



FISCAL NOTE

Senate Bill 149

Committee: ENACTED

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Senate Bill 149 (Act 2026-166) as enacted establishes the Military Veteran Temporary Teaching Certificate which allows temporary teaching certificates to be granted to qualified veterans pursuant to the provisions of this act. The provisions of this act will increase the administrative obligations of the State Board of Education to adopt rules to implement these provisions, and the administrative costs of the State Department of Education by a small, undetermined amount which may be offset, in part or in whole, by application fee receipts collected for the issuance of certificates that otherwise have not been received.

Additionally, this act could increase the administrative obligations of local boards of education to provide mentors for individuals with a temporary certification, of which any increased obligations could be offset in whole, or in part, if the local board participates in the Alabama Teacher Mentor Program.