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TO: Honorable Mary Denny, Chair, House Committee on Elections

FROM: John Keel, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB1513 by Denny (Relating to salary deductions from public school employees for political purposes; providing civil and criminal penalties.), **As Introduced**

No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

This bill would prohibit school district employees from having deductions made to their salaries if any of the money that is deducted constitutes a political contribution to the association or the association will use any portion of the deduction to make a political expenditure. Deductions are also prohibited if the association will transfer any portion of the deduction to a political committee.

Local Government Impact

No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 701 Central Education Agency

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