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**Fiscal Analysis**

This bill creates the "Seizure-Safe Schools Act". It requires each school to have at least one school employee who has met the training requirements to recognize and respond to seizure disorder symptoms and administration of medication and requires every public school to provide an age-appropriate seizure education program to all students. Training program for school personnel and students must be consistent with guidelines developed by the Epilepsy Foundation of America and any successor organization. The bill also requires that parents and school personnel collaborate to create a seizure action plan.

Training programs for school personnel are offered by the Foundation staff at no cost to schools. However, to provide age-appropriate training to students it is likely that SDE and/or the schools will incur costs for professional trainers, if there are no trained personnel at schools to deliver the training.

Based on similar trainings done in the past, SDE estimates the cost to be a minimum of \$100/day training fee plus travel, training materials and facility rental, if applicable.

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