

ASSEMBLY, No. 1796

STATE OF NEW JERSEY 216th LEGISLATURE

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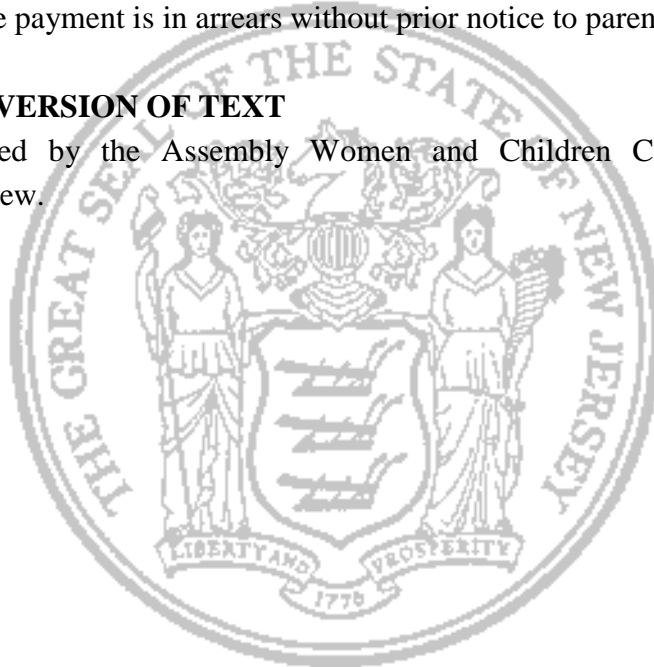
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SYNOPSIS

Prohibits school district from denying student school breakfast or school lunch because payment is in arrears without prior notice to parent.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As reported by the Assembly Women and Children Committee with technical review.



(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 12/19/2014)

1 AN ACT concerning school meals and supplementing chapter 33 of
2 Title 18A of the New Jersey Statutes.

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4 **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
5 *of New Jersey:*

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7 1. In the event that a school district determines that a student's
8 school breakfast or school lunch bill is in arrears, the district shall
9 contact the student's parent or guardian to provide notice of the
10 arrearage and shall provide the parent or guardian with a period of
11 10 school days to pay the amount due. If the student's parent or
12 guardian has not made full payment by the end of the 10 school
13 days, then the district shall again contact the student's parent or
14 guardian to provide notice that school breakfast or school lunch, as
15 applicable, shall not be served to the student beginning one week
16 from the date of the second notice unless payment is made in full.

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18 2. This act shall take effect immediately.