## FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. S. 1059

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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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AUTHOR: Senator Thurmond PRIMARY CODE CITE: 59-26-47

SUBJECT: Teachers

### 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)

#### **BILL SUMMARY:**

The Bill would amend the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, by adding Section 59-26-47 to provide that teachers failing to pass certain evaluations, teachers not renewed for failure to meet certain standards, teachers whose certificates are suspended or revoked, and teachers dismissed for just cause must be listed in a database at the school district office and that database information must be available to potential school district employers.

#### **EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:**

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

#### LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:

The fiscal impact to the local school districts would be minimal as the human resource office maintains much of the information that would be needed for the database.

# **SPECIAL NOTES:**

None.

Approved by:

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