

First Regular Session 120th General Assembly (2017)

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## SENATE ENROLLED ACT No. 412

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AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning higher education and human services.

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

SECTION 1. IC 4-4-33-2 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW SECTION** TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: **Sec. 2. Except as otherwise provided under federal law, the money in an account (as defined in IC 21-9-2-2) of an education savings program (as defined in IC 21-9-2-11) may not be considered as a resource or asset in determining an applicant's or recipient's eligibility for home energy assistance through the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Block Grant under 42 U.S.C. 8621 et seq.**

SECTION 2. IC 12-14-1-1.3 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW SECTION** TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: **Sec. 1.3. Except as otherwise provided under federal law, the money in an account (as defined in IC 21-9-2-2) of an education savings program (as defined in IC 21-9-2-11) may not be considered as a resource or asset in determining an applicant's or recipient's eligibility for assistance under TANF.**

SECTION 3. IC 12-15-3-8 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW SECTION** TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: **Sec. 8. Except as otherwise provided under federal law, the money in an account (as defined in IC 21-9-2-2) of an education savings program (as defined in IC 21-9-2-11) may not be**

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**considered as a resource or asset in determining an applicant's or recipient's eligibility for Medicaid.**

SECTION 4. IC 12-17.6-3-2.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS** [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: **Sec. 2.5. Except as otherwise provided under federal law, the money in an account (as defined in IC 21-9-2-2) of an education savings program (as defined in IC 21-9-2-11) may not be considered as a resource or asset in determining an applicant's or recipient's eligibility for the program.**

SECTION 5. IC 21-9-7-2 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]. **Sec. 2. The amount of money available in an account and the proposed use of money in an account on behalf of an account beneficiary may not be considered by the commission for higher education under IC 21-12-3, IC 21-12-4, IC 21-12-5, IC 21-13-2, IC 21-13-7, or IC 21-13-8 when determining award amounts under another program administered by the commission for higher education.**

SECTION 6. IC 21-12-1.2-3 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS** [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: **Sec. 3. Except as otherwise provided under federal law, the money in an account (as defined in IC 21-9-2-2) of an education savings program (as defined in IC 21-9-2-11) may not be considered as a resource or asset in determining an applicant's or recipient's eligibility for any scholarship, grant, or award administered by the commission.**



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President of the Senate

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President Pro Tempore

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

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Governor of the State of Indiana

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