

# Legislative Analysis



## STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD APPROPRIATION INTER-TRANSFERS: LIMIT INCREASE OR DECREASE OF ITEM OF APPROPRIATION

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**House Bill 5175 as reported from committee**  
**Sponsor: Rep. Ben Frederick**  
**Committee: Government Operations**  
**Complete to 11-7-19**

### SUMMARY:

House Bill 5175 would amend 1921 PA 2, which governs certain powers and duties of the State Administrative Board, to provide an exception to the board's power to inter-transfer funds within an appropriation for a particular department or institution.

1921 PA 2 creates the State Administrative Board and enumerates several of its powers and duties. Under the act, the board does not have the power to transfer to a state department, board, commission, officer, or institution any sum from the amount appropriated by the legislature for any other purpose, except that the board may inter-transfer funds within the appropriation for a particular department, board, commission, officer, or institution.

Under the bill, the State Administrative Board would need approval by the House and Senate Appropriations Committees to make an inter-transfer of appropriations for a particular department or institution if the inter-transfer would do either of the following:

- Increase or decrease an item of appropriation by more than 3% or \$125,000, whichever is greater.
- Increase or decrease an item of appropriation by more than \$200,000 in the aggregate.

MCL 17.3

### FISCAL IMPACT:

House Bill 5175 would have no fiscal impact on state or local government.

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