SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2017 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 95 by Senator Morrish

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- 2 On page 1, line 4, change "(B)(1)(c)(iv), (vii)," to "(B)(1)(c)(vii)"
- 3 AMENDMENT NO. 2
- 4 On page 1, delete line 5, and insert:
- 5 "(2)(a)(i), (C)(1)(e), and (2) and to repeal R.S."
- 6 AMENDMENT NO. 3
- 7 On page 1, line 7, delete "to limit the" and delete lines 8 through 10, and insert "to provide
- 8 for an effective date; and to"
- 9 AMENDMENT NO. 4
- 10 On page 1, delete lines 15 and 16, and insert:
- "6301(A)(2), 6301(A)(2)(c), and (3), (B)(1)(c)(vii) and (ix), (2)(a)(i), (C)(1)(e), and
- 12 (2) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:"
- 13 AMENDMENT NO. 5
- 14 On page 2, line 3, change "<u>July 1, 2017</u>" to "<u>January 1, 2018</u>"
- 15 AMENDMENT NO. 6
- On page 2, delete lines 13 through 16 and insert:
- 17 "income tax return. The amount of the rebate credit shall be equal to the actual
- amount of the taxpayer's donation used by a school tuition organization to fund a
- scholarship to a qualified student, which shall not include administrative costs."
- 20 AMENDMENT NO. 7
- 21 On page 3, delete lines 4 and 5, and insert:
- 22 "the school tuition organization on scholarships, which shall not include
- administrative costs and shall be prorated as applicable."
- 24 AMENDMENT NO. 8
- 25 On page 3, line 24, after "(c)" insert the following:
- 26 "A school tuition organization which provides scholarships to qualified students shall
- do all of the following:"
- 28 AMENDMENT NO. 9
- 29 On page 3, delete lines 26 through 29

- 1 AMENDMENT NO. 10
- 2 On page 4, delete lines 21 through 23, and insert:
- 3 "a scholarship from that school tuition organization. The report shall"
- 4 AMENDMENT NO. 11
- 5 On page 4, line 29, after "January" insert ", unless granted an extension of no more than
- 6 thirty days by the Department of Education for good cause,"
- 7 AMENDMENT NO. 12
- 8 On page 5, delete lines 5 through 9, and insert "the first day of February of each year."
- 9 AMENDMENT NO. 13
- 10 On page 5, line 11, after "(2)(a)" insert:
- 11 "For purposes of this Section, a "qualified school" shall mean a nonpublic
- elementary or secondary school in this state which is approved, provisionally
- approved, or probationally approved by the Board of Elementary and Secondary
- Education and which complies with the criteria set forth in *Brumfield*, et al. v. Dodd,
- et al., 425 F. Supp 528. A qualified school shall do all of the following:"
- 16 AMENDMENT NO. 14
- On page 5, delete lines 18 through 23
- 18 AMENDMENT NO. 15
- On page 5, delete lines 25 through 29
- 20 AMENDMENT NO. 16
- 21 On page 6, delete lines 6 through 16
- 22 AMENDMENT NO. 17
- 23 On page 6, delete lines 22 through 29, and insert:
- "(b) The Department of Education shall ensure that the public of the state is
 aware of the availability of scholarships, with an emphasis on notifying parents of
- students in public schools that received a letter grade of "F" or "D", and shall provide
- for requirements for school tuition organizations to adequately advertise the <u>notify</u>
 the public of the availability of scholarships to the public, all as provided for in
- rules and regulations which shall be promulgated by the Department of Education
- 30 in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act."