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Committee Assignment: Assembly Liberty 4

Bill #: AL-27

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#### 3 **An Act To**

4 Repeal New York State Education Law Article 7 - A and add Article 7 - B making  
5 standardized testing illegal.

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7 ***The People of the State of New York, represented in the Senate and***  
8 ***Assembly do enact as follows:***

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#### 10 **Purpose**

11 The purpose of this bill is to repeal all of the new york state standardized tests for  
12 elementary and middle school students. The classes whom would repeal the  
13 standardized tests are english, mathematics, and science.

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#### 15 **Summary of Provisions**

16 Article 7 - A

17 Article 7 - B: Standardized testing shall hereby be illegal under this provision.

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#### 19 **Justification**

20 Many students feel as if that the stress and workload of taking these tests is too  
21 much for students in elementary school and middle school. By taking away these  
22 tests, it will enable students to focus on their school work instead of these tests.

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#### 24 **Fiscal Implications**

25 There will be no fiscal implications for this bill. This bill will lower the cost that the  
26 state has to spend to create these tests.

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#### 28 **Effective Date**

29 The bill will go into effect in September 1, 2018.