

**BILL SUMMARY**  
1<sup>st</sup> Session of the 56<sup>th</sup> Legislature

<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>SB 301</b>
<b>Version:</b>	<b>CS</b>
<b>Request Number:</b>	<b>7506</b>
<b>Author:</b>	<b>Rep. Echols</b>
<b>Date:</b>	<b>4/17/2017</b>
<b>Impact:</b>	<b>Unknown number of added students</b> <b>Scholarships range from \$4,000-\$10,000 each</b>

**Research Analysis**

The CS restores the title.

The bill modifies the Lindsey Nicole Henry Scholarship program by providing eligibility for students on an individualized service plan prepared by the Department of Human Services (DHS) for a child that has been adjudicated to be a deprived child. Additionally, it exempts students who were in out-of-home placement or were adopted while in the permanent custody of DHS, or were in out-of-home placement with the Office of Juvenile Affairs, from the attendance, IEP, and ISP requirement.

Prepared By: Scott Tohlen

**Fiscal Analysis**

CS for ESB 301 relates to the Lindsey Nicole Henry Scholarships for Students with Disabilities Program. A specified individualized service plan is added. Certain students will be exempt from specific requirements, but will meet all other eligibility requirements to participate. Department of Education personnel provide that scholarships per such students range from \$4,000 to \$10,000. It is not known how many additional students will participate in the program.

Prepared By: Andrea Kearney

**Other Considerations**

None