

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
SENATE BILL 213**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, after the first semicolon insert
2 “creating new provisions;”.

3 In line 5, after “section” insert “and section 2 of this 2015 Act”.

4 On page 3, after line 16, insert:

5 **“SECTION 2. (1) The Early Learning Council shall conduct an**
6 **evaluation of Early Learning Hubs that assesses the efficacy of the**
7 **Early Learning Hubs with respect to:**

8 **“(a) Creating an aligned, coordinated and family-centered system**
9 **of early learning services;**

10 **“(b) Increasing coordination and collaboration among entities in-**
11 **involved in, and providers of services related to, early learning services,**
12 **education and health and human services;**

13 **“(c) Increasing focus on outcomes; and**

14 **“(d) Improving outcomes, including but not limited to outcomes**
15 **associated with school readiness, for populations defined by statute or**
16 **rule as being at-risk.**

17 **“(2) The evaluation performed under subsection (1) of this section**
18 **must also assess, with respect to Early Learning Hubs:**

19 **“(a) Governance structure;**

20 **“(b) Funding mechanisms and metrics for providing funding; and**

21 **“(c) Compilation and use of data.**

22 **“(3) The council may contract with a third party to perform the**

1 **evaluation required by this section.**

2 **“(4) No later than February 1, 2016, the council shall submit a re-**
3 **port to the interim legislative committees on education and early**
4 **learning regarding the findings and recommendations made as a result**
5 **of the evaluation performed under this section. The report shall in-**
6 **clude recommendations for legislative changes based upon the findings**
7 **and recommendations made as a result of the evaluation.”.**

8 In line 17, delete “2” and insert “3”.

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