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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 2393

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 2393 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Childhood Hunger Relief Act is amended by
5 adding Section 16 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 126/16 new)

7 Sec. 16. Breakfast after the bell program.

8 (a) The board of education of each school district in this
9 State shall implement and operate a breakfast after the bell
10 program in the next academic year after the effective date of
11 this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly, if a
12 breakfast after the bell program does not currently exist, in
13 accordance with federal guidelines in each school building
14 within its district (1) in which at least 70% or more of the
15 students are eligible for free or reduced-price lunches based
16 upon the current year's October claim (for those schools that

1 participate in the National School Lunch Program); (2) in which
2 at least 70% or more of the students are classified as
3 low-income according to the Fall Housing Data from the previous
4 year (for those schools that do not participate in the National
5 School Lunch Program); or (3) that has a claiming percentage
6 for free or reduced-price meals of 70% or more (for those
7 schools using Provision 2 under Section 11(a) (1) of the federal
8 Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act or the Community
9 Eligibility Provision under Section 104(a) of the federal
10 Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010 to provide universal
11 meals). If a school falls below the applicable 70% threshold
12 for 2 consecutive years, it has the option to continue
13 participating in the program, but is not required to do so.

14 (b) Each school under this Section may determine the
15 breakfast after the bell service model that best suits its
16 students. Service models include, but are not limited to,
17 breakfast in the classroom, grab and go breakfast, and
18 second-chance breakfast.

19 (c) Before the beginning of the next academic year after
20 the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 99th General
21 Assembly, the State Board of Education shall develop and
22 distribute procedures and guidelines for the implementation of
23 this Section, which must be in compliance with federal
24 regulations governing the school breakfast program.

25 (d) The State Board of Education shall annually collect
26 information about breakfast after the bell delivery models

1 implemented at each school and make the information publicly
2 available.

3 (e) In fulfilling its responsibilities under this Section,
4 the State Board of Education shall collaborate with nonprofit
5 organizations knowledgeable about equity, the opportunity gap,
6 hunger and food security issues, and best practices for
7 improving student access to school breakfast. The State Board
8 of Education shall maintain a list of opportunities for
9 philanthropic support of school breakfast programs and make the
10 list available to schools interested in a breakfast after the
11 bell program."