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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 7252**

**BILL NUMBER:** HB 1359

**NOTE PREPARED:** Jan 2, 2011

**BILL AMENDED:**

**SUBJECT:** School Administrators.

**FIRST AUTHOR:** Rep. Turner

**FIRST SPONSOR:**

**BILL STATUS:** As Introduced

**FUNDS AFFECTED:**     **GENERAL**  
                              **DEDICATED**  
                              **FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** Local

**Summary of Legislation:** This bill provides that a superintendent of schools is not required to hold a teacher's or superintendent's license. It provides that a school corporation may have a policy to require administrators to be residents of the school corporation. The bill repeals a requirement that a county superintendent of schools must have five years of successful teaching experience and hold a superintendent's license.

**Effective Date:** July 1, 2011.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:**

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:** Removing the requirement that a school superintendent has to have a teacher's or superintendent's license could reduce the cost of hiring school superintendents. The average superintendent's salary is about \$115,000 with the maximum salary being about \$250,00.

The provision allowing schools to require administrators to reside in the school corporation should have no fiscal impact.

Repealing the requirement that county superintendents have five years of successful teaching experience should have no fiscal impact. There are two county school superintendents.

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:**

**Local Agencies Affected:** School corporations.

**Information Sources:**

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