

Fiscal Note S.B. 106 2015 General Session Class Size Reduction Program Amendments by Harper, W.



General, Education, and Uniform School Funds

JR4-5-101

	Ongoing	One-time	Total
Net GF/EF/USF (revexp.)	\$(10,000,000)	\$0	\$(10,000,000)

State Government UCA 36-12-13(2)(b)

Enactment of this legislation likely will not materially impact state revenue.						
Revenues	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017			
Total Revenues	\$0	\$0	\$0			

Enactment of this bill appropriates to the Class Size Reduction program in the Minimum School Program \$10.0 million ongoing from the Education Fund. This amount will be allocated to qualifying local education agencies based on a distribution formula outlined in the bill. This formula distributes 20 percent (\$2.0 million) to school districts with class sizes in grades K-8 above the statewide median and a property tax base per student below the statewide average. Estimates indicate that between 5-8 school districts may qualify and receive between \$45,000 and \$560,000 each. The remaining 80 percent (\$8.0 million) will be distributed based on the current distribution formula with school districts and charter schools receiving between \$2,600 and \$1.2 million each.

Expenditures	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017
Education Fund	\$0	\$10,000,000	\$10,000,000
Total Expenditures	\$0	\$10,000,000	\$10,000,000
Net All Funds	\$0	\$(10,000,000)	\$(10,000,000)
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Local Government UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

School districts that meets certain class size and property value thresholds outlined in the bill may receive an increased allocation from the Class Size Reduction program.

Individuals & Businesses

UCA 36-12-13(2)(d)

Enactment of this legislation likely will not result in direct, measurable expenditures by Utah residents or businesses.

Performance Note JR4-2-404

No performance note required for this bill

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Notes on Notes

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