

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Appropriations.

HB19-1005 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 3, strike lines 5 through 17 and substitute:

2        "(c) "ELIGIBLE EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATOR" MEANS AN  
3 INDIVIDUAL WITH A FEDERAL ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME LESS THAN OR  
4 EQUAL TO SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR AN INDIVIDUAL FILING  
5 A SINGLE RETURN, OR WITH A FEDERAL ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME LESS  
6 THAN OR EQUAL TO EIGHTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR AN INDIVIDUAL  
7 FILING A JOINT RETURN, WHO, FOR AT LEAST SIX MONTHS OF THE INCOME  
8 TAX YEAR FOR WHICH THE CREDIT IS CLAIMED, HOLDS AN EARLY  
9 CHILDHOOD PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIAL AND IS EITHER THE LICENSEE OF  
10 AN ELIGIBLE PROGRAM OR EMPLOYED BY AN ELIGIBLE PROGRAM.

11        (d) "ELIGIBLE PROGRAM" MEANS EITHER AN EARLY CHILDHOOD  
12 EDUCATION PROGRAM AS DEFINED IN SECTION 26-6.5-101.5 (6.5), OR A  
13 LICENSED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME. AN ELIGIBLE PROGRAM MUST:

14            (I) HAVE HELD AT LEAST A LEVEL TWO QUALITY RATING PURSUANT  
15 TO THE COLORADO SHINES QUALITY RATING AND IMPROVEMENT SYSTEM  
16 ESTABLISHED IN SECTION 26-6.5-106 FOR THE INCOME TAX YEAR FOR  
17 WHICH THE CREDIT IS CLAIMED; AND

18            (II) FOR THE INCOME TAX YEAR FOR WHICH THE CREDIT IS  
19 CLAIMED, EITHER:

20              (A) HAVE FISCAL AGREEMENTS WITH THE CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE  
21 PROGRAM, OR CCCAP, ESTABLISHED IN PART 8 OF ARTICLE 2 OF TITLE 26;  
22 OR

23              (B) BE AN EARLY HEAD START OR HEAD START PROGRAM THAT  
24 MEETS FEDERAL STANDARDS.".

25 Page 3, line 26, strike "JANUARY 1, 2019, BUT BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2024,"  
26 and substitute "JANUARY 1, 2020, BUT BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2025,".

27 Page 4, line 5, strike "ONE THOUSAND" and substitute "FIVE HUNDRED".

28 Page 4, lines 7 and 8, strike "ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED" and  
29 substitute "SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY".

30 Page 4, line 8, strike "AND".

31 Page 4, strike lines 9 through 11 and substitute:

32        "(C) EARLY CHILDHOOD PROFESSIONAL III EQUALS ONE THOUSAND  
33 DOLLARS; AND

34        (D) EARLY CHILDHOOD PROFESSIONAL IV, EARLY CHILDHOOD

1 PROFESSIONAL V, AND EARLY CHILDHOOD PROFESSIONAL VI EQUALS FIVE  
2 HUNDRED DOLLARS.".

3 Page 4, line 13, strike "JANUARY 1, 2020," and substitute "JANUARY 1,  
4 2021,".

5 Page 4, after line 19 insert:

6 "(5) NO LATER THAN JANUARY 1, 2021, AND EACH JANUARY 1  
7 THEREAFTER THROUGH JANUARY 1, 2025, THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN  
8 SERVICES SHALL PROVIDE THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE WITH AN  
9 ELECTRONIC REPORT OF EACH INDIVIDUAL WHO HELD AN EARLY  
10 CHILDHOOD PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIAL DURING THE PREVIOUS CALENDAR  
11 YEAR FOR WHICH THE CREDIT IS ALLOWED. THE REPORT MUST INCLUDE  
12 THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION, IF AVAILABLE:

13 (a) THE NAME OF THE INDIVIDUAL WHO HOLDS THE EARLY  
14 CHILDHOOD PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIAL;

15 (b) THE INDIVIDUAL'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER OR TAX  
16 IDENTIFICATION NUMBER;

17 (c) THE LEVEL OF EARLY CHILDHOOD PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIAL  
18 HELD BY THE INDIVIDUAL; AND

19 (d) THE TIME PERIOD DURING WHICH THE INDIVIDUAL HELD THE  
20 EARLY CHILDHOOD PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIAL.".

21 Renumber succeeding subsection accordingly.

22 Page 4, line 20, strike "DECEMBER 31, 2028." and substitute "DECEMBER  
23 31, 2029.".

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