

BILL SUMMARY
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Impact:	No Impact

Research Analysis

HB 1936, as introduced, requires school districts to approve all intra-district transfers unless the grade level of the receiving school is at capacity. Each school board is required to determine its capacity for intra-district transfers for each grade level in each school, on a quarterly basis. The capacity information must be published prominently on the district website.

If the number of students seeking an intra-district transfer exceeds the capacity of the grade level, the school must accept students in the following order:

- Students who reside in the school site boundary;
- Students who attended the school site the prior school year
- Siblings of students who are already enrolled at the school site; and then
- In the order in which the transfer applications were received.

Any sibling of a student who transfers intra-district may attend the school site to which the student transferred, if the school district policy gives preference to sibling transfers regardless of capacity.

A student may continue to attend the school they transferred into, unless they are denied continued transfer for one of the following reasons:

- History of absences;
- Violation of school regulation; or
- Possessing alcohol, missing or stolen property, a dangerous weapon, or controlled dangerous substance.

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Fiscal Analysis

As written, the measure is not anticipated to result in a negative fiscal impact on the state budget or appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.

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