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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6816**

**BILL NUMBER:** HB 1357

**NOTE PREPARED:** Feb 5, 2013

**BILL AMENDED:** Feb 4, 2013

**SUBJECT:** School Administrators.

**FIRST AUTHOR:** Rep. Huston

**FIRST SPONSOR:**

**BILL STATUS:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading - 1<sup>st</sup> House

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

**FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** Local

**Summary of Legislation:** (Amended) This bill provides that a superintendent of schools is not required to hold a teacher's or superintendent's license. It 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, 2013.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:**

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:** (Revised) The impact of removing the requirement that a school superintendent has to have a teacher's or superintendent's license would depend on local action. In some cases, it would enable school corporations to employ individuals that they could not under current law. It might also reduce the cost of hiring school superintendents. The median superintendent's salary is about \$106,000 with the maximum salary being about \$225,000.

Repealing the requirement that county superintendents have five years of successful teaching experience should have no fiscal impact. There are not any county school superintendents.

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:**

**Local Agencies Affected:** School corporations.

**Information Sources:** Indiana Association of Public School Superintendents, School District Compensation Survey 2011.

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