

BILL SUMMARY
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Research Analysis

The committee substitute for HB 2773 updates language regarding curriculum standards. Additionally, the measure requires school districts to establish an appeals process for students retained under the Reading Sufficiency Act beginning with the 2014-2015 school year. The appeals process will be for students that do not meet academic requirements for promotion and are not promoted based on a good-cause exemption. If the teacher of a student, their parent or guardian, the principal of a school, and a reading specialist assigned to the school agree to recommend the promotion of the student, then the parent or guardian may file a petition for an appeal with the board education of the district. The board of education must take action on a petition for an appeal within 45 days after receiving it. If a promotion is granted then the student must be provided intensive reading instruction as provided in law.

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Fiscal Analysis

CS for HB 2773 has no significant fiscal impact.

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Other Considerations

None at this time.