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TO: Honorable Rob Eissler, Chair, House Committee on Public Education

FROM: John S. O'Brien, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB350 by Leibowitz (relating to use of school district resources for athletic or instructional facilities), Committee Report 1st House, Substituted

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would authorize school districts to enter into contracts with institutions of higher education to contribute school district resources to pay a portion of the costs of the design or construction of a an instructional facility, stadium, or other athletic facility that is owned by or under the control of the institution.

Local Government Impact

The bill would expand contracting authority for school districts. It is assumed that affected districts would consider any potential implications for increased local cost or savings prior to executing the authorized contractual arrangements.

Source Agencies: 701 Central Education Agency

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