

Sen. Kahn, Dist 10
Sen. Fuller Clark, Dist 21
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Floor Amendment to SB 590-FN-A

1 Amend the title of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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3 AN ACT making a supplemental appropriation to the state loan repayment program and
4 relative to emergency involuntary admissions, the child protection act, and the
5 developmental disabilities wait list and making appropriations therefor; and relative
6 to school food and nutrition programs.
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8 Amend the bill by replacing all after section 22 with the following:

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10 23 School Boards; Food and Nutrition Programs. Amend RSA 189:11-a, I to read as follows:

11 I. Each school board shall make [a] **at least one** meal available during school hours to
12 every pupil under its jurisdiction. Such meals shall be served without cost or at a reduced cost to
13 any [needy] child who ~~[is unable to pay the full cost of said meals]~~ **meets federal income**
14 **eligibility guidelines**. The state board of education shall insure compliance with this section and
15 shall establish minimum nutritional standards for such meals and shall further establish income
16 guidelines setting forth the minimum family size annual income levels to be used in determining
17 eligibility for free and reduced price meals. Nothing in this section shall prohibit the operation of
18 both a breakfast and lunch program in the same school. Further any requirement of this section
19 which conflicts with any federal statute or regulation may be waived by the state board of
20 education.

21 24 School Boards; Food and Nutrition Programs. Amend RSA 189:11-a, VII(b) to read as
22 follows:

23 (b) Such school which demonstrates to the department of education that an approved
24 school wellness policy, as required under the ~~[Child Nutrition and WIC Reauthorization Act of~~
25 ~~2004]~~, **Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act 42, U.S.C. section 1758b** is in effect,
26 and that such school is providing breakfast meals to pupils that meet or exceed the United States
27 Department of Agriculture's child nutrition criteria may apply for and receive a 3 cent
28 reimbursement for each breakfast meal served to a pupil. The department of education shall
29 request biennial appropriations in an amount sufficient to meet projected school breakfast
30 reimbursements. The department of education shall prescribe forms as necessary under this
31 paragraph. **In addition to the \$.03 state reimbursement for each breakfast served to all**
32 **pupils, the department of education shall request biennial appropriations equal to the**
33 **difference between the reduced and free federal reimbursement rates for breakfast so that**

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1 *pupils eligible for reduced price meals are offered breakfast at no cost.*

2 25 Effective Date.

3 I. Sections 7-12 of this act shall take effect July 1, 2018.

4 II. Sections 23 and 24 of this act shall take effect July 1, 2019.

5 III. The remainder of this act shall take effect upon its passage.

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AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill:

I. Clarifies admission to receiving facilities and other services for persons who are involuntarily committed under RSA 135-C.

II. Makes a supplemental appropriation to the state loan repayment program.

III. Clarifies the determination of unfounded but with reasonable concern for possible abuse and neglect under the child protection law, and enables the department of health and human services to offer voluntary services to the family.

IV. Makes appropriations for voluntary services and community-based prevention programs under the child protection act.

V. Provides that the New Hampshire home visiting program shall be available to Medicaid eligible families.

VI. Makes an appropriation to the department of health and human services to hire additional attorneys.

VII. Makes an appropriation to the department of health and human services for the purpose of funding the developmental disabilities wait list.

VIII. Requires the commissioner of the department of health and human services to issue requests for proposals for a behavioral health crisis treatment center and, contingent upon available funding, an additional mobile crisis team and apartments.

IX. Clarifies the department of health and human services' authority to consent to medical treatment for a minor in foster care.

X. Requires schools to make at least one free or reduced cost meal available to children who meet federal eligibility guidelines and directs the department of education to request an appropriation sufficient to provide a free breakfast to students eligible for reduced cost meals.