

Fiscal Analysis

ELECTION OF INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARDS



Bill/Sponsor **HOUSE BILL 4338 AS INTRODUCED**, Rep. Ruth A. Johnson

House Committee Education

Analysis **Summary**

HB 4338 would require that all Intermediate School Districts (ISDs) have popularly elected school boards. Currently, some ISD board members are popularly elected, although most are elected biennially by a body of electors composed of one member of the board from each of the ISD's constituent school districts. House Bill 4338 specifies that all board members must be popularly elected as of July 1, 2004.

The bill specifies that members of ISD boards would be elected at the annual school elections of constituent districts. However, it states that if a constituent district held its annual election on a date other than the second Monday in June, an election for the purpose of choosing members of the intermediate school board must be held on the second Monday in June.

Fiscal Impact

This bill would have no state fiscal impact. There could be an indeterminate amount of additional election costs for any local school district that has to hold an additional election in order to meet the requirement of an election on the second Monday in June of 2004.

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