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A bill to be entitled  
An act relating to expenditure requirements for  
education programs; amending s. 236.081, F.S.,  
relating to funds for operation of schools;  
requiring school districts to allocate at least  
80 percent of specified funds to the schools  
generating the funds; providing an effective  
date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Paragraph (m) of subsection (1) of section  
236.081, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

236.081 Funds for operation of schools.--If the annual  
allocation from the Florida Education Finance Program to each  
district for operation of schools is not determined in the  
annual appropriations act or the substantive bill implementing  
the annual appropriations act, it shall be determined as  
follows:

(1) COMPUTATION OF THE BASIC AMOUNT TO BE INCLUDED FOR  
OPERATION.--The following procedure shall be followed in  
determining the annual allocation to each district for  
operation:

(m) Calculation of additional full-time equivalent  
membership based on college board advanced placement scores of  
students.--A value of 0.24 full-time equivalent student  
membership shall be calculated for each student in each  
advanced placement course who receives a score of 3 or higher  
on the College Board Advanced Placement Examination for the  
prior year and added to the total full-time equivalent student  
membership in basic programs for grades 9 through 12 in the

1 subsequent fiscal year. Each district must allocate at least  
2 80 percent of the funds appropriated for advanced placement  
3 instruction to the high school that generates the funds.

4 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 1998.

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7 SENATE SUMMARY

8 Requires a school district to allocate at least 80  
9 percent of advanced placement instruction funds to the  
high school that generates the funds.

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