

S.B. 214

Home-based Childcare Solutions

Senate Amendments

Amendment 1

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Senator **Luz Escamilla** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Line 389 through 397:*

389 one, or a combination of factors that:

390 (a) expand child care capacity;

391 (b) operate within a child care desert;

392 (c) **operate within a rural area of the state as that term is defined in Section 35A-8-501;**

(d) (i) operate in a location that is not in proximity to a licensed child care provider;

(ii) the office shall define "proximity" in rule, in accordance with Subsection (11).

(e) operate during non-traditional hours;

393 {~~(d)~~ (f) participate in CCQS; or

394 {~~(e)~~ (g) other factors determined by the office by rule, in accordance with Subsection (11).

395 (6) (a) A grant recipient shall use a grant award for:

396 (i) expenses directly related to obtaining and maintaining a license from the

397 Department of Health and Human Services;