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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 4208

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 4208 as follows:

3 on page 5, by replacing line 25 with the following:

4 "healthy learning environments by reducing the reliance on
5 exclusionary discipline and referrals to law"; and

6 on page 6, line 7, after "to,", by inserting "(i)"; and

7 on page 6, line 8, before "social", by inserting "school"; and

8 on page 6, by replacing lines 9 through 11 with the following:

9 "health specialists; (ii) otherwise expanding the availability
10 of alternatives to exclusionary discipline and referrals to law
11 enforcement, mental and behavioral health supports, wraparound
12 services, and drug and alcohol treatment; and (iii) providing
13 training for school staff on alternatives to exclusionary
14 discipline and law enforcement involvement for"; and

1 on page 7, by replacing lines 1 through 11 with the following:
2 "annually. The criteria to be considered by the State Board of
3 Education in awarding the funds shall be (i) the rates of
4 exclusionary discipline in the target schools over the
5 preceding 3 years and (ii) the degree to which the proposal
6 articulates a strong, comprehensive approach for reducing the
7 reliance on exclusionary discipline and referrals to law
8 enforcement to address school disciplinary matters while
9 building safer and healthier learning environments. Priority
10 shall be given to school districts that meet the metrics under
11 subsection (b) of Section 2-3.162."; and

12 on page 7, by replacing line 13 with the following:
13 "ranked from highest rates to lowest, with higher"; and

14 on page 8, by replacing lines 15 through 21 with the following:
15 "the reliance on exclusionary discipline and referrals to law
16 enforcement to address school disciplinary matters, and the
17 effects of the program on school safety and school climate.
18 This report shall".