



January 24, 2017

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## SENATE BILL No. 396

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DIGEST OF SB 396 (Updated January 23, 2017 10:37 am - DI 84)

**Citations Affected:** IC 12-15.

**Synopsis:** Guardian reimbursement and Medicaid eligibility. Specifies that an amount not to exceed \$175 a month in court ordered guardianship fees for an individual who is in an institution is exempt from Medicaid income eligibility consideration.

**Effective:** July 1, 2017.

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January 10, 2017, read first time and referred to Committee on Family and Children Services.  
January 23, 2017, reported favorably — Do Pass.

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SB 396—LS 7078/DI 104





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First Regular Session 120th General Assembly (2017)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2016 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning Medicaid.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

1 SECTION 1. IC 12-15-7-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 2. **(a)** Fifty-two dollars  
3 (\$52) monthly may be exempt from income eligibility consideration.  
4 **(b) This subsection applies to an individual who is in an**  
5 **institution. In addition to the amount specified in subsection (a), an**  
6 **amount in court ordered guardianship fees not to exceed one**  
7 **hundred seventy-five dollars (\$175) monthly is exempt from**  
8 **income eligibility consideration.**

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COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Family and Children Services, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 396, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill DO PASS.

(Reference is to SB 396 as introduced.)

GROOMS, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0

