



April 5, 2013

**ENGROSSED  
SENATE BILL No. 530**

DIGEST OF SB 530 (Updated April 2, 2013 11:55 am - DI 113)

**Citations Affected:** IC 12-14; noncode.

**Synopsis:** Schedule for electronic benefits transfers. Requires the division of family resources to, beginning January 1, 2014, implement a schedule for the distribution of Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits from the fifth through the twenty-third day of each month. Requires the division of family resources to apply for a federal waiver to require a SNAP recipient to show the recipient's government issued photo identification when using an electronic benefits transfer (EBT) card for purchases. Requires the legislative council to assign for interim study the topic of the costs and benefits of placing a SNAP recipient's photograph on the recipient's EBT card.

**Effective:** Upon passage; July 1, 2013.

**Kenley, Miller Patricia, Breaux**

(HOUSE SPONSORS — FRIZZELL, PORTER, SUMMERS)

January 14, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on Health and Provider Services.

January 24, 2013, amended, reported favorably — Do Pass.

January 28, 2013, read second time, ordered engrossed.

January 29, 2013, engrossed. Read third time, passed. Yeas 47, nays 0.

HOUSE ACTION

February 26, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on Family, Children and Human Affairs.

March 21, 2013, reported — Do Pass. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means pursuant to Rule 127.

April 4, 2013, amended, reported — Do Pass.

C  
O  
P  
Y

ES 530—LS 6981/DI 104+



April 5, 2013

First Regular Session 118th General Assembly (2013)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2012 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

## ENGROSSED SENATE BILL No. 530

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 12-14-30 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE  
2 AS A **NEW** CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
3 JULY 1, 2013]:  
4 **Chapter 30. Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program**  
5 **Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "SNAP" refers to the federal**  
6 **Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program under 7 U.S.C. 2011**  
7 **et seq.**  
8 **Sec. 2. (a) Beginning January 1, 2014, the division shall**  
9 **implement a schedule for the distribution of benefits to an**  
10 **approximately evenly distributed number of SNAP recipients**  
11 **during the fifth through the twenty-third day of each month.**  
12 **(b) The division may prorate benefits for a SNAP recipient for**  
13 **the first month the division begins to use the schedule described in**  
14 **subsection (a).**  
15 **Sec. 3. Before September 1, 2013, the division shall apply to the**  
16 **United States Department of Agriculture for a waiver to the SNAP**  
17 **program to require SNAP recipients to show the recipient's photo**

ES 530—LS 6981/DI 104+



C  
O  
P  
Y

1     **identification issued by a federal, state, or local unit when the**  
2     **recipient uses the recipient's electronic benefits transfer (EBT)**  
3     **card for purchases.**  
4     SECTION 2. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] **(a) As used in this**  
5     **SECTION, "SNAP" refers to the federal Supplemental Nutrition**  
6     **Assistance Program under 7 U.S.C. 2011 et seq.**  
7     **(b) The legislative council shall assign as an interim study**  
8     **committee topic during the 2013 legislative interim a study of the**  
9     **costs and benefits to placing a photograph of a SNAP recipient on**  
10    **the recipient's electronic benefits transfer (EBT) card.**  
11    **(c) This SECTION expires December 31, 2013.**  
12    SECTION 3. **An emergency is declared for this act.**

C  
o  
p  
y



COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Health and Provider Services, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 530, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

Page 1, line 8, delete "The" and insert "**Beginning January 1, 2014, the**".

Page 1, line 8, delete "establish" and insert "**implement**".

Page 1, line 10, delete "first twenty-eight (28) days" and insert "**fifth through the twenty-third day**".

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to SB 530 as introduced.)

MILLER PATRICIA, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 12, Nays 0.

---

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Family, Children and Human Affairs, to which was referred Senate Bill 530, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

KUBACKI, Chair

Committee Vote: yeas 11, nays 0.

---

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Senate Bill 530, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, after line 14, begin a new paragraph and insert:

**"Sec. 3. Before September 1, 2013, the division shall apply to the United States Department of Agriculture for a waiver to the SNAP program to require SNAP recipients to show the recipient's photo identification issued by a federal, state, or local unit when the**

ES 530—LS 6981/DI 104+



C  
O  
P  
Y

**recipient uses the recipient's electronic benefits transfer (EBT) card for purchases.**

**SECTION 2. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] (a) As used in this SECTION, "SNAP" refers to the federal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program under 7 U.S.C. 2011 et seq.**

**(b) The legislative council shall assign as an interim study committee topic during the 2013 legislative interim a study of the costs and benefits to placing a photograph of a SNAP recipient on the recipient's electronic benefits transfer (EBT) card.**

**(c) This SECTION expires December 31, 2013.**

**SECTION 3. An emergency is declared for this act."**

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to ESB 530 as printed March 22, 2013.)

BROWN T, Chair

Committee Vote: yeas 18, nays 0.

C  
O  
P  
Y

