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SYNOPSIS

Establishes State supplement for federal summer food service program meals.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As reported by the Assembly Women and Children Committee on June 16, 2021, with amendments.

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A5882 [1R] COUGHLIN, ARMATO

1	AN ACT	concerning	summer	food	service	programs	and
2	supplementing Title 18A of the New Jersey Statutes.						

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

- 1. a. The Department of Agriculture, in consultation with the Department of Education, shall provide a 10-cent per meal supplement to the existing federal reimbursement to operators of the federal summer food service program.
- b. The Department of Agriculture, in consultation with the Department of Education, shall provide guidance and support to school districts necessary to effectuate the purposes of this act.
- c. The Department of Agriculture, in consultation with the Department of Education, shall prepare and issue an annual report to the Governor and, pursuant to section 2 of P.L.1991, c.164 (C.52:14-19.1), to the Legislature on the annual cost of the summer food service program supplement to the State per month, and the number of additional students, since the prior year, participating in the summer food service program.
 - d. The Legislature shall annually appropriate such funds as are necessary to implement this act.

2. This act shall take effect June 1, ¹[2023] <u>2022</u>¹.

EXPLANATION – Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.