

# PROPOSED AMENDMENT

## HB 1038 # 12

### DIGEST

Child care funding. Amends the appropriation from the financial responsibility and opportunity growth fund (fund) for the state budget biennium in HEA 1001-2025 to require the total amount appropriated from the fund to be used for funding the Child Care and Development Fund voucher program and On My Way Pre-K programmatic funding and for no other purpose.

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- 1       Page 21, between lines 33 and 34, begin a new paragraph and insert:  
2       "SECTION 10. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2025 (RETROACTIVE)] (a)  
3       **Notwithstanding any other provision, the total amount**  
4       **appropriated from the financial responsibility and opportunity**  
5       **growth fund in P.L.213-2025 (HEA 1001-2025) may be used by the**  
6       **budget agency, subject to budget committee review, only for the**  
7       **funding of the Child Care and Development Fund voucher**  
8       **program and On My Way Pre-K programmatic funding. The uses**  
9       **of the appropriation from the financial responsibility and**  
10       **opportunity growth fund in P.L.213-2025 (HEA 1001-2025) to**  
11       **augment the state correctional facilities operations appropriation**  
12       **made to the department of correction, the Medicaid assistance**  
13       **appropriation made to the family and social services**  
14       **administration, and the family and children fund appropriation**  
15       **made to the department of child services are repealed. If**  
16       **previously distributed for any of the repealed purposes, the**  
17       **recipient shall return the amount received to the state comptroller**  
18       **for transfer as set forth in this SECTION.**  
19       **(b) This SECTION expires July 1, 2027."**  
20       Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.  
      (Reference is to HB 1038 as printed January 22, 2026.)