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By Representatives Riccelli, Sawyer, Pollet, Tarleton, Farrell,  
Reykdal, Tharinger, Ryu, and Freeman

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1            AN ACT Relating to funding higher education child care grants; and  
2 amending RCW 67.70.190, 28B.135.010, and 28B.135.040.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4            **Sec. 1.** RCW 67.70.190 and 2009 c 564 s 949 are each amended to  
5 read as follows:

6            Unclaimed prizes shall be retained in the state lottery account for  
7 the person entitled thereto for one hundred eighty days after the  
8 drawing in which the prize is won, or after the official end of the  
9 game for instant prizes. If no claim is made for the prize within this  
10 time, all rights to the prize shall be extinguished, and the prize  
11 shall be retained in the state lottery fund for further use as prizes,  
12 except that one-third of all unclaimed prize money shall be deposited  
13 in the economic development strategic reserve account created in RCW  
14 43.330.250, and for each of fiscal years 2013-2014 and 2014-2015, two  
15 hundred fifty thousand dollars shall be deposited in the student child  
16 care in higher education account created in RCW 28B.135.010 to the  
17 extent that these funds are provided in the omnibus appropriations act  
18 and these amounts must be divided equally between the four-year and  
19 two-year programs.

1       (~~On July 1, 2009, June 30, 2010, and June 30, 2011, all unclaimed~~  
2 ~~prize money retained in the state lottery fund [account] in excess of~~  
3 ~~three million dollars, excluding amounts distributed to the economic~~  
4 ~~development strategic reserve account, shall be transferred into the~~  
5 ~~state general fund.~~)

6       **Sec. 2.** RCW 28B.135.010 and 2011 1st sp.s. c 11 s 239 are each  
7 amended to read as follows:

8       The (~~four-year~~) student child care in higher education account is  
9 established. The office of student financial assistance shall  
10 administer the program for the four-year institutions of higher  
11 education. The state board for community and technical colleges shall  
12 administer the program for the two-year institutions of higher  
13 education. Through this program the office shall award either  
14 competitive or matching child care grants to state institutions of  
15 higher education to encourage programs to address the need for high  
16 quality, accessible, and affordable child care for students at higher  
17 education institutions. The grants shall be used exclusively for the  
18 provision of quality child care services for students at institutions  
19 of higher education. The university or college administration and  
20 student government association, or its equivalent, of each institution  
21 receiving the award may contribute financial support in an amount equal  
22 to or greater than the child care grant received by the institution.

23       **Sec. 3.** RCW 28B.135.040 and 2011 1st sp.s. c 11 s 241 are each  
24 amended to read as follows:

25       The (~~four-year~~) student child care in higher education account is  
26 established in the custody of the state treasurer. Moneys in the  
27 account may be spent only for the purposes of RCW 28B.135.010.  
28 Disbursements from the account shall be on the authorization of the  
29 office of student financial assistance or the state board for community  
30 and technical colleges. The account is subject to the allotment  
31 procedures under chapter 43.88 RCW, but no appropriation is required  
32 for disbursements.

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