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## STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

#### IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

## **JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2025**

## JOINT RESOLUTION

APPROVING THE APPROPRIATION OF \$1,100,000 OF FUNDS FOR INFANTS AND TODDLERS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION'S EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION CATEGORICAL BUDGET

Introduced By: Senators DiPalma, Felag, Zurier, and Murray

Date Introduced: March 07, 2025

Referred To: Senate Finance

1 RESOLVED, That there is hereby appropriated an amount of money in the treasury not

otherwise appropriated for the fiscal year 2025-2026 the sum of twenty nine million nine hundred

3 thousand dollars (\$29,900,000) of which one million one hundred thousand dollars (\$1,100,000)

shall be allocated to the department of human services to be used as core funding to sustain and

5 increase access to higher quality infant and toddler early care and education.

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## **EXPLANATION**

#### BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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This resolution requests appropriation of one million one hundred thousand dollars (\$1,100,000) for higher quality infant and toddler early care and education.

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