

SENATE BILL 180

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By: **Senator Gladden**

Introduced and read first time: January 15, 2014

Assigned to: Finance

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **State Personnel – Child Day Care Financial Assistance Program**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring the Secretary of Budget and Management to establish
4 by regulation a program that provides financial assistance to certain State
5 employees for certain child day care services; providing that the program shall
6 apply only to child day care services provided to children under a certain age;
7 defining a certain term; and generally relating to State personnel and financial
8 assistance for child day care services.

9 BY adding to

10 Article – State Personnel and Pensions

11 Section 10–405

12 Annotated Code of Maryland

13 (2009 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)

14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
15 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

16 **Article – State Personnel and Pensions**

17 **10–405.**

18 (A) (1) IN THIS SECTION, “ELIGIBLE EMPLOYEE” MEANS AN
19 EMPLOYEE IN THE STATE PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM WHO HAS
20 COMPLETED AT LEAST 12 MONTHS OF CONTINUOUS EMPLOYMENT WITH THE
21 STATE.

22 (2) “ELIGIBLE EMPLOYEE” DOES NOT INCLUDE A TEMPORARY
23 EMPLOYEE.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 **(B) SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION (C) OF THIS SECTION, THE SECRETARY BY**
2 **REGULATION SHALL ESTABLISH A PROGRAM THAT PROVIDES FINANCIAL**
3 **ASSISTANCE TO ELIGIBLE EMPLOYEES FOR CHILD DAY CARE SERVICES**
4 **PROVIDED TO CHILDREN OF ELIGIBLE EMPLOYEES.**

5 **(C) THE PROGRAM ESTABLISHED UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS**
6 **SECTION SHALL APPLY ONLY TO CHILD DAY CARE SERVICES PROVIDED TO**
7 **CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 4 YEARS.**

8 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
9 July 1, 2014.