AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1319

Sponsor: REPRESENTATIVE MARSHALL

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- Amend Bill, page 3, lines 17 through 19, by striking out "The 1
- contract executed by the" in line 17 and all of lines 18 and 19 2
- and inserting 3
- The contract executed by the department and a person or 4
- legal entity to serve as investment managers, program managers
- and trustees to the department on behalf of the program.
- 7 Amend Bill, page 4, lines 19 through 21, by striking out all
- 8 of lines 19 and 20 and "(3)" in line 21 and inserting
- 9 (2)
- 10 Amend Bill, page 4, lines 24 and 25, by striking out
- "Exemption. -- A qualified ABLE program shall be exempt" in line 11
- 12 24 and all of line 25 and inserting
- 13 (Reserved).
- Amend Bill, page 4, lines 29 and 30, by striking out "\$14,000 14
- for the calendar year in which the taxable year begins" and 15
- 16 inserting
- any limit set forth in IRC § 529A 17
- Amend Bill, page 5, line 1, by striking out "The" and 18
- 19 inserting
- 20 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the
- 21 Amend Bill, page 5, lines 3 and 4, by striking out "the
- Stephen Beck, Jr., ABLE Act of 2014 (Pub. L. 113-295, div. B, 22
- \$1(a), 128 Stat. 4056)" and inserting 23
- 24 IRC § 529A
- Amend Bill, page 5, lines 14 through 16, by striking out "one 25

1 or more financial institutions." in line 14 and all of lines 15

2 and 16 and inserting

a legal entity. If the department contracts with investment managers, program managers or trustees in order to fulfill the objectives of this act, the investment managers, program managers and trustees must work with the department to create a program, to develop investment portfolios and to supervise investments and the investment programs selected.

9 Amend Bill, page 5, line 28, by striking out "single"

Amend Bill, page 5, line 28, by inserting after "account"

11 limitation

12 Amend Bill, page 5, line 29, by inserting after "limit"

as required in IRC § 529A

Amend Bill, page 7, by inserting between lines 17 and 18

15 (2.1) The department shall prepare, and through the
16 Governor, submit annually to the General Assembly a budget
17 covering the operating and administrative expenses of the
18 program. Upon approval by the General Assembly in an
19 appropriation bill, expenses incurred by the program and the
20 department shall be paid from the fees and charges or from
21 other funds available.

22 Amend Bill, page 9, lines 3 through 10, by striking out all

23 of said lines and inserting

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24 Section 7. Powers of the department.

In addition to any other powers granted under this act, the department shall have the power to carry out this act, including, but not limited to, the power to do any of the following:

- (1) Administer the program and the ABLE savings program fund.
- (2) Enter into contracts with individuals for the creation of an ABLE savings account.
- (3) Pay to an account owner, eligible individual or a third party authorized by the account owner, upon receipt of appropriate documentation if required by the department, funds from the account to pay for the eligible individual's qualified disability expenses.
- (4) Contract for goods and services and engage and employ personnel, including, but not limited to, the service of private consultants, actuaries, managers, legal counsel and auditors for rendering professional, managerial and technical assistance and advice.

- (5) Solicit and accept gifts, grants, loans and other aid from any person, corporation or other entity or from Federal, State or local government and participate in any Federal, State or local government program that results in additional funds being available to pay for the qualified disability expense of eligible individuals with ABLE savings accounts.
- (6) Charge and collect administrative fees and charges in connection with any transaction, including continued participation in the ABLE program.
- (7) Close ABLE savings accounts and return any remaining funds, minus any fees, to the account owner.
- (8) Contract for insurance, letters of credit and collateral agreements.
 - (9) Adjust the terms of contracts with account owners.
- (10) Solicit answers from the appropriate Federal agencies regarding the application of security or other Federal laws to the program.
- (11) Consider means by which contributions into an ABLE savings account can be deducted from salary.
 - (12) Promulgate regulations.
- (13) Take any other action necessary to carry out the purpose of this act and incidental to the duties imposed on the Secretary of the Treasury.
- 25 Amend Bill, page 9, line 11, by striking out "7" and
- 26 inserting
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- 28 Amend Bill, page 9, line 26, by striking out "8" and
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- 31 Amend Bill, page 10, line 18, by striking out "9" and
- 32 inserting
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- Amend Bill, page 10, line 19, by striking out "on a monthly
- 35 basis"
- 36 Amend Bill, page 10, line 23, by striking out "10" and
- 37 inserting
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- 39 Amend Bill, page 10, line 26, by striking out "11" and
- 40 inserting

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- 2 Amend Bill, page 11, lines 14 through 30; page 12, lines 1
- 3 through 12; by striking out all of said lines on said pages
- 4 Amend Bill, page 12, line 13, by striking out "12" and
- 5 inserting
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- 7 Amend Bill, page 12, line 27, by striking out "13" and
- 8 inserting
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- Amend Bill, page 13, line 9, by striking out "14" and
- 11 inserting
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- Amend Bill, page 13, line 15, by striking out "15" and
- 14 inserting
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