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**STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT**  
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**Bill Number:** H. 4936 As signed by the Governor on May 26, 2016  
**Author:** House Education and Public Works Committee  
**Subject:** High School Graduates  
**Requestor:** House of Representatives  
**RFA Analyst(s):** Fulmer  
**Impact Date:** August 25, 2016

**Estimate of Fiscal Impact**

|                                  | <b>FY 2016-17</b> | <b>FY 2017-18</b> |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <b>State Expenditure</b>         |                   |                   |
| General Fund                     | \$0               | \$0               |
| Other and Federal                | \$0               | \$0               |
| Full-Time Equivalent Position(s) | 0.00              | 0.00              |
| <b>State Revenue</b>             |                   |                   |
| General Fund                     | \$0               | \$0               |
| Other and Federal                | \$0               | \$0               |
| <b>Local Expenditure</b>         | \$0               | \$0               |
| <b>Local Revenue</b>             | \$0               | \$0               |

**Fiscal Impact Summary**

This bill as amended would have no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Federal Funds, or Other Funds.

**Explanation of Fiscal Impact**

**Explanation of Amendment by the Senate on May 12, 2016**

**State Expenditure**

The amendment clarifies that, instead of ensuring knowledge and offering the ability to learn, the state will make reasonable and concerted effort to ensure graduates have the specified world class knowledge, and that they are provided reasonable exposure to the state’s vision of life and career characteristics.

The expenditure impact of the bill as amended is unchanged.

**State Revenue**

N/A

**Local Expenditure**

N/A

**Local Revenue**

N/A

**Explanation of Bill filed on February 11, 2016**

**State Expenditure**

The bill adds Section 59-1-50 to adopt the principles outlined in the Profile of the South Carolina Graduate, published by the South Carolina Association of School Administrators and approved by the South Carolina Chamber of Commerce, the South Carolina Council on Competitiveness, the Education Oversight Committee, the State Board of Education, and Transform SC as the standards and areas of learning by which high school graduates should be measured.

The State Department of Education indicates this bill would have no expenditure impact to the General Fund, Federal Funds, or Other Funds.

**State Revenue**

N/A

**Local Expenditure**

N/A

**Local Revenue**

N/A



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