HB 267 -- SPECIAL EDUCATION DUE PROCESS HEARINGS (Jones, 117)

COMMITTEE OF ORIGIN: Elementary and Secondary Education

Currently, if a resolution session or preliminary meeting to discuss a special education placement reaches a settlement, the written settlement agreement will be implemented. This bill clarifies that the designee of the responsible public agency must sign the agreement and that the agency, usually the local school district, must identify a designee who has the authority to bind the agency.

FISCAL NOTE: No impact on state funds in FY 2008, FY 2009, and FY 2010.