151st GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL NOTE

BILL:	**HOUSE SUBSTITUTE NO. 1 FOR HOUSE BILL 204**
SPONSOR:	**Representative K. Williams**
DESCRIPTION:	**AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 31 OF THE DELAWARE CODE RELATING TO BACKGROUND CHECKS AND SUBSEQUENT CRIMINAL HISTORIES FOR POTENTIAL OR CURRENT EMPLOYEES OF CHILD SERVING ENTITIES.**

Assumptions:

1. This Act becomes effective upon signature by the Governor. Upon signature, this Act takes effect 180 days after its enactment.

2. This Act authorizes the Department of Education to pay the costs of background checks for its employees.

3. Per, the State Bureau of Identification a state and federal background check costs $65 per person.

4. The Department of Education estimates that 50-60 employees would be eligible annually to have their background checks paid for by the Department.

Cost:

Fiscal Year 2023:	$1,950 (six months)
Fiscal Year 2024:	$3,900
Fiscal Year 2025:	$3,900

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