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Bill Number:	H. 3337 Introduced on January 12, 2021
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Subject:	Military Temporary Remote School Enrollment Act
Requestor:	House Education and Public Works
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Fiscal Impact Summary

This bill enacts the "Military Temporary Remote School Enrollment Act" to require a school district to accept an application for enrollment and course registration by electronic means for a pupil whose parent or legal guardian is transferred to or is pending transfer to a military installation while on active duty pursuant to an official military order.

The expenditure impact of this bill on the State Department of Education (SCDE) and the local school districts is pending, contingent upon a response.

This bill will have no expenditure impact on the state agency schools since the agencies can adhere to the provisions of the bill within existing appropriations.

Explanation of Fiscal Impact

Introduced on January 12, 2021 State Expenditure

This bill enacts the "Military Temporary Remote School Enrollment Act" to require a school district to accept an application for enrollment and course registration by electronic means for a pupil whose parent or legal guardian is transferred to or is pending transfer to a military installation while on active duty pursuant to an official military order. The parent or legal guardian must provide proof of residence to the school district within ten days after the arrival date provided on official documentation. Any ambiguity in construing the provisions of this bill must be resolved in favor of the enrolling pupil.

State Department of Education. The expenditure impact of this bill on SCDE is pending, contingent upon a response.

State Agency Schools. The Governor's School for the Arts and Humanities, the Governor's School for Science and Mathematics, the School for the Deaf and Blind, and the Wil Lou Gray Opportunity School indicate that they can adhere to the provisions of the bill within existing appropriations. Based upon these responses, we do not anticipate that this bill will have an expenditure impact on the Governor's School for Agriculture at John de al Howe. We will update this impact statement if the agency provides a different response.

State Revenue

N/A

Local Expenditure

As noted above, this bill enacts the "Military Temporary Remote School Enrollment Act" to require a school district to accept an application for enrollment and course registration by electronic means for a pupil whose parent or legal guardian is transferred to or is pending transfer to a military installation while on active duty pursuant to an official military order.

The expenditure impact of this bill on the local school districts is pending, contingent upon a response.

Local Revenue N/A

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