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**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Walsworth to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 222 by Senator Walsworth

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**1** AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 3, delete "1427(introductory paragraph),"

**3** AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 1, line 13, delete "1427(introductory paragraph),"

**5** AMENDMENT NO. 3

6 On page 3, between lines 6 and 7, insert:

7 **"(6) "Early childhood learning center" means any child day care center, Early Head**  
8 **Start grantee, or stand-alone pre-kindergarten or kindergarten program that is not**  
9 **attached to a school and that is licensed by the state."**

**10** AMENDMENT NO. 4

11 On page 3, line 7, strike through "(6)" and then insert "**(7)**"

**12** AMENDMENT NO. 5

13 On page 3, line 13, delete "**child day care**" and insert "**early childhood learning**"

**14** AMENDMENT NO. 6

15 On page 3, line 15, strike through "(7)" and then insert "**(8)**"

**16** AMENDMENT NO. 7

17 On page 3, line 17, delete "**(8)**" and insert "**(9)**"

**18** AMENDMENT NO. 8

19 On page 3, line 25, delete "**(9)**" and insert "**(10)**"

**20** AMENDMENT NO. 9

21 On page 3, line 27, delete "**(10)**" and insert "**(11)**"

**22** AMENDMENT NO. 10

23 On page 4, line 7, delete "**(11)**" and insert "**(12)**"

**24** AMENDMENT NO. 11

25 On page 4, line 11, delete "**(12)**" and insert "**(13)**"

**26** AMENDMENT NO. 12

27 On page 4, line 13, delete "**(13)**" and insert "**(14)**"

**28** AMENDMENT NO. 13

29 On page 4, line 15, delete "**or Type III**" and insert "**, Type III, or Type IV**"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 14

2 On page 4, line 19, delete "(14)" and insert "(15)"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 15

4 On page 4, line 19, delete "Type I" and insert "Type II"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 16

6 On page 4, delete lines 23 through 29, and on page 5, delete lines 1 and 2, and insert:

7 "(16) "Type III license" means the license held by any publicly- or privately-  
8 owned early childhood learning center which receives state or federal funds, directly  
9 or indirectly, from any source other than the federal food and nutrition program. Type  
10 III early childhood learning centers must meet the performance and academic  
11 standards of the Early Childhood Care and Education Network regarding  
12 kindergarten readiness, as determined by the State Board of Elementary and  
13 Secondary Education.

14 (17) "Type IV license" means the license held by any publicly- or privately-  
15 owned specialized provider."

16 AMENDMENT NO. 17

17 On page 5, line 3, delete "(17)" and insert "(18)"

18 AMENDMENT NO. 18

19 On page 5, delete line 6, and insert "~~homes, maternity homes, group homes, day care~~ early  
20 childhood learning centers, and residential homes"

21 AMENDMENT NO. 19

22 On page 5, delete line 10, and insert "A. All ~~child care facilities~~ early childhood learning  
23 centers and ~~child-placing agencies~~ "

24 AMENDMENT NO. 20

25 On page 5, lines 12 and 13, delete "pursuant to this Chapter"

26 AMENDMENT NO. 21

27 On page 5, line 13, after "care" insert "facility"

28 AMENDMENT NO. 22

29 On page 5, delete lines 25 through 29, and on page 6, delete lines 1 through 4, and insert:  
30 "(2) The department shall create an early childhood learning working group to include  
31 one representative from Louisiana's Early Childhood Advisory Council, the Child Care  
32 Association of Louisiana, the nonpublic school council, the Louisiana Head Start  
33 Association, the Department of Children and Family Services, the Department of  
34 Education, the Children's Cabinet, and the Office of the Governor. Such working  
35 group shall include participants having expertise in infants and toddlers, pediatric  
36 health, pediatric mental health, cognitive development, and social emotional  
37 development. The department shall seek input from the working group in the  
38 development of the rules and regulations establishing Type I, Type II, and Type III  
39 licenses and shall submit the proposed rules and regulations pursuant to this Section  
40 to the working group for approval. Such working group shall forward the proposed  
41 rules and regulations to the Children's Defense Fund, the Louisiana Association for the

1 **Education of Young Children, and Louisiana Partnership for Children and Families**  
2 **no later than November 1, 2013, for review and comment.**"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 23

4 On page 6, delete lines 6 and 7, and insert:

5 "**Class B license on July 31, 2013, shall be issued a Type I license as provided by rule.**"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 24

7 On page 6, line 12, delete "**automatically**"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 25

9 On page 6, line 13, delete "**child day care**" and insert "**early childhood learning**"

10 AMENDMENT NO. 26

11 On page 6, line 14, delete "**automatically**"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 27

13 On page 6, delete line 15, and insert "**license as provided by rule.**"

14 AMENDMENT NO. 28

15 On page 6, line 21, delete "**automatically**"

16 AMENDMENT NO. 29

17 On page 6, line 23, delete "**child day care**" and insert "**early childhood learning**"

18 AMENDMENT NO. 30

19 On page 6, line 25, delete "**child day care**" and insert "**early childhood learning**"

20 AMENDMENT NO. 31

21 On page 6, line 28, delete "**and authorization certificates**"

22 AMENDMENT NO. 32

23 On page 7, page 1, delete "**day care center**" and insert "**care facility**"

24 AMENDMENT NO. 33

25 On page 7, line 2, delete "**day care center**" and insert "**care facility**"

26 AMENDMENT NO. 34

27 On page 7, lines 18 and 19, delete "**or authorization certificate**"

28 AMENDMENT NO. 35

29 On page 7, line 20, delete "**or authorized**"

30 AMENDMENT NO. 36

1 On page 7, line 24, after "**license**" insert "**fee**" and delete "**child day care**" and insert "**early**  
2 **childhood learning**"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 37

4 On page 8, lines 1, 2, 4, and 6, delete "**a child day care**" and insert "**an early childhood**  
5 **learning**"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 38

7 On page 8, line 26, after "**approval**" insert "**of Type I, Type II, and Type III facilities**"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 39

9 On page 9, line 7, delete "**child day care**" and insert "**early childhood learning**"

10 AMENDMENT NO. 40

11 On page 9, line 29, delete "**a child day care**" and insert "**an early childhood learning**"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 41

13 On page 10, line 5, delete "**also**"

14 AMENDMENT NO. 42

15 On page 10, line 8, after "**safety**" insert "**, Department of Public Safety and Corrections**"

16 AMENDMENT NO. 43

17 On page 10, line 9, after "**the**" insert "**Department of Health and Hospitals,**"

18 AMENDMENT NO. 44

19 On page 10, line 10, delete "**child day care**" and insert "**early childhood learning**"

20 AMENDMENT NO. 45

21 On page 10, line 17, after "**funds**" insert a comma ":",

22 AMENDMENT NO. 46

23 On page 11, delete line 22 through 27, and insert:

24 "A. All ~~child care facilities~~ **early childhood learning centers** and child-  
25 ~~placing agencies~~ **specialized providers** shall be subject to the provisions of this  
26 Chapter. However, private or public day schools serving children in grades one and  
27 above ~~or operating,~~ **including any** kindergartens or prekindergarten programs  
28 **attached thereto**, as well as ~~Montessori schools,~~ camps, and all care given without  
29 charge, shall be exempt from such provisions.

30 **B. Nothing in this Chapter shall apply to facilities licensed by the**  
31 **Department of Health and Hospitals.**  
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33 AMENDMENT NO. 47

34 On page 12, delete line 2, and insert "license for a child-care facility or child-placing  
35 agency"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 48

2 On page 12, delete line 5, and insert "child care facilities and ~~child-placing agencies~~  
3 **specialized**"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 49

5 On page 12, delete line 29, and insert "Whoever operates any child care facility or ~~child-~~  
6 ~~placing agency~~"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 50

8 On page 13, delete line 5, and insert "If any child care facility or ~~child-placing agency~~  
9 **specialized**"

10 AMENDMENT NO. 51

11 On page 13, delete line 12, and insert "communicable diseases within a child care facility  
12 or ~~child-placing~~"

13 AMENDMENT NO. 52

14 On page 13 delete lines 27 through 29, and on page 14, delete lines 1 and 2