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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 3768

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 3768 as follows:

3 by replacing line 12 on page 1 through line 4 on page 2 with
4 the following:

5 "(a) For the purpose of this Section, persons with
6 deaf-blindness are (i) individuals with concomitant hearing
7 and visual impairments, the combination of which causes such
8 severe communication and other developmental and educational
9 needs that they cannot be accommodated in special education
10 programs solely for children with deafness or children with
11 blindness, (ii) individuals with solely a hearing impairment,
12 or (iii) individuals with solely a visual impairment. ~~persons~~
13 ~~who have both auditory and visual impairments, the combination~~
14 ~~of which causes such severe communication and other~~
15 ~~developmental, educational, vocational and rehabilitation~~
16 ~~problems that such persons cannot be properly accommodated in~~
17 ~~special education or vocational rehabilitation programs solely~~

1 ~~for persons with both hearing and visual disabilities.~~

2 **(b)** To be eligible for deaf-blind services under this
3 Section, a person must have (i) a visual impairment, a hearing
4 ~~and an auditory~~ impairment, or both or (ii) a condition in
5 which there is a progressive loss of hearing, ~~or~~ vision, ~~or~~
6 both that ~~results in concomitant vision and hearing~~
7 ~~impairments and that~~ adversely affects educational performance
8 as determined by the multidisciplinary conference. For
9 purposes of this paragraph and Section:"; and

10 on page 2, line 15, by replacing "An auditory" with "A hearing
11 ~~An auditory~~"; and

12 on page 3, lines 7 through 9, by deleting "The Philip J. Rock
13 Center and School shall be located in the Chicago metropolitan
14 area near public transportation."; and

15 on page 4, by replacing lines 6 through 8 with the following:

16 "(6) maintaining ~~Maintaining~~ a
17 residential-educational training facility with or without
18 a day program in the Chicago metropolitan area located
19 near ~~in an area accessible to~~ public transportation;" and

20 on page 4, by replacing lines 23 through 25 with the following:

21 "(11) serving ~~Serving~~ as the information ~~referral~~
22 clearinghouse for all persons who are deaf-blind, ~~age 21~~

1 ~~and older~~; and".