

**UNSOLICITED  
EXECUTIVE AGENCY  
FISCAL NOTE**

AGENCY'S ESTIMATES

Date Prepared: May 25, 2015

Agency Submitting: Nevada Department of Education

<b>Items of Revenue or Expense, or Both</b>	<b>Fiscal Year 2014-15</b>	<b>Fiscal Year 2015-16</b>	<b>Fiscal Year 2016-17</b>	<b>Effect on Future Biennia</b>
Total	0	0	0	0

Explanation

(Use Additional Sheets of Attachments, if required)

Senate Bill 302, as amended, creates a voucher system in which an entity that educates a child may receive a grant of State and local per pupil funding in an amount equal to 90 percent, or 100 percent if the child has special needs or a household income less than 185 percent of the federally designated level signifying poverty. The Department is unable to quantify the fiscal impact of this measure. However, the Department believes there will be a fiscal impact to the State due to the redistribution of State and local funding from school districts to other entities, not representative of the school districts, as follows: 1) For the first time, the homeschool population will have access to State and local per pupil funding; and 2) It is anticipated that the redistribution of funding may negatively impact school district enrollment, which will increase the need for hold harmless funding.

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