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TO: Honorable Florence Shapiro, Chair, Senate Committee on Education

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

IN RE: SB300 by Patrick, Dan (relating to eliminating or modifying certain mandates on school districts.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would direct the Texas Education Agency to submit a report to the legislature by January 1, 2011, concerning the number and status of applications for class size waivers by school district. The Agency estimates the requirement could be met using existing resources.

Local Government Impact

School districts could realize some savings of operating expenses under the provisions of the bill. The amount of savings would vary based upon local circumstances.

Source Agencies: 701 Central Education Agency

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