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HOUSE BILL NO. 673

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTECILLO.

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To amend chapter 160, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to kindergarten.

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

Section A. Chapter 160, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be
2 known as section 160.047, to read as follows:

3 **160.047. The department of elementary and secondary education shall develop a**
4 **process and scoring guide that rewards districts by providing additional performance**
5 **points on the school improvement program for providing full-day kindergarten to students**
6 **who qualify for free or reduced price lunch, students who are receiving special educational**
7 **services under an individualized education program, and students who are identified by**
8 **school staff as at-risk through attendance patterns, disciplinary incidents, or academic**
9 **screening.**

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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.