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AMENDMENT MEMO



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2023 Assembly Bill 1013

Assembly Amendment 1

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2023 Assembly Bill 1013 requires the Department of Health Services (DHS) to contract with one or more nonprofit organizations to administer a healthy food incentive program statewide. The healthy food incentive program must provide to any food stamp program recipient that uses benefits at an eligible retailer a monetary amount up to the amount of food stamp program benefits used for the purpose of purchasing fruits and vegetables from the eligible retailer. DHS may establish a maximum amount of benefits that may be matched per day for a food stamp program recipient.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1

Assembly Amendment 1 requires that a nonprofit organization administering the health food incentive program must establish a timeline for expiration of matching monetary amounts provided for the purchase of fruits and vegetables under the healthy food incentive program, such that a matching monetary amount expires no later than one year after it is provided. Additionally, a nonprofit organization administering the program must ensure that matching amounts that are unused and expire remain with the nonprofit organization and, upon expiration, are available for use to provide matching amounts to other food stamp recipients under the program.

BILL HISTORY

On February 12, 2024, Representative Joers and Representative Hurd offered Assembly Amendment 1. On February 14, 2024, the Assembly Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care recommended adoption of Assembly Amendment 1, and passage of the bill, as amended, on votes of Ayes, 14; Noes, 1.

For a full history of the bill, visit the Legislature's [bill history page](#).

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