



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6

LCO No. 601



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Referred to Committee on COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN

Introduced by:

SEN. LOONEY, 11th Dist.
SEN. DUFF, 25th Dist.
SEN. ANWAR, 3rd Dist.
SEN. CABRERA, 17th Dist.
SEN. COHEN, 12th Dist.
SEN. FLEXER, 29th Dist.
SEN. GADKAR-WILCOX, 22nd Dist.
SEN. GASTON, 23rd Dist.
SEN. HARTLEY, 15th Dist.
SEN. HOCHADEL, 13th Dist.
SEN. HONIG, 8th Dist.
SEN. KUSHNER, 24th Dist.

SEN. LESSER, 9th Dist.
SEN. LOPES, 6th Dist.
SEN. MAHER, 26th Dist.
SEN. MARONEY, 14th Dist.
SEN. MARX, 20th Dist.
SEN. MCCRORY, 2nd Dist.
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SEN. OSTEN, 19th Dist.
SEN. RAHMAN, 4th Dist.
SEN. SLAP, 5th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING SUPPORTS FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 That (1) chapter 229 of the general statutes be amended to establish a
2 refundable child tax credit against the personal income tax for up to
3 three children for tax filers with a federal adjusted gross income of one
4 hundred thousand dollars or less for single filers or two hundred
5 thousand dollars or less for married individuals filing jointly, and (2) for
6 the fiscal year ending June 30, 2027, the appropriation to the Department
7 of Education be increased to provide (A) breakfast at no cost to students

8 in schools participating in the school breakfast program, and (B) lunch
9 at no cost to students eligible for reduced-price meals in schools
10 participating in the national school lunch program.

Statement of Purpose:

To improve the well-being of children and families.