

BILL SUMMARY
2nd Session of the 55th Legislature

Bill No.:	SB 1350
Version:	Engrossed
Request Number:	1350
Author:	Sen. Ford/Rep. Casey
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Impact:	\$0-state funds

Research Analysis

The bill modifies the TLE Evaluation System by making the quantitative component optional for school districts. It stipulates that student performance on statewide assessments must be discussed with the teacher and may be one consideration for the quantitative component of the teacher's district evaluation. It removes teachers in grades and subjects that do not have a state-mandated testing measure from the system and removes language regarding the dismissal of career and probationary teachers who receive certain ratings on their district evaluation. Lastly, the bill deletes references to the TLE Commission.

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Fiscal Analysis

ESB 1350 relates to teacher evaluations and modifies certain definitions and provides for a district evaluation rating. The measure is anticipated to have no impact on state funds.

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Other Considerations

None