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## FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

**SPONSOR** Lopez **ORIGINAL DATE** 01/31/14  
**LAST UPDATED** 02/03/14 **HB** \_\_\_\_\_

**SHORT TITLE** School Equalization Guarantee for P.E. **SB** 178

**ANALYST** Armstrong

### APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY14	FY15		
	\$14,000.0	Recurring	General Fund

(Parenthesis ( ) Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Relates to Appropriation in the General Appropriation Act

### SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

No Response

Public Education Department (PED)

### SUMMARY

#### Synopsis of Bill

Senate Bill 178 appropriates \$14 million to the state equalization guarantee of the public school fund for physical education in public schools pursuant to the Public School Finance Act and the Public School Code.

### FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

The bill's appropriation of \$14 million is a recurring expense to the General Fund. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of FY15 shall revert.

### RELATIONSHIP

In regards to physical education program funding, House Bill 3 states, on lines 7-11, page 4: "After considering those elementary physical education programs eligible for state financial support and the amount of state funding available for elementary physical education, the secretary of public education shall annually determine the programs and the consequent numbers of students in elementary physical education that will be used to calculate the number of elementary physical education program units."

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