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118TH CONGRESS
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H. R. _____

To amend the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act with respect to reimbursements under the child and adult care food program, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

M____. _____ introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on _____

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Child Care Nutrition
5 Enhancement Act of 2023”.

1 **SEC. 2. REIMBURSEMENTS UNDER CACFP PROGRAM.**

2 (a) ADDITIONAL REIMBURSEMENTS.—Section 17 of
3 the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act (42
4 U.S.C. 1766) is amended—

5 (1) in subsection (c)—

6 (A) in paragraphs (1), (2), and (3), by in-
7 serting “and subject to paragraph (7)” after
8 “subsection (f)(3)” each place it appears; and

9 (B) by adding at the end the following:

10 “(7) ADDITIONAL REIMBURSEMENT.—Beginning on
11 the first day of the first month that begins after the date
12 of the enactment of this paragraph, each meal and supple-
13 ment served under this section shall receive an additional
14 reimbursement in the amount of 10 cents (as adjusted
15 pursuant to section 11(a) of this Act).”;

16 (2) in subsection (f)(2)(A), by striking “multi-
17 plying the” and all that follows through the period
18 at the end and inserting the following: “multi-
19 plying—

20 “(i) the total number of each type of
21 meal (breakfast, lunch, or supper) or sup-
22 plement served in such institution in that
23 fiscal year, by

24 “(ii) the sum obtained by adding the
25 applicable national average payment rate
26 for each such type of meal or supplement,

1 as determined under subsection (c), to the
2 additional reimbursement amount required
3 under paragraph (7) of such subsection.”;

4 (3) in subsection (o)(3)(A), by inserting “(in-
5 cluding the additional reimbursement amount re-
6 quired under subsection (c)(7))” before the period at
7 the end;

8 (4) in subsection (r)(4)(B)—

9 (A) in clause (i), by inserting “plus the ad-
10 ditional reimbursement amount required under
11 paragraph (7) of such subsection” before the
12 period at the end; and

13 (B) in clause (ii), by inserting “plus the
14 additional reimbursement amount required
15 under subsection (c)(7)” before the period at
16 the end; and

17 (5) in subsection (t)(5)(B), by inserting “plus
18 the additional reimbursement amount required
19 under paragraph (7) of such subsection” before the
20 period at the end.

21 (b) REIMBURSEMENT OF FAMILY OR GROUP DAY
22 CARE HOME SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS.—Section
23 17(f)(3) of the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch
24 Act (42 U.S.C. 1766(f)(3)) is amended—

25 (1) in subparagraph (A)—

- 1 (A) in clause (ii)—
- 2 (i) by amending the heading to read
- 3 as follows “CALCULATION OF REIMBURSE-
- 4 MENT”;
- 5 (ii) by striking subclause (I);
- 6 (iii) by redesignating subclauses (II),
- 7 (III), and (IV) as subclauses (I), (II), and
- 8 (III), respectively;
- 9 (iv) in subclause (I), as so redesign-
- 10 nated—
- 11 (I) by striking “subclause (III), a
- 12 tier I” and inserting “subclause (II),
- 13 a”; and
- 14 (II) by striking “, except that”
- 15 and all that follows through “section
- 16 9”;
- 17 (v) in subclause (II), as so redesign-
- 18 nated—
- 19 (I) by striking “subclause (IV)”
- 20 and inserting “subclause (III)”;
- 21 (II) by striking “subclause (II)”
- 22 and inserting “subclause (I)”;
- 23 (vi) by adding at the end the fol-
- 24 lowing:

1 “(IV) ADDITIONAL REIMBURSE-
2 MENT.—The additional reimburse-
3 ment amount required under sub-
4 section (c)(7) shall apply to the reim-
5 bursements of meals and supplements
6 under this subparagraph.”.

7 (B) by striking clause (iii); and
8 (2) by striking subparagraph (E).