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## - Bill Summary -

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This bill appropriates \$350,000 in fiscal year 2018 for a grant to an organization that provides legal representation to children in need of protection or services and children in out-of-home placement. The grant must be matched by a nonstate source. The match may be in kind, including the value of volunteer attorney time, in cash, or in a combination of the two.