



Bill Number: S.B. 1236

Yee Floor Amendment

Reference to: House engrossed bill

Amendment drafted by: Legislative Council – Todd Baynes

FLOOR AMENDMENT EXPLANATION

- **Expands Empowerment Scholarship Account eligibility to include children who reside in zip codes where the average household income is 185 percent or lower of the federal poverty threshold for a family of four that has two children under 18 years of age.**

- **Eliminates the following ESA eligibility qualifications:**
 - **economic status in relation to the National School Lunch and Child Nutrition Acts;**
 - **being the child of a parent who is a police officer, firefighter or other specific first responder; and**
 - **being the sibling of a current or previous ESA recipient.**

Amendment explanation prepared by Kody Kelleher

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SENATE AMENDMENTS TO S.B. 1236
(Reference to House engrossed bill)

1 Page 1, line 41, strike "MEETS THE"

2 Strike lines 42, 43 and 44, insert "RESIDES IN A ZIP CODE AREA WHERE THE AVERAGE
3 HOUSEHOLD INCOME FOR ALL HOUSEHOLDS ACCORDING TO THE UNITED STATES CENSUS
4 BUREAU IS ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-FIVE PER CENT OR LOWER OF THE FEDERAL POVERTY
5 THRESHOLD FOR A FAMILY OF FOUR THAT HAS TWO CHILDREN WHO ARE UNDER EIGHTEEN
6 YEARS OF AGE."

7 Page 2, strike lines 1 through 14

8 Amend title to conform

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