

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. **S. 1058**

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TO:	The Honorable John E. Courson, Chairperson, Senate Education Committee		
FROM:	State Budget Division, Budget and Control Board		
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ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

Minimal (Some additional costs expected but can be absorbed)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

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**BILL SUMMARY:**

The Bill would amend the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, by adding Section 59-26-45, so as to provide that the Principal or School District must notify parents if their children are being taught by an annual contract teacher undergoing a highly consequential evaluation or a continuing contract teacher who has received written notification is undergoing a formal summative evaluation.

**EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:**

The State Department of Education indicates there is no impact to the State General Fund and/or Federal and Other Funds.

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:**

The Department indicates that there could be printing and mailing costs involved in notifying the parents. These costs could vary depending on the size of the school or district, as well as the number of teachers who fall under these guidelines.

**SPECIAL NOTES:**

None.

Approved by:



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