

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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Representative Diaz, M. offered the following:

**Amendment**

Remove lines 697-799 and insert:

(d) "Nonprofit association" means the nonprofit association that governs interscholastic athletic competition in this state pursuant to s. 1006.20.

(e) "Public school student" means a student who is attending a traditional public school, charter school, magnet school, alternative school, developmental research laboratory school, other public school of choice, or public virtual school.

(f) "Recruiting" means an effort by a school employee or athletic department staff member to pressure, urge, or entice a

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14 student to attend that school for the purpose of participating  
15 in interscholastic athletic competition.

16 (g) "Unaffiliated private school" means a private school  
17 that has an enrollment of 125 or fewer students in grades 6  
18 through 12 and that is not a member of the nonprofit  
19 association.

20 (4)(3)(a) A student is ~~To be~~ eligible to participate in  
21 interscholastic extracurricular ~~student~~ activities if the, a  
22 student ~~must~~:

23 1. Maintains ~~Maintain~~ a grade point average of 2.0 or  
24 above on a 4.0 scale, or its equivalent, in the previous  
25 semester or a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or above on  
26 a 4.0 scale, or its equivalent, ~~in the courses required by s.~~  
27 ~~1002.3105(5) or s. 1003.4282.~~

28 2. Executes ~~Execute~~ and fulfills ~~fulfill~~ the requirements  
29 of an academic performance contract between the student, the  
30 district school board or private school, the appropriate  
31 governing association, and the student's parents, ~~if the~~  
32 student's cumulative grade point average falls below 2.0, or its  
33 equivalent, on a 4.0 scale ~~in the courses required by s.~~  
34 ~~1002.3105(5) or s. 1003.4282.~~ At a minimum, the contract must  
35 require that the student attend summer school, or its graded  
36 equivalent, between grades 9 and 10 or grades 10 and 11, as  
37 necessary.

38 3. Has ~~Have~~ a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or  
39 above on a 4.0 scale, or its equivalent, ~~in the courses required~~

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40 ~~by s. 1002.3105(5) or s. 1003.4282~~ during his or her junior or  
41 senior year.

42 4. Maintains ~~Maintain~~ satisfactory conduct as prescribed  
43 by the district school board's or private school's code,  
44 ~~including adherence to appropriate dress and other codes of~~  
45 student conduct ~~policies described in s. 1006.07(2).~~ If a  
46 student is convicted of, or is found to have committed, a felony  
47 or a delinquent act that would have been a felony if committed  
48 by an adult, regardless of whether adjudication is withheld, the  
49 student's participation in ~~interscholastic~~ extracurricular  
50 activities is contingent upon established and published district  
51 school board or private school policy.

52 5. Is a home education student who meets the requirements  
53 of the home education program pursuant to s. 1002.41, including  
54 requirements relating to annual educational evaluations. The  
55 evaluation processes or requirements placed on home education  
56 student participants may not exceed those that apply under s.  
57 1002.41 to home education students generally.

58 (b)1. A student may only be declared ineligible to  
59 participate in interscholastic athletic competition if:

60 a. The student fails to achieve compliance with paragraph

61 (a);

62 b. The student or parent falsifies an enrollment or  
63 eligibility document;

64 c. The student or parent accepts an impermissible benefit;

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65 d. The student commits a flagrant act of unsportsmanlike  
66 conduct toward a contest official, opponent, or other person  
67 attending an interscholastic athletic contest or violates  
68 substance abuse policies established by the nonprofit  
69 association;

70 e. The student has exhausted 4 years of athletic  
71 eligibility, graduated from high school, or attained the maximum  
72 age established by the nonprofit association, whichever occurs  
73 first;

74 f. The student does not pass a medical evaluation pursuant  
75 to s. 1006.20(2)(c), except as otherwise provided in s.  
76 1006.20(2)(d); or

77 g. The student forfeits his or her amateur status, as  
78 defined by the nonprofit association.

79 2. A student may not be declared ineligible to participate  
80 in interscholastic athletic competition because the student  
81 participated on a nonschool team or nonschool team affiliated  
82 with the school in which the student ultimately enrolls or  
83 because the student participated in nonschool athletic  
84 activities sponsored by a member school of the nonprofit  
85 association if, after participating, the student registers for,  
86 enrolls in, or applies to attend the sponsoring school. For  
87 purposes of this subparagraph, the terms "nonschool team" and  
88 "nonschool athletic activities" include, but are not limited to,  
89 club teams, travel teams, grade school teams, recreational

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90 league teams, personal instruction sessions, summer camp teams,  
91 and summer camp nonschool athletic programs.

92 (c)1.~~(b)~~ A Any student who is exempt from attending a full  
93 school day based on rules adopted by the district school board  
94 for double session schools or programs, experimental schools, or  
95 schools operating under emergency conditions must maintain the  
96 grade point average required by this section and pass each class  
97 for which he or she is enrolled.

98 2. A student who transfers from a home education program  
99 to a public or private school before or during the first  
100 semester of the school year is academically eligible to  
101 participate in extracurricular activities during the first  
102 semester if the student has a successful evaluation from the  
103 previous school year pursuant to subparagraph (a)5.

104 3. A public school or private school student who transfers  
105 into a home education program after being declared ineligible  
106 for participation in extracurricular activities pursuant to sub-  
107 subparagraph (b)1.a. is ineligible to participate in such  
108 activities as a home education student until the student has  
109 successfully completed one semester in a home education program  
110 pursuant to s. 1002.41.

111 4. A public school student who transfers to a private  
112 school or another public school, or a private school student who  
113 transfers to a public school or another private school, after  
114 being declared ineligible to participate in extracurricular  
115 activities pursuant to sub-subparagraph (b)1.a. is ineligible to

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