
SENATE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Senator Anna Caballero, Chair
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AB 1348 (Bains) - Average daily attendance: emergencies: immigration enforcement activity

Version: July 10, 2025

Urgency: No

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Policy Vote: ED. 5 - 2, JUD. 12 - 0

Mandate: No

Consultant: Lenin Del Castillo

Bill Summary: This bill adds immigration enforcement activity to the list of emergencies that may justify a waiver of average daily attendance (ADA) losses for school funding purposes.

***** **ANALYSIS ADDENDUM – SUSPENSE FILE** *****

**The following information is revised to reflect amendments
adopted by the committee on August 29, 2025**

Fiscal Impact: This bill could result in Proposition 98 General Fund costs ranging in the hundreds of thousands to potentially tens of millions of dollars in ADA credits each year. While some school districts have reported significant student attendance decreases as a result of immigration enforcement activities, the bill's exact costs will depend on several factors that are difficult to quantify. These factors include the number of form J-13A waiver requests that are approved, the amount of ADA involved, and the amount of funding associated with the waiver requests. The bill's provisions would sunset on June 30, 2029.

Author Amendments: Define immigration enforcement activity and make clarifying changes regarding the independent study provisions.

Committee Amendments: Limit the number of ADA credits for each student that an LEA may qualify for to ten days.

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