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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to education; creating an urban tutorial and mentoring program; providing goals for the program; specifying certain activities that must be part of the program; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Urban tutorial and mentoring program; creation; goals; requirements.--

(1) An urban tutorial and mentoring program is created to serve economically disadvantaged minority students in urban areas. The goals of the program are:

(a) To improve the academic performance of economically disadvantaged minority students in public schools.

(b) To increase the involvement of parents in their children's out-of-school experiences.

(c) To establish linkages among parents, community institutions, and the public schools.

(d) To develop model programs that can be implemented at other sites.

(2) The urban tutorial and mentoring program must:

(a) Provide educational support services after school and on weekends;

(b) Be located in the community where the students live;

(c) Provide visits to families to inform them about the program and to invite them to participate;

