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LEGISLATIVE ACTION Senate House Comm: WD 03/23/2015

Appropriations Subcommittee on Education (Bullard) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

3 Between lines 762 and 763

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Section 1. Notwithstanding any other law, each district school board shall implement a program that studies and assesses the effectiveness of using statewide, standardized comprehensive examinations to achieve the purpose of the student assessment program for public schools specified in s. 1008.22(1), Florida Statutes. Before a statewide, standardized comprehensive



examination is administered, each district school board and the Department of Education must concur in the effectiveness of the examination as an accurate and reliable assessment tool.

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======== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ========== And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 64

and insert:

2015 school year; providing for expiration; requiring district school boards to implement a program studying and assessing the effectiveness of using statewide, standardized comprehensive examinations; requiring each district school board and the Department of Education to concur in the effectiveness of an examination before administration; requiring