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SB 457

Professional Standards Board.

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IMPACT:

Summary _____ This bill would require the Professional Standards Board (the Board) to determine preparation in the teaching of reading in order to qualify for an elementary standard teacher license hours or the equivalent including techniques on phonetic and sound processing). Specifically, the Board be required to do the following: 1) identify courses at the various teacher training institutions in that qualify as courses on the teaching of reading; and 2) determine on an individual basis whether

Effective Date: July 1, 1999.

_____ of State Expenditures:
concerning teaching requirements of
training institutions outside of Indiana. This bill would require the Board to do so on an individual basis.

Board reports that it receives approximately 1,600 out-of-state applications per year, and evaluates two such transcripts per day. In order to process the same number of applicants as it does now, fulfilling the requirements of this bill, the Board reports that it would be required to add work

The
following:
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positions that would need to be reclassified.

on the 11/30/98 Indiana Personnel Manning Table, 5 of the Board's 30 authorized positions are

Other sources to fund personnel resources could originate from funds that, otherwise, would be reverted, or from new appropriations. Ultimately, the source of funds and resources required to satisfy the requirements of this bill would depend upon legislative and administrative actions.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

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State Agencies Affected: Professional Standards Board.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: Tom Hansen, Professional Standards Board, (317) 232-9043; Indiana Personnel Manning Table (11/30/98).