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11 Senator Saunders moved the following amendment:
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13   **Senate Amendment**
14   On page 4, line 14, through
15   page 5, line 13, delete those lines
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17 and insert:
18   (c) Any recipient who does not complete an appropriate
19 program of studies,~~or~~ who does not become licensed, <u>who does</u>
20 <u>not accept employment as a nurse at an approved health care</u>
21 <u>facility, or who does not complete 12 months of approved</u>
22 <u>employment for each year of scholarship assistance received</u>
23 shall repay to the Department of Health, on a schedule to be
24 determined by the department, the entire amount of the
25 scholarship plus 18 percent interest accruing from the date of
26 the scholarship payment. Moneys repaid shall be deposited into
27 the Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Trust Fund established in
28 s. 240.4075. However, the department may provide additional
29 time for repayment if the department finds that circumstances
30 beyond the control of the recipient caused or contributed to
31 the default.

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1   ~~(d) Any recipient who does not accept employment as a~~
2   ~~nurse at an approved health care facility or who does not~~
3   ~~complete 12 months of approved employment for each year of~~
4   ~~scholarship assistance received shall repay to the Department~~
5   ~~of Health an amount equal to two times the entire amount of~~
6   ~~the scholarship plus interest accruing from the date of the~~
7   ~~scholarship payment at the maximum allowable interest rate~~
8   ~~permitted by law. Repayment shall be made within 1 year of~~
9   ~~notice that the recipient is considered to be in default.~~
10   ~~However, the department may provide additional time for~~
11   ~~repayment if the department finds that circumstances beyond~~
12   ~~the control of the recipient caused or contributed to the~~
13   ~~default.~~
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