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Senator Diaz-Balart moved the following amendment:

Senate Amendment

On page 4, line 14, through
page 5, line 25, delete those lines

and insert:

(3) The college of law at Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University, to the extent consistent with the standards required by the American Bar Association or any other nationally recognized association for the accreditation of colleges of law, shall develop a law library collection utilizing electronic formats and mediums.

(4) The college of law at Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University shall develop and institute a program that is consistent with sound legal education principles as determined by the American Bar Association or any other nationally recognized association for the accreditation of colleges of law and that, to the extent consistent with such sound legal education principles, is structured to serve the legal needs of traditionally underserved portions of the

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1 population by providing an opportunity for participation in a
2 legal clinic program or pro bono legal service.

3 (5) The Board of Regents shall commence the planning
4 of a college of law at Florida Agricultural and Mechanical
5 University. In planning the college of law, the Board of
6 Regents and the State Board of Education may accept grants,
7 donations, gifts, and moneys available for this purpose,
8 including moneys for planning and constructing the college.
9 The Board of Regents may procure and accept any federal funds
10 that are available for the planning, creation, and
11 establishment of the college of law. Classes must commence by
12 the fall semester 2003. If the American Bar Association or any
13 other nationally recognized association for the accreditation
14 of colleges of law issues a third disapproval of an
15 application for provisional approval or for full approval or
16 fails to grant, within five years following the graduation of
17 the first class, a provisional approval, to the college of law
18 at Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University, the Board
19 of Regents shall make recommendations to the Governor and
20 Legislature as to whether the college of law will cease
21 operations at the end of the full academic year subsequent to
22 the receipt by the college of law of any such third
23 disapproval, or whether the college of law will continue
24 operations and any conditions for continued operations. If the
25 college of law ceases operations of the college of law
26 pursuant to this section, the following conditions apply:

27 (a) The authority for the college of law at Florida
28 Agricultural and Mechanical University and the authority of
29 the Board of Regents and the State Board of Education provided
30 in this section shall terminate upon the cessation of
31 operations of the college of law at Florida Agricultural and

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1 Mechanical University. The college of law at Florida
 2 Agricultural and Mechanical University shall receive no moneys
 3 allocated for the planning, construction, or operation of the
 4 college of law after its cessation of operations other than
 5 moneys to be expended for the cessation of operations of the
 6 college of law. Any moneys allocated to the college of law at
 7 Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University not expended
 8 prior to or scheduled to be expended after the date of the
 9 cessation of the college of law shall be appropriated for
 10 other use by the Legislature of the State of Florida.

11 (b) Any buildings of the college of law at Florida
 12 Agricultural and Mechanical University constructed from the
 13 expenditure of capital outlay funds appropriated by the
 14 Legislature shall be owned and managed by the Board of Regents
 15 upon the cessation of the college of law.

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