

HOUSE SUMMARY OF SENATE AMENDMENTS

HCR 115

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SNAP/FOOD STAMPS: Directs the Department of Children and Family Services to seek a waiver from the federal government to limit access to unhealthy foods

Synopsis of Senate Amendments

1. Changes from a requirement to a request that Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) seek a rule waiver from the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) to obtain approval to remove unhealthy foods from the list of approved foods that may be purchased with Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program benefits.
2. Removes the requirement that the DCFS present the rule waiver to the House and Senate committees on health and welfare prior to submitting it to the USDA.

Digest of Bill as Finally Passed by Senate

Requests that the Department of Children and Family Services seek a rule waiver from the United States Department of Agriculture to remove unhealthy foods from the list of approved foods that may be purchased with Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program benefits.