

6th Sub. H.B. 88
Public Assistance Amendments

House Amendments

Amendment 3

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Representative **Andrew Stoddard** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Line 15 through 20:*

- 15 →provides that the Office of the Legislative Auditor General may conduct a certain audit
16 under certain circumstances;
17 →provides for criminal or civil penalties under certain circumstances;
 →**requires that certain taxes paid by an unlawfully present individual to be deposited
into the General Fund for certain uses;** and
18 →makes technical and conforming changes.

19 **Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

20 None

2. *Line 136 through 142:*

136 (b) An agency or political subdivision may not adopt variations under Subsection (7)(a)
137 that expand eligibility of public benefits to individuals without lawful presence in the
138 United States.

139 (8) (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of state law, **except as provided in Subsection**
 (13), an agency or political
140 subdivision of the state may not provide a state or local public benefit that is funded
141 by state or local funds, including non-emergency medical health care, local- or
142 state-administered health care or health insurance, housing assistance, food

3. *Line 180:*

180 to administer or make policy for a state agency, and who knowingly violates or allows
181 an employee to violate this section, may be subject to removal from office in accordance
182 with the state agency's or department's procedures.

**(13) Taxes collected, other than income tax or gas tax, from an unlawfully present
individual shall be deposited into the General Fund to be disbursed to a state agency or
political subdivision of the state for the purpose of providing a state or federal public benefit to
the unlawfully present individual.**