

**ASSEMBLY BILL**

**No. 1114**

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**Introduced by Assembly Member Bonilla**

February 27, 2015

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An act to amend Section 46116 of the Education Code, relating to kindergarten.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1114, as introduced, Bonilla. Kindergarten evaluation.

Existing law provides that school districts offering kindergarten may maintain kindergarten classes at different schoolsites for different lengths of time. Existing law requires the Superintendent of Public Instruction to provide the Legislature with an evaluation of kindergarten program implementation in the state, including part-day and full-day kindergarten programs, as specified. Existing law requires this provision to become inoperative on July 1, 2017.

This bill would change the inoperative date to July 15, 2017, and would make nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.

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

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 46116 of the Education Code is amended
- 2 to read:
- 3 46116. (a) No later than July 1, 2017, the Superintendent shall
- 4 provide the Legislature with an evaluation of kindergarten program
- 5 implementation in the state, including part-day and full-day

1 kindergarten programs. The evaluation shall include recommended  
2 best practices for providing full-day kindergarten programs.

3 (b) The evaluation shall include a sample of local educational  
4 agencies' ~~full-day~~ *full-day* and part-day kindergarten programs  
5 from across the state. It is the intent of the Legislature that this  
6 sample be representative of the diversity of the state, and shall  
7 include both urban and rural and small and large local educational  
8 agencies within school districts.

9 (c) The report required pursuant to this section shall be submitted  
10 in compliance with Section 9795 of the Government Code.

11 (d) This section shall not become operative until the Legislature  
12 makes an appropriation for these purposes in the annual Budget  
13 Act or in any other statute.

14 (e) This section shall become inoperative on ~~July 1, 2017~~, *July*  
15 *15, 2017*, and, as of January 1, 2018, is repealed, unless a later  
16 enacted ~~statute~~, *statute* that becomes operative on or before January  
17 1, 2018, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes  
18 inoperative and is repealed.