

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 6827

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Referred to Committee on EDUCATION

Introduced by:

REP. CURREY, 11th Dist.

REP. D'AGOSTINO, 91st Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE LOW-INCOME STUDENT COUNT OF THE EDUCATION COST SHARING GRANT FORMULA.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 10-262f of the general statutes be amended to revise the
- 2 definition of "number of children eligible for free or reduced price
- meals or free milk" by replacing the provision relating to families that
- 4 meet the income eligibility guidelines established by the federal
- 5 Department of Agriculture for free or reduced price meals or free milk
- 6 under the National School Lunch Program, established pursuant to
- 7 P.L. 79-396, with a provision relating to students who are directly
- 8 certified for free or reduced-price meals through the direct certification
- 9 process authorized by the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010, P.L.
- 10 111-296, and Section 18(c) of the National School Lunch Act,
- 11 established pursuant to P.L. 79-396.

Statement of Purpose:

To more accurately count low-income students for purposes of the education cost sharing grant formula.

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