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LEGISLATIVE BILL 357

Introduced by Walz, 15.

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Committee: Health and Human Services

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Disabled Persons and Family Support
- 2 Act; to amend section 68-1512, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska;
- 3 to change the maximum support allowable under the Disabled Persons
- 4 and Family Support Act; and to repeal the original section.
- 5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 68-1512, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
2 amended to read:

3 68-1512 (1) The maximum support allowable under sections 68-1501 to
4 68-1519 shall be (a) six ~~(1) three~~ hundred dollars per month per disabled
5 person averaged over any one-year period or (b) six ~~(2) three~~ hundred
6 dollars per month per family averaged over any one-year period for the
7 first disabled family member plus three ~~one~~ hundred fifty dollars per
8 month averaged over any one-year period for each additional disabled
9 family member. The department shall not provide support, pursuant to
10 sections 68-1501 to 68-1519, to any family or disabled person whose gross
11 income less the cost of medical or other care specifically related to the
12 disability exceeds the median family income for a family of four in
13 Nebraska, except that the department shall make adjustments for the
14 actual size of the family.

15 (2) It is the intent of the Legislature that any appropriation
16 relating to this section be increased accordingly so that each person who
17 received support prior to the effective date of this act will continue to
18 receive support.

19 Sec. 2. Original section 68-1512, Reissue Revised Statutes of
20 Nebraska, is repealed.