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KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Premiere Bill

Red | Bill # P12

Referred to Committee: House 2

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School: Oldham Co. HS	House	Senate
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An act to revise the requirement of fund-raising proceeds being shared as a group in Kentucky.

Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

Section 1: Fundraising is a vital way of generating money for trips/events/clubs that makes participation cost effective for students. The Accounting Procedures for Kentucky School Activity Fund, also known as the Redbook, has specified that in Kentucky Public Schools fundraising proceeds must benefit the entire group of students involved, regardless of participation in the fundraising activity.(Redbook:Receipts:Fundraising:Article 7)

Section 2: The Board of Education must revise the requirement of fundraising proceeds being shared equally among the entire group to say that Fundraising profits will benefit the student(s) who generated them in proportion to their contribution.

Section 3: Sharing profits equally teaches students that you are entitled to rewards whether you work for them or not. Our schools lose the opportunity to teach the valuable life lesson that working hard produces rewards. When our fundraising proceeds are deemed to benefit the group regardless of individual contribution, we teach students they are entitled to benefits even if they chose to not work toward the groups' goals.

Section 4: The club will be allowed to take a percentage of the generated profits.

Section 5: If a student is unable to participate in a fundraising activity due to cost or medical/physical impairment, the students and administrators may chose to grant some money as an exception.

Section 6: This bill has no cost whatsoever.

Section 7: This bill will go into effect the school year after this bill's passage.