

1 H.350

2 Introduced by Representative Fisher of Lincoln

3 Referred to Committee on

4 Date:

5 Subject: Human services; incentive program; families receiving reduced price
6 meals; application for 3SquaresVT

7 Statement of purpose: This bill proposes to establish an incentive for families
8 who receive reduced price meals to apply for 3SquaresVT.

9 An act relating to an incentive for families receiving reduced price meals to
10 apply for 3SquaresVT

11 It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

12 Sec. 1. 33 V.S.A. § 1702 is added to read:

13 § 1702. 3SQUARESVT APPLICATION INCENTIVE

14 For the families with children currently receiving reduced price school
15 meals that complete an application for 3SquaresVT, the department for
16 children and families shall provide a one-time \$50.00 incentive in the form of:

17 (1) A payment through any other state public benefit program in which
18 the family is currently enrolled;

19 (2) A credit against health care premiums for any state health insurance
20 program in which the family is currently enrolled;

1 (3) A credit toward a child care co-payment of the family; or

2 (4) A direct payment, if the family is not enrolled in another state public
3 benefit program.

4 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

5 This act shall take effect on July 1, 2011.