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HB 20-1407

FINAL FISCAL NOTE

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Prime Sponsors:	Rep. Kipp; Baisley Sen. Story; Zenzinger	Bill Status:	Signed into Law
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Bill Topic: COLLEGE ADMISSION USE OF NATIONAL TEST SCORE

Summary of Fiscal Impact: **No fiscal impact.** The bill temporarily allows institutions of higher education to forego a national assessment test score as an eligibility criterion of admission standards for first-time resident freshman students. This bill does not affect the revenues or expenditures of any state or local agency.

Appropriation Summary: No appropriation is required.

Fiscal Note Status: This final fiscal note reflects the enacted bill.

Summary of Legislation

Under current law, institutions of higher education must require a national assessment test score as one of the criteria used to determine eligibility for admission of first-time freshman students. This bill permits each state supported institution to decide if it will require a national assessment test score for freshman students who graduated from high school in 2021.

Assessment of No Fiscal Impact

The bill extends permissive authority to state institutions of higher education to consider admissions eligibility of 2021 high school graduates with or without a national assessment test score. The bill does not impact the revenue or expenditures of any state agency, local government, or institution of higher education and is assessed as having no fiscal impact.

Effective Date

The bill was signed into law by the Governor and it took effect on July 8, 2020.

State and Local Government Contacts

Higher Education

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