

HOUSE BILL No. 1500

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 12-13-7-22.

Synopsis: Funding for reach out and read program. Requires the division of family resources to donate 0.5% of federal child care and development discretionary quality funding to support the reach out and read program in Indiana.

Effective: July 1, 2013.

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January 22, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on Family, Children and Human Affairs.

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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.

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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 12-13-7-22 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
2 AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
3 1, 2013]: **Sec. 22. (a) As used in this section, "reach out and read
4 Indiana" refers to a nonprofit organization that is affiliated with
5 the Reach Out and Read National Center that operates a program
6 in Indiana to promote early literacy and school readiness in
7 pediatric medical practices.**
8 **(b) The division shall annually donate one-half of one percent
9 (0.5%) of the discretionary quality funding from the federal Child
10 Care and Development Block Grant under 42 U.S.C. 9858 et seq.
11 to support reach out and read Indiana.**

