

Department of Legislative Services
Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 242 (Delegate McHale. *et al.*)

Ways and Means

Education - Public Schools - Required Curriculum

This bill requires each public school in the State to instruct its students about the causes, effects, and lessons of the Irish famine that occurred between 1845 and 1850.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None. The State Board of Education could adopt implementing regulations with existing resources.

Local Effect: None. Including instruction about the Irish famine in a school system's curriculum would not result in any additional costs.

Small Business Effect: None.

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