Ohio Legislative Service Commission

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Fiscal Note & Local Impact Statement

Bill: Sub. H.B. 21 of the 129th G.A. **Date**: April 13, 2011

Status: As Reported by Senate Education **Sponsor**: Rep. Combs

Local Impact Statement Procedure Required: Yes

Contents: Qualifies Teach for America participants for a resident educator license

State Fiscal Highlights

- Any costs incurred by the Ohio Department of Education related to teacher licensure would likely be offset by fees charged to licensees.

Local Fiscal Highlights

- No direct fiscal effect on political subdivisions.

Detailed Fiscal Analysis

The bill directs the State Board of Education to issue a resident educator license to applicants who are assigned to teach in Ohio as a Teach for America participant or who have completed at least two years of teaching in another state as a Teach for America participant, as long as the applicants meet certain other conditions outlined in the bill. The Ohio Department of Education's administrative costs related to teacher licensure are typically offset by fees charged to licensees.

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