
HOUSE BILL No. 1062

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 12-7-2-33.7.

Synopsis: Class I child care homes. Allows a class I child care home to serve a school age child during a break in the school year that exceeds four weeks if: (1) the school age child was at the home part-time during the four months preceding the break or has a sibling attending the child care home; and (2) the child care home and its licensee meet certain requirements. (The introduced version of this bill was prepared by the board for the coordination of child care regulation.)

Effective: July 1, 2001.

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January 8, 2001, read first time and referred to Committee on Human Affairs.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 12-7-2-33.7 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
 2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 33.7. (a) As used in this
 3 chapter, "class I child care home" means a child care home that serves
 4 any combination of full-time and part-time children, not to exceed at
 5 any one (1) time twelve (12) children plus three (3) children during the
 6 school year only who are enrolled in at least grade 1. **Except as**
 7 **provided in subsection (c)**, the addition of three (3) school age
 8 children may not occur during a break in the school year that exceeds
 9 four (4) weeks.
 10 (b) A child:
 11 (1) for whom a provider of care in the child care home is a parent,
 12 stepparent, guardian, custodian, or other relative; and
 13 (2) who is at least seven (7) years of age;
 14 shall not be counted in determining whether the child care home is
 15 within the limit set forth in subsection (a).
 16 **(c) A child care home may serve a school age child during a**
 17 **break in the school year that exceeds four (4) weeks if the following**



- 1 conditions are met:
2 (1) The school age child:
3 (A) was in the home part-time during the four (4) months
4 preceding the break; or
5 (B) has a sibling attending the child care home.
6 (2) The child care home meets the following requirements:
7 (A) Provides at least thirty-five (35) square feet for each
8 child.
9 (B) Maintains the child to staff ratio required under rules
10 adopted by the division for each age group of children in
11 attendance.
12 (C) Provides age appropriate toys, games, equipment, and
13 activities for each age group of children enrolled.
14 (D) If the licensee does not reside in the child care home,
15 the child care home has:
16 (i) at least two (2) exits that comply with the exit
17 requirements for an E-3 building occupancy
18 classification under the Indiana building code adopted
19 by the fire prevention and building safety commission;
20 (ii) an illuminated exit sign over each required exit; and
21 (iii) emergency lighting for each required exit.
22 (3) The licensee for the child care home has maintained a class
23 I child care home license for at least twelve (12) children:
24 (A) for at least one (1) year; and
25 (B) without any citations for noncompliance.

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