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LB 390

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FISCAL NOTE

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT – STATE AGENCIES (See narrative for political subdivision estimates)

	FY 2025-26		FY 2026-27	
	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE	EXPENDITURES	REVENUE
GENERAL FUNDS				
CASH FUNDS				
FEDERAL FUNDS				
OTHER FUNDS				
TOTAL FUNDS				

Any Fiscal Notes received from state agencies and political subdivisions are attached following the Legislative Fiscal Analyst Estimate.

LB390 would require each school board of a public school district to adopt a policy relating to access by a parent, guardian, or educational decisionmaker to certain school library information.

Beginning with the 2026-27 school year, each school board's policy will:

- require the creation of an online catalog of all books in the district's library, categorized by school building, which will be accessible for viewing by a parent, guardian, or educational decisionmaker of a student attending that district
- provide the opportunity for a parent, guardian, or educational decisionmaker of a student to be notified when the student of that parent, guardian, or educational decisionmaker checks out a book from the school library by means of a website or application notification or by opting in to email notifications. Those notifications will include:
 - the title of the book checked out by the student
 - the name of the author of the book checked out by the student
 - the date the book checked out by the student is due to be returned to the school library

NO FISCAL IMPACT

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES STATE BUDGET DIVISION: REVIEW OF AGENCY & POLT. SUB. RESPONSE

LB: 390	AM:	AGENCY/POLT. SUB: Department of Education	
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COMMENTS: The Department of Education's estimate of no fiscal impact for the agency and a potentially significant fiscal impact for the school districts appears reasonable.			
SUPPLEMENTAL NOTE: Additional information regarding the licensing costs of an online library catalogue that provides notifications would be helpful for an informed estimate of impact to the districts.			

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ESTIMATE PROVIDED BY STATE AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION				
	FY 2025-26		FY 2026-27	
	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>REVENUE</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>REVENUE</u>
GENERAL FUNDS	_____	_____	_____	_____
CASH FUNDS	_____	_____	_____	_____
FEDERAL FUNDS	_____	_____	_____	_____
OTHER FUNDS	_____	_____	_____	_____
TOTAL FUNDS	=====	=====	=====	=====

Explanation of Estimate:
LB390 requires each school district to adopt a policy pertaining to access to school library materials. Such policy must include an online catalogue of all books and provide the opportunity for an educational decisionmaker to be notified when a student checks out a book from the library. The cost of such software, if a school does not already have it, could be significant, but is unknown at this time. There is no cost to the NDE.

BREAKDOWN BY MAJOR OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE				
Personal Services:				
POSITION TITLE	NUMBER OF POSITIONS		2025-26	2026-27
	25-26	26-27	EXPENDITURES	EXPENDITURES
Benefits.....				
Operating.....				
Travel.....				
Capital outlay.....				
Aid.....				
Capital improvements.....				
TOTAL.....				