Legislative Analysis



ESTABLISH GRANT PROGRAM FOR STIPENDS TO STUDENT TEACHERS AND MENTOR TEACHERS

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House Bill 6013 as introduced Sponsor: Rep. Pamela Hornberger

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SUMMARY:

House Bill 6013 would add a new section to the Revised School Code to establish a grant program, to be created and administered by the Michigan Department of Education (MDE), that would distribute funds to applicant intermediate school districts, school districts, and public school academies to pay student teachers and mentor teachers.

Mentor teachers would receive \$1,000 for serving in their role as a mentor teacher, and student teachers would receive \$90 for each day they work as a student teacher. These stipends would be paid out during the school year in which the grant is received by the employing intermediate school district, school district, or public school academy. MDE would be responsible for creating the application process as well as distributing the funds.

The bill also states that the legislature shall appropriate sufficient funding to fund the grant program.

Proposed MCL 380.1531e

FISCAL IMPACT:

The bill would have no fiscal impact for the state or local units of government because the requirements of the bill are contingent on the direct appropriation of funds.

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