

AMENDED IN SENATE MARCH 28, 2008

SENATE BILL

No. 1592

Introduced by Senator Perata

February 22, 2008

An act to ~~amend Section 52055.57 of~~ *add Section 10611* to the Education Code, relating to ~~school accountability~~ *education data*.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 1592, as amended, Perata. ~~School accountability: local educational agency intervention.~~ *Education data: standing committee.*

Under existing law, the State Department of Education collects data from local educational agencies for purposes of the California Education Information System, the California Teacher Longitudinal Teacher Integrated Data System, and the California Basic Education Data System.

This bill would require the Superintendent of Public Instruction, using existing resources of the department, to establish a standing committee that would meet periodically to review and approve requests made by the department to local educational agencies for data and reporting pursuant to state law, consolidate and reduce duplication of those requests and data and reporting requests made pursuant to federal law, and inform local educational agencies that they are not required to comply with requests for data and reporting pursuant to state law that are not approved by the committee.

~~The federal No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 requires a local educational agency to identify an elementary or secondary school that fails, for 2 consecutive years, to make adequate yearly progress, as defined by the state, for program improvement. Under existing law, a local educational agency that has been identified for corrective action~~

under the act is subject to specified sanctions, including the appointment of a receiver or trustee by the State Board of Education to administer the affairs of the local educational agency in place of the county superintendent of schools and the governing board.

~~This bill would, instead, require the Superintendent of Public Instruction to appoint the receiver or trustee.~~

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 10611 is added to the Education Code,
2 to read:

3 10611. The Superintendent, using existing resources of the
4 department, shall establish a standing committee that shall meet
5 periodically to do all of the following:

6 (a) Review and approve requests made by the department to
7 local educational agencies for data and reporting pursuant to this
8 chapter or any other provision of state law.

9 (b) Consolidate and reduce duplication of the requests described
10 in subdivision (a) and data and reporting requests made pursuant
11 to federal law.

12 (c) Inform local educational agencies that they are not required
13 to comply with requests for data and reporting pursuant to state
14 law that are not approved by the committee.

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**All matter omitted in this version of the bill
appears in the bill as introduced in Senate,
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