

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 60th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB 1280
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Impact:	No Impact

Research Analysis

HB 1280, as introduced, requires school districts to spend at least 60 percent of their annual budget on instructional expenditures, as defined in the measure. If a district is not meeting this requirement, it must increase instructional spending by at least 2 percent annually until the 60 percent requirement is met. Failure to increase spending when required will first result in a warning noticed published on the school's website. If a district fails to increase spending and meet the 60 percent requirement for four consecutive years, it will be required to raise all teacher salaries by 2 percent annually until the 60 percent threshold is met.

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure as currently written is not anticipated to result in a negative fiscal impact on the state budget or appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.