

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1494

Page 1, line 10, replace "If a student meal balance has insufficient funds for less than one week, a" with "A"

Page 1, line 11, after the first "a" insert "United States department of agriculture reimbursable"

Page 1, line 11, replace ", or" with "a student who requests one, unless the student's parent or guardian has provided written permission to the school to withhold a meal. A school may not"

Page 1, line 11, after "student" insert "with an unpaid student meal balance or without funds to pay for a meal. This provision does not apply to an a la carte food item or second meal requested by a student during the same meal period"

Page 2, line 1, remove "not use a collections agency to collect unpaid school meals debt. A"

Page 2, remove line 2

Page 2, line 3, replace "debt" with "contact a student's parent or guardian directly regarding unpaid meals debt or a school meals account without funds to pay for additional meals"

Page 2, after line 6, insert:

"7. A school shall adopt policies to encourage or provide an incentive for a parent or guardian of a student to apply for free or reduced meals through the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act [42 U.S.C. 1751 et seq.], including when a student has unpaid school meals debt."

Re-number accordingly