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115TH LEGISLATURE  
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SENATE AMENDMENT " A " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 466, L.D. 1249, Bill, "An Act Relating to the Education of Homeless Students"

Amend the amendment in section 4 in subsection 16 in the 2nd line (page 3, line 8 in amendment) by striking out the following: "1991-92" and inserting in its place the following: '1992-93'

Further amend the amendment in section 4 in subsection 16 by inserting at the end the following: 'Allocations distributed under this subsection are limited to the funds identified for that purpose.'

Further amend the amendment by striking out all of the fiscal note and inserting in its place the following:

FISCAL NOTE

This bill authorizes the Department of Education to adopt rules that ensure that homeless students have unrestricted access to education and for the payment of tuition. The costs associated with rulemaking can be absorbed within existing resources of the Department of Education. The department is also required to create a revolving fund to finance homeless student education costs. Funds will come from a reallocation within the General Purpose Aid to Local Schools account and will not require General Fund appropriations. This reallocation, however, will reduce the state share allocation to school administrative units, beginning in fiscal year 1992-93.'

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L.D. 1249

STATEMENT OF FACT

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This amendment changes the implementation date of the revolving fund for tuition for homeless students from school year 1991-92 to school year 1992-93. It also clarifies that only funds from the revolving fund may be used to provide assistance to homeless students. It also replaces the fiscal note to the bill.

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(Senator ESTES)

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