

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

EH 1176 # 16

DIGEST

Various changes. Amends provisions in the bill to provide that the Pokagon Indiana education fund must be used to make payments to Indiana institutions of higher learning or workforce development and training programs (not public or private Indiana institutions as in the current bill). Changes the effective date for certain provisions. Removes the provision in the bill that would amend the definition of "eligible student" for purposes of eligibility for school scholarships distributed by scholarship granting organizations.

- 1 Replace the effective date in SECTION 3 with "[EFFECTIVE JULY
 - 2 1, 2027]".
 - 3 Replace the effective dates in SECTIONS 6 through 9 with
 - 4 "[EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2027]".
 - 5 Replace the effective date in SECTION 11 with "[EFFECTIVE
 - 6 JULY 1, 2027]".
 - 7 Page 1, line 5, strike "public".
 - 8 Page 1, line 5, delete "or private".
 - 9 Page 1, line 11, strike "public".
 - 10 Page 1, line 11, delete "or private".
 - 11 Page 7, line 30, delete "2026," and insert "**2027**".
 - 12 Page 13, delete lines 31 through 42.
- (Reference is to EHB 1176 as printed February 6, 2026.)