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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to S.P. 89, L.D. 202, “An Act to Increase the Number of Children a Family Child Care Provider May Care for Without Having to Be Licensed by the Department of Health and Human Services”

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'An Act to Increase the Number of Children a Child Care Provider May Care for Without Having to Be Licensed by the Department of Health and Human Services'

Amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph C in the 5th line (page 1, line 8 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "other children" the following: ';

Amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph C in the 5th line (page 1, line 8 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "siblings" the following: ', and no more than 3 of the total number of children in the provider's care are under 2 years of age'

Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

SUMMARY

This amendment keeps the changes to the number of children that an unlicensed provider can care for proposed in the bill as long as no more than 3 of the total number of children in the provider's care are under 2 years of age. The amendment also changes the title to reflect the substance of the bill.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)