

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

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This legislation reduces the number of government entities with the authority to close K-12 schools, or otherwise limit any aspect of school programs or activities to prevent the spread of contagious or infectious disease. Duly elected school boards representing the parents in a community, including charter school boards of directors are authorized to close schools. Department of Health and Welfare, district boards of health, and cities shall not have this authority.

FISCAL NOTE

This legislation does not have any anticipated impact on the General Fund, or any local fund. The bill deals with who makes decisions regarding school closures.

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