

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

SB 556

Relating to management of resources for benefit of persons in custody of Department of Human Services.

To: Ways and Means Full Committee
From: Human Services Subcommittee
Carrier: Senator Gelser Blouin

SB 556 prohibits any money received on behalf of a child ward to be used for maintenance costs by the Department of Human Services, except for child support and any monies required by federal law. Money received on behalf of a child ward must be deposited into an account established with Treasury.

The -A4 amendment includes \$464,369 General Fund and \$117,722 Federal Funds to backfill the redirection of 12% of supplemental security income from maintenance costs to individual accounts.

The Human Services Subcommittee recommends SB 556 be amended by the -A4 amendment and be reported out do pass, as amended.