

Department of Planning and Budget
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Bill Number: HB913

Patron: Lopez

Bill Title: Superintendent of Public Instruction; reverse certain recent actions and restore certain rescinded resources.

Bill Summary: Requires the Superintendent of Public Instruction to reverse all actions previously taken by the Superintendent of Public Instruction on or after January 15, 2022, pursuant to the then-current Governor's Executive Order One of January 15, 2022, to rescind certain policies, programs, and resources that promoted cultural competency, encouraged inclusion and belonging, educated about the history of slavery and the civil rights movement, and continued work to combat racism in the Commonwealth and to restore all such policies, programs, and resources, including the Department of Education's EdEquityVA website and all included and associated resources and certain other enumerated resources, including certain Superintendent's memos.

Budget Amendment Necessary: No

Items Impacted: None

Explanation: There is no anticipated state fiscal impact resulting from the provisions of this bill.

Fiscal Analysis: The Department of Education (DOE) can absorb any impact to reverse actions previously taken and restore the content required by this bill on its current website in a new form.

DOE notes that if the agency is required to restore the content in the same form as it existed before 2022, DOE estimates a cost of \$140,000 general fund to meet the current specifications through a VITA-approved vendor that meets current security requirements

Other: None