



FISCAL NOTE

Senate Bill 217

Committee: Education Policy

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Senate Bill 217 as reported by the Committee on Education Policy would increase the obligations of local boards of education by an undetermined amount to add additional years of experience credit on the local salary schedule for certain teachers who previously worked as paraprofessionals or classroom teacher's aides. The increased obligation would be dependent upon (1) the number of paraprofessionals or classroom teacher's aides that obtain a teaching certificate and are hired into a position requiring a certification after June 1, 2024; and (2) the additional number of years of experience credit added for every two years of full-time experience as a paraprofessional or classroom teacher aide.