

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

FISCAL NOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1556

PRINTER'S NO. 1817 PRIME SPONSOR: Klunk

COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2023/24	FY 2024/25
General Fund	\$0	\$0

SUMMARY:

House Bill 1556, Printer's Number 1817 amends the Right-to-Know Act to add information to the public-facing filings required to be reported by state-related institutions.

ANALYSIS:

House Bill 1556 requires a state-related institution – defined as Temple University, the University of Pittsburgh, the Pennsylvania State University, and Lincoln University – to provide additional information in its annual Right-to-Know Law filing. The added information is related to contracts, financial statements, faculty, compensation, enrollment, courses, and meeting minutes.

FISCAL IMPACT:

House Bill 1556 will have no impact on commonwealth funds. While the additional information required to be reported is likely already collected and maintained, the level of detail and the print format requirement is expected to add varying administrative and printing expenses to state-related institution budgets.

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