		- \$	1,700,000	\$	- \$		- \$	- \$	3,400,000	1	1.00