

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

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1 Representative Needelman offered the following:

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3 **Amendment to Amendment (973639)**

4 Remove line 14 and insert:

5 promising programs. At a minimum, such rigorous research design  
6 methodologies shall include the use of a random assignment study  
7 or match control group study and achieve a high level of  
8 internal validity, with an appropriate sample size, low  
9 attrition, no differential attrition and the use of consistent  
10 measures over time. For a program identified as a model, program  
11 effectiveness must have been demonstrated beyond the treatment  
12 period, sustained over an appropriate period of time, and have  
13 had at least one replication. In addition, for a program to be  
14 identified as a model, program effectiveness should also include  
15 an analysis of mediating factors and cost effectiveness.

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