

Amendment No. 5

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
OTHER	<u> </u>	

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Education & Employment
 2 Committee

3 Representative Rizo offered the following:

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 5 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

6 Remove lines 470-493 and insert:

7 Section 3. Section 1004.88, Florida Statutes, is created
 8 to read:

9 1004.88 Florida Institute for Charter School Innovation.-

10 (1) The Florida Institute for Charter School Innovation is
 11 established at Miami Dade College for the purpose of improving
 12 charter school authorizing practices in this state.

13 (2) The institute shall do all of the following:

14 (a) Create a state resource of best practices for charter
 15 school applications and application review.

16 (b) Provide charter school sponsors with training,

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17 technical assistance, and support in reviewing initial and
18 renewal charter applications.

19 (c) Conduct applied research on policy and practices
20 related to charter schools.

21 (d) Conduct or compile basic research on the status of
22 educational choice, charter authorizing, and charter school
23 performance in this state, and other topics related to charter
24 schools.

25 (e) Collaborate with the Department of Education in
26 developing the sponsor evaluation framework under s.
27 1002.33(5)(c).

28 (f) Disseminate information regarding research-based
29 charter school teaching practices to teacher educators in this
30 state.

31 (g) Host research workshops and conferences that allow
32 charter school sponsors, charter school operators, students, and
33 parents to engage in topics related to charter schools.

34 (3) The institute may apply for and receive federal,
35 state, or local agency grants for the purposes of this section.

36 (4) The District Board of Trustees of Miami Dade College
37 shall establish policies for the supervision, administration,
38 and governance of the institute.

39 Section 4. (1) The Office of Program Policy Analysis and
40 Government Accountability shall conduct an analysis of the
41 current methodologies for the distribution of capital outlay

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42 funds and federal funds through Titles I, II, III, and IV of the
43 Elementary and Secondary Education Act, as amended, and the
44 Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, as amended, to
45 charter schools. Based on its analysis, the office shall
46 recommend any changes to provide an equitable allocation of
47 capital outlay funds and specified federal funds to all public
48 schools.

49 (2) The analysis of capital outlay funds must include, at
50 a minimum:

51 (a) An analysis of the calculation methodology for the
52 allocation of state funds appropriated in the General
53 Appropriations Act under s. 1013.62(2), Florida Statutes.

54 (b) An analysis of the calculation methodology to
55 determine the amount of revenue that a school district must
56 distribute to a charter school under s. 1013.62(3), Florida
57 Statutes.

58 (c) For the most recent 3 years, a comparison of the
59 charter school capital outlay amounts between the allocation of
60 state funds and revenue that would result from the discretionary
61 millage authorized under s. 1011.71(2), Florida Statutes.

62 (d) Other state policies and methodologies for the
63 distribution of charter school capital outlay funds.

64 (3) The office shall submit a report of its findings and
65 recommendations to the Governor, the President of the Senate,
66 and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by January 1,

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Remove lines 52-54 and insert:

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school facilities; creating s. 1004.88, F.S.;

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establishing the Florida Institute for Charter Schools

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Innovation at Miami Dade College; providing the

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purpose of the institute; specifying the duties of the

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institute; authorizing the institute to apply for and

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receive certain grants; requiring the District Board

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of Trustees of Miami Dade College to establish

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policies regarding the institute; requiring the Office

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of Program Policy Analysis and Government

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Accountability to conduct an analysis of charter

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school capital outlay funds and certain federal funds