Fiscal Impact Statement

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BILL: HB1614, As originally introduced

SPONSOR: Cozart

SUBTITLE:

TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE CODE CONCERNING STATE FOUNDATION FUNDING AID; TO CREATE THE TEACHER SALARY EQUALIZATION FUND; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

TOPIC

√ Teacher Salary Equalization Fund

AFFECTED FUNDS

√ Other Revenues - Public School Fund

REVENUE IMPACT

√ \$10,000,000 cost

ASSUMPTIONS - BASED ON:

 $\sqrt{\text{ADM of schools eligible for additional funding: } 137,085.8}$

Payout per student: \$185

Product: 137,085.8 * \$185 = \$25,360,873.00

√ Funding already dedicated to enhanced salary: \$15,000,000

Less those electing to still receive educator compensation reform funds

Total: \$10,000,000 to be absorbed by the Public School Fund.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

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