

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

HB 1177 # 4

DIGEST

Child care assistance appropriations. Appropriates money from the state general fund for prekindergarten, early childhood learning, and expanding the availability of child care.

- 1 Delete the title and insert the following:
 - 2 A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning
 - 3 taxation and to make an appropriation.
 - 4 Page 32, between lines 11 and 12, begin a new paragraph and insert:
 - 5 "SECTION 9. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026] (a) **There is**
 - 6 **appropriated from the state general fund for the state fiscal year**
 - 7 **beginning July 1, 2026, and ending June 30, 2027, the following:**
 - 8 (1) **Fifty million six hundred sixty-eight thousand three**
 - 9 **hundred seventy-two dollars (\$50,668,372) to the**
 - 10 **prekindergarten program fund established by**
 - 11 **IC 12-17.2-7.2-13.5 for the prekindergarten program.**
 - 12 (2) **One hundred ninety-six million two hundred seventeen**
 - 13 **thousand six hundred eighty-nine dollars (\$196,217,689) to the**
 - 14 **family and social services administration for early childhood**
 - 15 **learning.**
 - 16 (3) **Two million dollars (\$2,000,000) to the family and social**
 - 17 **services administration to be used for providing counties with**
 - 18 **assistance in expanding the availability of child care.**
 - 19 **(b) This SECTION expires July 1, 2028."**
 - 20 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.
- (Reference is to HB 1177 as introduced.)