



HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

FISCAL NOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1084

PRINTERS NO. 2316

PRIME SPONSOR: Phillips-Hill

COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2015/16	FY 2016/17
General Fund	\$0	See fiscal impact

SUMMARY:

House Bill 1084, printer's number 2316, amends Title 24 (Education) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, to further provide for definitions in the Public School Employees' Retirement Code.

The effective date is immediately upon enactment.

ANALYSIS:

The bill amends the definition of "governmental entity" in Section 8102 of Title 24 to provide that the term does not include an association authorized to receive membership dues from a public school entity under Section 516 of the Public School Code of 1949. The association affected by the definition change is the Pennsylvania School Boards Association (PSBA). The bill specifies that the amendment to the definition of governmental entity shall apply to employees of the association hired on or after the effective date of the bill; therefore, any new PSBA employees will be ineligible for membership in the Public School Employees' Retirement System.

Currently, the Public School Employees' Retirement System has 95 active members from PSBA.

FISCAL IMPACT:

According to a letter issued by the Public Employee Retirement Commission on April 7, 2016, the enactment of this legislation will have a de minimis actuarial cost impact on the Public School Employees' Retirement System.

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DATE: April 13, 2016

Estimates are calculated using the best information available. Actual costs and revenue impact incurred may vary from estimates.