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KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION **KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Legislative Bill**

Referred to Committee: House 1

Red | Bill # HB 49

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| Aut | thors: Mason Shelton, Kayla Bingham, DeAnna Ladd | Action on | the Bill |
| Sch | ool: Trigg County High School | House | Senate |
| City | y: Cadiz | Passed Defeated | □ Passed □ Defeated |
| 1 2 | An act to reward KEES money bonuses to ALL students who score between | en 3-5 on AP and II | 3 exams. |
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Section 1: Presently, students who qualify for free and reduced lunch also qualify for extra KEES money bonuses for scoring between a 3 and 5 on their AP and IB exams.

Section 2: This bill if passed, will allow ALL Kentucky students to be awarded KEES money bonuses; whereas, the current program allows bonuses to be awarded only to students eligible for Free or Reduced Lunch.

Section 3: This bill pertains to all Kentucky high Schools students who take AP or IB exams.

Section 4: This bill is expected to increase approximately \$2.2 million to the current budget of \$64 million currently used toward KEES awards.

Section 5: The funding for this bill will continue to come from the Kentucky Lottery.

Section 6: This bill will go into effect the upcoming school year after passage.