

SENATE RESOLUTION No. ____

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

A SENATE RESOLUTION urging the legislative council to assign the topic of a SNAP Restaurant Meal Program to the appropriate study committee.

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_____, read first time and referred to Committee on



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MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

1 A SENATE RESOLUTION urging the legislative council
2 to assign the topic of a SNAP Restaurant Meal Program to the
3 appropriate study committee.

4 *Whereas, The SNAP Restaurant Meal Program is a special*
5 *state-run program that allows elderly, homeless, and disabled*
6 *SNAP recipients to purchase food at SNAP authorized*
7 *restaurants using their SNAP EBT cards;*

8 *Whereas, The SNAP Restaurant Meal Program began as a*
9 *pilot program in the early 2000s;*

10 *Whereas, The SNAP Restaurant Meal Program has already*
11 *been successfully implemented in numerous states, such as*
12 *Arizona and West Virginia;*

13 *Whereas, 834,530 Hoosiers, 239,540 of whom are children,*
14 *face hunger;*

15 *Whereas, Many elderly, disabled, and homeless SNAP*
16 *recipients do not have adequate means to prepare meals; and*



1 *Whereas, It is important for the Indiana Senate to remain*
2 *cognizant of issues affecting the quality of life of Hoosiers:*
3 *Therefore,*

4 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the*
5 *General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

6 SECTION 1. That the Indiana State Senate urges the
7 legislative council to assign the topic of a SNAP Restaurant
8 Meal Program to the appropriate study committee.

