KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION **KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY** **Legislative Bill**	**Blue | Bill # 4** **Referred to Committee: Senate 2**
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School: Bourbon Co. MS	House: ____ ☐ Passed ____ ☐ Defeated Senate: ____ ☐ Passed ____ ☐ Defeated
City: Paris	

An act to prevent the re-sale of Kentucky government aid.

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

Section1: Receivers of Kentucky EBT (government aid) can only have free or reduced prices on official EBT items or state government approved items.

Section 2: To prevent the re-sale of Kentucky EBT or Kentucky government aid each item should have a government approved packaging to receive benefits. If the item does not contain government approved packaging the transaction shall be denied and subjected to full price.

Section 3: The state government approved packaging shall be made by the product manufacturer. The government will compensate the product manufacturer for the creation and distribution of the government aid packaging.

Section 4: Based on the severity of the situation the penalty will be as follows:
First Offense- Take away privileges for one month.
Second Offense- $250 fine with three months of privileges lost or pay $500 and regain privileges before the time period has passed.
Third Offense- $500 fine and six months of loss of privileges.
Fourth Offense- Complete loss of privileges and no chance of regaining.

Section 5: This bill will take effect by January 1, 2016.