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Representative Davis offered the following:

Amendment (with directory and title amendments)

Remove lines 202-282 and insert:

5 (3) (a) The department shall issue through the program a 6 William L. Boyd, IV, Effective Access to Student Education grant 7 to any full-time degree-seeking undergraduate student registered 8 at an independent nonprofit college or university which is 9 located in and chartered by the state; which is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of 10 Colleges and Schools; which grants baccalaureate degrees; which 11 is not a state university or Florida College System institution; 12 and which has a secular purpose, so long as the receipt of state 13 218821

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aid by students at the institution would not have the primary 14 15 effect of advancing or impeding religion or result in an 16 excessive entanglement between the state and any religious sect. 17 Any independent college or university that was eligible to 18 receive tuition vouchers on January 1, 1989, and which continues 19 to meet the criteria under which its eligibility was established, shall remain eligible to receive William L. Boyd, 20 21 IV, Effective Access to Student Education grant payments. 22 (b) By September 1 of each year, recipient institutions 23 must submit an Effective Access to Student Education Grant 24 Program Accountability report to the Department of Education, in a format prescribed by the department, detailing the following 25 26 metrics for Florida resident students reflecting the prior 27 academic year statistics: 28 1. Entrance requirements for the year, and if required by 29 the institution, the minimum test score and grade point average 30 requirements for freshmen. 2. Percentage of students receiving federal Pell Grant 31 32 funds, Florida Bright Futures Scholarship awards, and other 33 academic aid. 34 3. Graduation rates; retention rates; job placement rates; 35 and job placement rates 1 year after graduation. 36

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| 37 | The report must also include information for each institution on |
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| 38 | the total federal loan amounts disbursed and the total number of |
| 39 | students who received federal loans. |
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| 42 | DIRECTORY AMENDMENT |
| 43 | Remove lines 197-198 and insert: |
| 44 | Section 3. Subsection (3) of section 1009.89, Florida |
| 45 | Statutes, is amended, and paragraph (c) is added to |
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| 48 | TITLE AMENDMENT |
| 49 | Remove lines 34-40 and insert: |
| 50 | amending s. 1009.89, F.S.; revising provisions |
| 51 | relating to the William L. Boyd, IV, Effective Access |
| 52 | to Student Education grant program; requiring |
| 53 | recipient institutions to submit a specified report to |
| 54 | the Department of Education; requiring each recipient |
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