

February 19, 2009

**S 246. REDUCE SUDDEN INFANT DEATH SYNDROME.** Filed 2/19/09. *TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR REDUCING THE NUMBER OF INFANT DEATHS DUE TO SUDDEN INFANT DEATH SYNDROME, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE.*

Appropriates \$250,000 for 2009-10 and \$250,000 for 2010-11 from the General Fund to the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health, for the development and implementation of messages and materials for an ongoing Safe Sleep Awareness campaign, which will highlight safe sleeping practices to aid in the prevention of Sudden Infant Death Syndrome, and infant strangulations and suffocations. Effective July 1, 2009.

**Intro. by Purcell.**

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