

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

FISCAL NOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1801

PRINTERS NO. 3362

PRIME SPONSOR: Davidson

COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2013/14	FY 2014/15
General Fund	\$0	\$0

SUMMARY:

House Bill 1801 amends the Public School Code concerning the Office of Safe Schools. It would take effect in 60 days.

ANALYSIS:

This legislation adds to the duties of the Office of Safe Schools by requiring it to develop a telephone hotline and internet notification systems for anonymously reporting potential or actual school violence or the possession of weapons on school property if the General Assembly appropriates money for this purpose. In complying with this requirement the Office may contract with any state agency or intermediate unit for the provision of services.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Enactment of this legislation will have no adverse impact on Commonwealth funds. The Department of Education, through the Office of Safe Schools, will not be required to establish this hotline unless the General Assembly appropriates funds to do so.

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House Appropriations Committee (R)

DATE: April 30, 2014

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