
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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A RESOLUTION

1 Directing the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to study
2 the cost-effectiveness of consolidating school district
3 services and positions in this Commonwealth.

4 WHEREAS, This Commonwealth has 500 school districts that
5 operate independently with respect to governance, budgetary
6 matters, procurement of goods and services, staffing and many
7 other issues; and

8 WHEREAS, A reduction in the number of school district
9 services and positions may improve the cost-effectiveness of
10 operating the vast public school system in this Commonwealth;
11 and

12 WHEREAS, A comprehensive study on the advantages and
13 disadvantages of consolidating these services and positions
14 needs to be conducted; therefore be it

15 RESOLVED, That the Senate direct the Legislative Budget and
16 Finance Committee to conduct a comprehensive study to determine
17 the fiscal impact of consolidating the following positions and
18 services:

- 1 (i) Superintendents.
- 2 (ii) Business managers.
- 3 (iii) School board pupil transportation services.
- 4 (iv) Solicitors.
- 5 (v) Bus contractors.
- 6 (vi) Food and beverage contractors.
- 7 (vii) Furniture, textbook and school suppliers;

8 and be it further

9 RESOLVED, That the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee
10 report its findings and recommendations to the Senate no later
11 than June 30, 2016.