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SENATE AMENDMENT "B" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1099, L.D. 1486, Bill, "An Act to Consolidate All Substance Abuse Programs within the Office of Substance Abuse"

Amend the amendment by striking out all of section 17 (page 3, lines 26 to 33 in amendment) and inserting in its place the following:

**Sec. 17. Transition.** Employees of the Division of Alcohol and Drug Educational Services within the Department of Education whose positions are transferred to the Office of Substance Abuse under this Act retain their positions within the Office of Substance Abuse, along with all of their employee rights, privileges and benefits, including sick leave and vacation. All personnel transferred to the Office of Substance Abuse retain all applicable seniority rights and privileges with regard to employment in the Department of Education subject to agreement by the parties in collective bargaining. The Bureau of Human Resources within the Department of Administrative and Financial Services shall assist with the orderly implementation of this section.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment clarifies the rights, benefits and privileges that are retained by employees transferred to the Office of Substance Abuse.

(Senator BUSTIN)  
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**SENATE AMENDMENT**