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BY: Finance Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 279
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “and Zucker” and substitute “Zucker, Augustine, Hayes, Hershey, Jennings, Kelley, and Reilly”; in lines 5 and 6, in each instance, after “organizations” insert “and area agencies on aging”; in line 7, after “grant,” insert “requiring the Department to publicize the availability of certain State grants to eligible organizations at least a certain time period before the applications are due;”; in line 8, after “organization” insert “or area agency on aging”; and in line 9, after “budget,” insert “requiring the Department to notify a certain area agency on aging within a certain period of time after a grant is awarded to a nonprofit within the agency’s jurisdiction;”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 5, after “ORGANIZATIONS” insert “AND AREA AGENCIES ON AGING”; in lines 7 and 24, in each instance, after “ORGANIZATION” insert “OR AREA AGENCY ON AGING”; after line 25, insert:

“(E) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PUBLICIZE THE AVAILABILITY OF GRANT OPPORTUNITIES UNDER THE AGING-IN-PLACE PROGRAM TO ELIGIBLE ORGANIZATIONS AT LEAST 6 WEEKS BEFORE GRANT APPLICATIONS ARE DUE.”;

and in line 26, strike “(E)” and substitute “(F)”.

On page 3, in line 2, after “DEPARTMENT” insert “IN CONSULTATION WITH AREA AGENCIES ON AGING AND IN ALIGNMENT WITH AREA PLANS ON AGING”; in line 3, strike “(F)” and substitute “(G)”; after line 4, insert:

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“(H) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL NOTIFY AN AREA AGENCY ON AGING WITHIN 2 WEEKS AFTER A GRANT AWARD TO A NONPROFIT LOCATED WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THE AREA AGENCY ON AGING.”;

and in line 5, strike “(G)” and substitute “(I)”.