

HB0995/483528/1

BY: Ways and Means Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 995
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “**Delegate Solomon**” and substitute “**Delegates Solomon and Palakovich Carr**”; and in line 8, strike “pay” and substitute “notify the Comptroller within a certain period of time after receiving a certain invoice; requiring the Comptroller to pay”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 6, after “**DEPARTMENT**” insert “**THAT CERTIFIES:**”

(I) THE INDIVIDUAL’S ESTIMATED ANNUAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME; AND

(II) THAT THE INDIVIDUAL MEETS THE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR A PROGRAM SUBSIDY”;

and in line 32, after “(D)” insert “**(1)**”.

On page 3, in lines 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 13, and 14, strike “(1)”, “(I)”, “(II)”, “(III)”, “(V)”, “(VI)”, and “(2)”, respectively, and substitute “(I)”, “**1.**”, “**2.**”, “**3.**”, “**4.**”, “**5.**”, and “(II)”, respectively; strike lines 10 and 11 in their entirety; after line 15, insert:

“(2) IF AN INDIVIDUAL DESCRIBED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION DOES NOT QUALIFY FOR A FULL SUBSIDY WITHOUT A COPAY, UNDER FEDERAL LAW, A CHILD CARE PROVIDER MAY NOT BE REQUIRED TO PAY ANY DIFFERENCE IN THE AMOUNT OF FEDERAL FUNDING AND THE COST OF THE INDIVIDUAL’S PARTICIPATION IN THE PROGRAM.”;

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in line 25, after “(G)” insert “(1)”; in the same line, strike “PAY A CHILD CARE PROVIDER WITHIN 10” and substitute “NOTIFY THE COMPTROLLER WITHIN 9”; and after line 27, insert:

“(2) THE COMPTROLLER SHALL PAY A CHILD CARE PROVIDER WITHIN 6 DAYS AFTER THE DATE ON WHICH THE COMPTROLLER RECEIVES A NOTICE UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION.”.