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The amendment changes the amount and use of potential lapsing funds from the Aspiring Educators Scholarship Program account within the State Department of Education (SDE) in FY 26. The amendment allows SDE to use up to \$300,000 of expected lapsing funds from the account for the paraeducator healthcare subsidy program to include charter school paraeducators who are employed in FY 27.

The amendment also requires the Office of the State Comptroller (OSC) to calculate the cost of including paraeducators who work in charter schools in the healthcare subsidy program, which has no fiscal impact as it is anticipated OSC has the necessary expertise to meet the requirement.

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