

**H.B. No. 0135****Restrictions on public benefits.**

Sponsored By: Representative(s) Jennings, Clem, Edmonds,  
Edwards, Eklund, Laursen, Lindholm, Miller,  
Pownall, Reeder and Steinmetz and Senator(s)  
Hicks and Meier

AN ACT relating to public benefits; conditioning eligibility for public benefits on lawful presence in the United States; requiring verification of lawful presence in the United States upon application for public benefits; providing a penalty; and providing for an effective date.

2/10/2016 Bill Number Assigned  
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2/12/2016 H Failed Introduction 26-33-1-0-0

**ROLL CALL**

**Ayes:** Representative(s) Baker, Clem, Edmonds, Edwards, Eklund, Greear, Halverson, Jaggi, Jennings, Kasperik, Kroeker, Larsen, Laursen, Lindholm, Loucks, Madden, McKim, Miller, Paxton, Piiparinen, Pownall, Reeder, Steinmetz, Stubson, Wilson, Winters

**Nays:** Representative(s) Allen, Baldwin, Barlow, Berger, Blackburn, Blake, Brown, Burkhardt, Byrd, Campbell, Cannady, Connolly, Dayton, Esquibel, K., Freeman, Harshman, Harvey, Hunt, Kinner, Kirkbride, Krone, Lockhart, Moniz, Nicholas, B., Northrup, Pelkey, Petroff, Schwartz, Sommers, Throne, Walters, Zwonitzer, Dn., Zwonitzer, Dv.

**Excused:** Representative Gay

**Ayes** 26    **Nays** 33    **Excused** 1    **Absent** 0    **Conflicts** 0