



LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE
Fiscal Note Summary

Louisiana

FISCAL NOTE ON: SCR 62
SRS 97- 2121

STATUS OF BILL: ENGROSSED
WITH HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

DATE COMPLETED: June 5, 1997	AUTHOR: Senator Branch, et. al.
Dept: Special Schools and Commissions	ANALYST: Germaine M. Becks
Subject: Louisiana Honors Scholarship Program	

PURPOSE OF BILL:

STUDENTS. Suspends law which provides that a student who accepts gratuitous financial assistance from his university is ineligible for an honors scholarship.

The proposed legislation suspends the provision of R.S. 17:3042.34. It suspends this provision until 60 days after sine die of the 1998 Regular Session or until an audit of the implementation of the Honors Scholarship Program at every public college and university has been completed and the law can have uniform application, whichever is earlier. The proposed legislation further provides that it is the intent of the Legislature of Louisiana that students who received gratuitous financial assistance or support be eligible to continue to redeem the honors scholarship so long as such student meets all other eligibility requirements.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

EXPENDITURES	1997-98	1998-99	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001-02	5 YEAR TOTAL
State General Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agency Self Generated	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Statutory Deds./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

REVENUES	1997-98	1998-99	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001-02	5 YEAR TOTAL
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Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

EXPLANATION OF ESTIMATES:

EXPENDITURES:

There is no anticipated effect on expenditures as a result of this measure. The proposed legislation allows students who were identified as receiving gratuitous assistance from his university to continue to receive the Honors Scholarship until sixty days after final adjournment of the 1998 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana or until an audit of the implementation of the Honors Scholarship at every public college and university has been completed and the law can have uniform application. The proposed legislation further provides that it is the intent of the Legislature of Louisiana that students who received gratuitous financial assistance or support be eligible to continue to redeem the honors scholarship so long as such student meets all other eligibility requirements.

REVENUES

There is no anticipated effect on revenues as a result of this measure.

Senate Rules 13.5.1 and 13.5.2

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