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STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT
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Bill Number: H. 3513 Introduced on January 18, 2017
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Subject: Retired Educator Teaching Certificates
Requestor: House Education and Public Works
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Estimate of Fiscal Impact

	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19
State Expenditure		
General Fund	\$49,877	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0
Full-Time Equivalent Position(s)	0.00	0.00
State Revenue		
General Fund	\$0	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0
Local Expenditure	\$0	\$0
Local Revenue	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Impact Summary

This bill would increase General Fund expenditures by \$49,877 for one time-limited position in FY 2017-18 to coordinate and process the retired educator certificate requests.

Explanation of Fiscal Impact

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State Expenditure

This bill creates a new retired educator certificate for retired members of the South Carolina Retirement System or current or former members of the State Optional Retirement Program, who would have met the eligibility requirements of the South Carolina Retirement System. Eligible retired educators must not currently hold a valid educator certificate. The new certificate is valid for thirty years and may be renewed for an additional ten years. The State Board of Education shall develop implementation guidelines and the Department of Education (department) shall create forms and a process for submitting applications.

The department, based on requests already received, anticipates the need for one time-limited position at a cost of \$49,877 for salary and employer fringe in FY 2017-18 to coordinate and process the retired educator certificate requests. In addition, the new retired educator certificate would require reprogramming of the current electronic teacher certification system to monitor and report on the proposed certificates. The department expects that these additional expenditures will be managed within existing appropriations.

State Revenue

N/A

Local Expenditure

N/A

Local Revenue

N/A



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