

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

HB 1499 # 2

DIGEST

Requirements relating to literacy. Provides that the provision in the bill regarding the exemption to third grade retention requirements applies only to certain English language learners (instead of all students in certain schools). Removes provisions regarding literacy endorsement requirements for certain administrators.

- 1 Page 1, delete lines 1 through 17.
- 2 Page 2, delete lines 1 through 5.
- 3 Page 7, delete lines 13 through 18, begin a new paragraph and
- 4 insert:
- 5 **"(g) The department shall establish a registration process for**
- 6 **schools to exempt an English language learner who:**
- 7 **(1) does not achieve a passing score on the determinant**
- 8 **evaluation of reading skills approved by the state board; and**
- 9 **(2) attends a school that has a student population comprised**
- 10 **of at least fifty percent (50%) of English language learners, as**
- 11 **determined by the department;**
- 12 **from compliance with the requirements under subsection (a)(2)(A)**
- 13 **until the beginning of the 2027-2028 school year. This subsection**
- 14 **expires July 1, 2028."**
- 15 ReNUMBER all SECTIONS consecutively.
- (Reference is to HB 1499 as introduced.)