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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to S.P. 540, L.D. 1679, “An Act To Address Student Hunger through Expanding Access to Free School Meals”

Amend the bill by inserting after section 6 the following:

Sec. 7. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

**EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF
School Finance and Operations Z078**

Initiative: Provides ongoing funds beginning in fiscal year 2022-23 for the costs to the State to pay the difference between the federal reimbursement for a free breakfast or lunch and the full price of a breakfast or lunch for each student that is ineligible for a free or reduced-price lunch.

GENERAL FUND	2021-22	2022-23
All Other	\$0	\$34,021,267
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$34,021,267

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

SUMMARY

This amendment, which is the majority report of the committee, adds an appropriations and allocations section.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT