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To: House Bill No. 5344

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**"AN ACT CONCERNING CHILDHOOD NUTRITION IN SCHOOLS,
RECESS AND LUNCH BREAKS."**

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2004*) Each local and regional
4 board of education shall require each school under its jurisdiction to
5 (1) offer all full day students a daily lunch period of not less than
6 twenty minutes, and (2) include in the regular school day for each
7 student enrolled in grades kindergarten to five, inclusive, a period of
8 physical exercise, except that a planning and placement team may
9 develop a different schedule for a child requiring special education
10 and related services in accordance with chapter 164 of the general
11 statutes and the Individual With Disabilities Education Act, 20 USC
12 1400 et seq., as amended from time to time. In the event of a conflict
13 with this section and any provision of chapter 164 of the general
14 statutes, such other provision of chapter 164 of the general statutes
15 shall be deemed controlling.

16 Sec. 2. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2004*) Each local and regional board of
17 education shall make available in the schools under its jurisdiction for
18 purchase by students enrolled in such schools nutritious, low-fat foods
19 and drinks, which shall include, but shall not be limited to, low-fat
20 milk, one hundred per cent natural fruit juices and water at all times
21 when drink is available for purchase by students in such schools and
22 low-fat dairy products and fresh or dried fruit at all times when food is
23 available for purchase by students in such schools during the regular
24 school day."

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This act shall take effect as follows:	
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2004</i>
Sec. 2	<i>July 1, 2004</i>