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STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT
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Bill Number: H. 4810 Amended by House Education and Public Works on February 6, 2018
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Subject: School Metal Detector Study Committee
Requestor: House Education and Public Works
RFA Analyst(s): Gable
Impact Date: February 12, 2018

Estimate of Fiscal Impact

	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20
State Expenditure		
General Fund	\$0	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0
Full-Time Equivalent Position(s)	0.00	0.00
State Revenue		
General Fund	\$0	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0
Local Expenditure	\$0	\$0
Local Revenue	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Impact Summary

This bill as amended is not expected to have an impact on the General Fund, Other Funds, or Federal Funds, as the State Department of Education appoints members to committees as a normal course of business and the House of Representatives and the Senate would be able to manage any additional expenditures within existing appropriations.

Explanation of Fiscal Impact

Amended by House Education and Public Works on February 6, 2018

State Expenditure

This bill as amended creates a seven member School Metal Detector Study Committee to study whether it is in the public interest to require the installation and use of metal detectors at public schools in the state. The committee will be comprised of three members from the Senate appointed by the Chairman of the Senate Education Committee, three members from the House appointed by the Chairman of the House Education and Public Works Committee, and one additional member with a background in law enforcement appointed by the State Superintendent of Education. The committee will make a report of its recommendations to the General Assembly within ninety days of the effective date of this amended bill. After reporting to the General Assembly, the committee will dissolve.

State Department of Education. This bill as amended would require a person appointed by the State Superintendent of Education to serve on the School Metal Detector Study Committee. The

State Department of Education appoints members to committees as a normal course of agency business. Therefore, there is no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Other Funds, or Federal Funds for this department.

House of Representatives and Senate. This bill would require three members of the House and three members of the Senate to serve on the School Metal Detector Study Committee. The cost to the legislative bodies for each member per meeting on non-legislative days is subsistence of \$202.03 and per diem of \$35, plus mileage of \$0.54 per mile. These expenses will be managed within the budgets of the appointees' respective legislative bodies. Additionally, the staffing for this committee will be provided by the Chairmen of the Senate and House Education and Public Works Committees. Any additional work will be managed by the existing staff and within existing appropriations. Therefore, the bill is not expected to have an expenditure impact on the General Fund, Other Funds, or Federal Funds for the Senate or the House of Representatives.

State Revenue

N/A

Local Expenditure

N/A

Local Revenue

N/A

Introduced on January 31, 2018

State Expenditure

This bill creates the School Metal Detector Study Committee to study whether it is in the public best interest to require the instillation and use of metal detectors at public schools in the state. The committee will make a report of its recommendations to the General Assembly within sixty days of the effective date of this bill, at which time the committee will dissolve.

The committee will consist of three members from the Senate, appointed by the Chairman of the Senate Education Committee, and three members from the House, appointed by the Chairman of the House Education and Public Works Committee. The cost to the legislative bodies for each member per meeting on non-legislative days is subsistence of \$202.03 and per diem of \$35, plus mileage of \$0.54 per mile. These expenses will be managed within the budgets of the appointees' respective legislative bodies. Additionally, the staffing for this committee will be provided by the Chairmen of the Senate and House Education and Public Works Committees. Any additional work will be managed by the existing staff and within existing appropriations. Therefore, the bill is not expected to have an expenditure impact on the General Fund, Other Funds, or Federal Funds for the Senate or the House of Representatives.

State Revenue

N/A

Local Expenditure

N/A

Local Revenue

N/A

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Frank A. Rainwater, Executive Director