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FISCAL NOTE

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ANALYST ESTIMATE

ESTIMATE OF FISCAL IMPACT - STATE AGENCIES (See narrative for political subdivision estimates)								
	FY 2015-16		FY 2016-17					
_	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.

LB 431 changes provisions relating to bidding of construction projects by public school districts. Current law provides that school districts are exempted from bidding construction, remodeling, or repair building projects or site improvements in which the contemplated expenditure is less than \$40,000. The bill provides that projects that are less than \$100,000 will not have to be bid beginning in FY2015-16. LB 431 also provides for the State Board of Education to adjust the limit to account for inflation every fifth year based upon the percentage change in the Consumer Price Index for the five year period.

The requirements of the bill for the State Department of Education can be accomplished with existing staff and resources. It is assumed the bill will decrease the number of building or site improvement projects bid by school districts in the future which will reduce the workload and minimal expenditures associated with bidding projects. It is unknown how the cost of projects will be impacted by not going through the bidding process.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES-STATE BUDGET DIVISION: REVIEW OF AGENCY & POLT. SUB. RESPONSES						
LB:431	AM:	AGENCY/POLT. Dept of Education				
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COMMENTS: I concur with the Department of Education's assessment.						

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State Agency OR Political Subdivision Name: (2)	Dept of Education					
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ESTIMATE PROVI	DED BY STATE AGENO	CY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVIS	ION			
·	2015-16	·	2016-17			
EXPENDITURES	<u>REVENUE</u>	<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>REVENUE</u>			
GENERAL FUNDS		<u> </u>				
CASH FUNDS						
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER FUNDS	•	-				
TOTAL FUNDS						
Explanation of Estimate:						
No Fiscal Impact.						
BREAK	DOWN BY MAJOR OBJ	IECTS OF EXPENDITURE				
Personal Services:						
POSITION TITLE	UMBER OF POSITION 15-16 16-17	S 2015-16 EXPENDITURES	2016-17 EXPENDITURES			
		_				
Benefits						
Operating						
Travel						
Capital outlay						
Aid						
Capital improvements						
TOTAL						