

Department of Planning and Budget 2015 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB1674

House of Origin Introduced Substitute Engrossed
Second House In Committee Substitute Enrolled

2. Patron: Greason

3. Committee: Passed both houses

4. Title: School accreditation frequency.

5. Summary: The proposed legislation would amend the requirement for the Board of Education to annually review the accreditation status of public elementary and secondary schools. The Board would be permitted to review the accreditation status of schools once every three years if the school has been fully accredited for three consecutive years.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: None.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Final. See Item 8.

8. Fiscal Implications: The bill would allow the accreditation status of some schools to be reviewed less frequently. The bill is not anticipated to impact state finances.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Board of Education, local school divisions

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: None.

11. Other Comments: None.

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