SENATE BILL SB-11

Introduced by Senator Angelique Ashby (D-8)

An act relating to Family Housing Stability Partnership Act.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB-11, Angelique Ashby (D-8). Family Housing Stability Partnership Act.

California has housing programs that help provide affordable housing for families. This bill creates a new program that helps families in affordable housing connect with housing, job, transportation, and family support services. It provides five million dollars to fund the program.

Vote: 2/3rds. Appropriations/fiscal: yes. Local program: yes.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1.

The Family Housing Stability Partnership Act is established within the Department of Housing and Community Development.

SECTION 2.

(a) *The purpose of the program is to help families living in affordable housing access services that can support housing stability.*

(b) *The department shall provide funding to eligible affordable housing projects that partner with local community organizations.*

(c) *Partner organizations may help families connect with:*

(1) *Housing assistance.*

(2) *Employment services.*

(3) *Transportation services.*

(4) *Family support services.*

SECTION 3.

(a) *The Department of Housing and Community Development shall select participating housing*

projects and community organizations.

(b) *Participating projects shall use program funds to support partnerships and connect residents with available services.*

SECTION 4.

The sum of five million dollars ($5,000,000) is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Housing and Community Development for purposes of this act.

SECTION 5.

The Department of Housing and Community Development may adopt guidelines necessary to implement this act.