

1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 3433 as follows:

1.2 Page 1, after line 5, insert:

1.3 "Sec. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 119B.03, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

1.4 Subd. 4. **Funding priority.** (a) First priority for child care assistance under the
1.5 basic sliding fee program must be given to eligible non-MFIP families who do not have a
1.6 high school or general equivalency diploma or who need remedial and basic skill courses
1.7 in order to pursue employment or to pursue education leading to employment and who
1.8 need child care assistance to participate in the education program. This includes student
1.9 parents as defined under section 119B.011, subdivision 19b. Within this priority, the
1.10 following subpriorities must be used:

1.11 (1) child care needs of minor parents;

1.12 (2) child care needs of parents under 21 years of age; and

1.13 (3) child care needs of other parents within the priority group described in this
1.14 paragraph.

1.15 (b) Second priority must be given to parents who have completed their MFIP or
1.16 DWP transition year, or parents who are no longer receiving or eligible for diversionary
1.17 work program supports.

1.18 (c) Third priority must be given to families who are eligible for portable basic sliding
1.19 fee assistance through the portability pool under subdivision 9.

1.20 (d) Fourth priority must be given to families in which at least one parent is a veteran
1.21 as defined under section 197.447.

1.22 (e) Families under paragraph (b) must be added to the basic sliding fee waiting list
1.23 on the date they begin the transition year under section 119B.011, subdivision 20, and
1.24 must be moved into the basic sliding fee program as soon as possible after they complete
1.25 their transition year.

2.1 (f) Notwithstanding paragraphs (a) to (e) or any other law or rule to the contrary, an
 2.2 eligible family with a child under the age of five must receive assistance under this section
 2.3 within three months of the date of application."

2.4 Page 5, after line 7, insert:

2.5 "Sec. **APPROPRIATION; BASIC SLIDING FEE.**

2.6 \$..... is appropriated in fiscal year 2017 from the general fund to the commissioner
 2.7 of human services for purposes of the basic sliding fee program under Minnesota Statutes,
 2.8 section 119B.03. This appropriation is in addition to any other appropriations for the
 2.9 same purpose and is added to the base."

2.10 Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

2.11 Amend the title accordingly