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Representative(s) Frankel offered the following:

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**Amendment (with title amendment)**

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On page 28, between lines 24 and 25,

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insert:

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Section 7. Paragraph (e) is added to subsection (1) of section 240.115, Florida Statutes, 1998 Supplement, to read:

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240.115 Articulation agreement; acceleration

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mechanisms.--

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(e) The Articulation Coordinating Committee shall

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establish an articulated career path for school

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readiness-related professions, which shall lead from

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entry-level employment in child care and early childhood

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education to a baccalaureate degree. The career path shall

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provide for the articulation of:

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1. Vocational credit to college credit;

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2. Associate in science and associate in arts degrees

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to baccalaureate degree programs;

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3. Credit awarded by public and private institutions;

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1 and

2 4. Credit for experiential learning associated with  
3 minimum training requirements for employment. The Articulation  
4 Coordinating Committee shall ensure that the articulation of  
5 such credit does not jeopardize the receiving institution's  
6 accreditation status.

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8 By fall semester 2001, the articulation agreement must  
9 guarantee the statewide articulation of appropriate coursework  
10 as established in the career path.

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13 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

14 And the title is amended as follows:

15 On page 2, line 24,

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17 after the semicolon insert:

18 amending s. 240.115, F.S.; requiring the  
19 Articulation Coordinating Committee to  
20 establish a career path for school  
21 readiness-related professions;

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