BILL SUMMARY

1st Session of the 57th Legislature

Bill No.: SB 407
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Request Number: 8617
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Impact: Tax Commission:

Unknown Decrease in Income Tax Revenue (Unknown at This Time)

Research Analysis

Pending

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Fiscal Analysis

Analysis provided by the Tax Commission:

Proposed Law:

Beginning with tax year 2019, this measure proposes to increase the annual credit cap for contributions to eligible scholarship-granting organizations from \$3.5 million to \$30 million, and for contributions to eligible educational improvement grant organizations from \$1.5 million to \$30 million. This measure modifies the definition of "eligible school", by removing language that an eligible school not be located within ten (10) miles of another qualifying school or public school and increasing the size of the public school district student level to eight thousand five hundred (8,500) up from the current four thousand five hundred (4,500).

Revenue Impact:

This measure allows a potential additional \$26.5 million in credits for contributions to a scholarship-granting organization and an additional \$28.5 million in credits for contributions to an educational improvement grant organization for tax year 2019. If total combined credits claimed for contributions to one organization exceed the cap for that organization, credits not claimed for the other organization may be allocated to the first organization, but no more than \$60 million in total credits may be claimed annually.

An unknown decrease in state revenue is expected for FY20.

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Other Considerations

None.

