

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS25795

The legislation amends section 33-6101, of Idaho Code, to gradually eliminate federal funding as a source for funding public instruction. The bill limits federal funding to \$300 million in FY2019, and annually reduces the limit by \$40 million until the federal funding limit is zero, and remains at zero. Idaho will be free to make its own education policy decisions without threat of reduced or eliminated federal funds.

FISCAL NOTE

This legislation provides a negative impact on the state general fund by approximately \$12 million in FY2019 based on projected federal funding to the state. Subsequent years reduce federal funding by \$40 million annually, therefore impacting the general fund by negative \$40 million annually.

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