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HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR  
**HOUSE BILL NO. 547**  
**98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

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**AN ACT**

To amend chapter 208, RSMo, by adding thereto two new sections relating to nonmedical public assistance.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 208, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto two new sections, to be  
2 known as sections 208.025 and 208.035, to read as follows:

**208.025. 1. The department of social services shall not seek, apply for, accept, or  
2 renew any waiver of requirements established under 7 U.S.C. Section 2015(o). The  
3 provisions of this subsection shall terminate on January 1, 2019.**

**4 2. Any ongoing savings resulting from a reduction in state expenditures due to  
5 modification of the supplemental nutrition assistance program under this section or the  
6 temporary assistance for needy families program effective on August 28, 2015, and subject  
7 to appropriations, shall be used to provide child care assistance for single parent  
8 households, education assistance, transportation assistance, and job training for  
9 individuals receiving benefits under such programs as allowable under applicable state and  
10 federal law.**

**208.035. 1. No benefit other than cash assistance shall be considered a benefit  
2 granting categorical eligibility for the supplemental nutrition assistance program under  
3 7 U.S.C. Section 2014(a).**

**4 2. The gross income standards of the supplemental nutrition assistance program  
5 shall not exceed the standards specified in 7 U.S.C. Section 2014(c).**

**6 3. The resource limit standards of the supplemental nutrition assistance program  
7 shall not exceed the standards specified in 7 U.S.C. Section 2014(g)(1). No benefit other**

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

8 **than cash assistance shall be considered a benefit exempting households from such**  
9 **resource limits under 7 U.S.C. Section 2014(j).**

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