

JLBC Fiscal Note

BILL # HB 2075

TITLE: school districts; employment contracts; publication

SPONSOR: Livingston

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STATUS: House Engrossed

Description

The House Engrossed version of HB 2075 would require each school district to submit to the Arizona Department of Education (ADE) a copy of the employment contracts for any individuals employed by the district as a superintendent, assistant superintendent, associate superintendent, or chief financial officer. The bill would require ADE to publish all submitted contracts to their website, as well as a searchable database summarizing the financial data contained within such contracts. The bill would require ADE to publish a report by December 1 each year summarizing the data in the submitted contracts.

Estimated Impact

Based on information from ADE, we estimate the bill would generate one-time costs of approximately \$37,000 for ADE to modify its existing IT infrastructure to enable school districts to provide the data required under the bill in a format that ADE would then publish to their website.

Analysis

Our estimate assumes the following:

- 1) ADE would modify its existing IT infrastructure to enable school districts to submit digital copies of the required employment contracts, as well as new data entry fields where a district would summarize the data that would be included in the required searchable database on ADE's website.
- 2) The cost to school districts to send ADE the required contracts is likely to be negligible.

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