

HB1163/206387/3

BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1163
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 3, strike “certain” and substitute “large”; in line 4, after “children;” insert “requiring the State Department of Education to adopt certain regulations; providing that, in a large family child care home, there may not be more than a certain number of children in certain care at certain times, and there shall be a limit on the number of children under a specified age and an adult to child ratio that comply with certain regulations; making certain requirements of law that apply to family child care homes applicable to large family child care homes;”; in line 5, after “size;” insert “authorizing certain grants to certain child care homes under certain circumstances; requiring the Department to adopt certain regulations on or before a certain date;”; in line 6, strike “defining certain terms” and substitute “altering certain definitions”; in line 7, after “Code;” insert “providing for a delayed effective date for certain provisions of this Act;”; in line 8, after “to” insert “family child care and large”; in line 11, strike the third comma and substitute “and”; in the same line, strike the fourth comma and substitute a semicolon; in line 14, strike “(d), 5-559.5(b),” and substitute “(d), and 5-559.5(b) to be under the amended part “Part V. Family Child Care Homes and Large Family Child Care Homes”; and”; in line 16, after the second comma insert “and”; and in the same line, strike “, and 14-202(a)(3)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, in line 8, strike “Department” and substitute “STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION”; in line 25, after the second comma insert “LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES,”; after line 26, insert:

“Part V. Family [Day] CHILD Care Homes AND LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES.”;

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in line 31, strike “no more than eight”; in the same line, strike “day” and substitute “CHILD”; and in the same line, after “home” insert “OR A REGISTERED LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME”.

On page 5, in lines 3, 4, 7, 12, 13, and 16, in each instance, after “homes” insert “AND LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES” .

On page 6, in line 2, after “home” insert “, LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME,”; in lines 17 and 20, in each instance, after “home” insert “AND LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME”; in lines 24 and 28, in each instance, after “home” insert “OR LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME”; in lines 26 and 30, in each instance, after “home” insert “, LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME,”; and in line 30, strike the second “day” and substitute “CHILD”.

On page 7, in lines 6, 7, 11, 13, and 27, in each instance, after “home” insert “OR LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME”; and in lines 9, 15, 18, 19, and 21, in each instance, after “home’s” insert “OR LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME’S”.

On page 8, in lines 9 and 18, in each instance, after “home” insert “OR LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME”; in line 16, strike “Administration” and substitute “DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES”; in the same line, after “department” insert “OF SOCIAL SERVICES”; and in line 17, after “home” insert “, LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME,”.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On pages 8 and 9, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 26 on page 8 through line 2 on page 9, inclusive.

On page 9, after line 2, insert:

“(B) (1) IN A FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME:

(I) THERE MAY NOT BE MORE THAN:

1. 8 CHILDREN IN CARE AT ANY GIVEN TIME; AND

2. 4 CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 2 YEARS; AND

(II) THERE SHALL BE AN ADULT TO CHILD RATIO OF AT LEAST 1 ADULT TO EVERY 2 CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 2 YEARS.

(2) IN A LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME:

(I) THERE MAY NOT BE MORE THAN 12 CHILDREN IN CARE AT ANY GIVEN TIME; AND

(II) THERE SHALL BE A LIMIT ON THE NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 2 YEARS AND AN ADULT TO CHILD RATIO THAT COMPLY WITH REGULATIONS ADOPTED BY THE DEPARTMENT UNDER § 5-551 OF THIS PART V OF THIS SUBTITLE.”;

in lines 4 and 6, in each instance, after “home” insert “**OR LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME**”; and in line 32, after “the” insert “**UNREGISTERED**”.

On page 10, in line 6, after “homes” insert “**AND LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES**”; and in lines 17, 21, 24, and 25, in each instance, after “home” insert “**OR LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME**”.

On page 12, in lines 6, 11, 18, and 22, in each instance, after “home” insert “**OR LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME**”.

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On page 15, in line 17, after “homes” insert “AND LARGE FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES”.

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On pages 15 and 16, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 29 on page 15 through line 4 on page 16, inclusive, and substitute:

“SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, on or before January 1, 2012, the State Department of Education shall adopt regulations that relate to the registration of large family child care homes, as required under § 5-551(a) of the Family Law Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act.”.

On page 16, in lines 5 and 9, strike “2.” and “3.”, respectively, and substitute “3.” and “5.”, respectively; in line 6, after “Code” insert “, in consultation with and subject to the approval of the Department of Legislative Services,”; in the same line, strike “reference” and substitute “references”; in line 7, after “care” insert “, “family day care home” to be “family child care home”, and “day care provider” to be “child care provider”.”; after line 8, insert:

“SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Sections 1 and 3 of this Act shall take effect January 1, 2012.”;

in line 9, after “That” insert “, except as provided in Section 4 of this Act,”; and in line 10, strike “October” and substitute “July”.