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Amendment No. ____ Barcode 740704

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11	Senator Wise moved the following amendment:
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13	Senate Amendment (with title amendment)
14	On page 24, between lines 2 and 3,
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16	insert:
17	Section 11. Section 1003.45, Florida Statutes, is
18	amended to read:
19	1003.45 Permitting study of the Bible and religion;
20	permitting brief meditation period; permitting display of
21	motto
22	(1) The district school board may install in the
23	public schools in the district a secular program of education
24	including, but not limited to, an objective study of the Bible
25	and of religion.
26	(2) The district school board may provide that a brief
27	period, not to exceed 2 minutes, for the purpose of silent
28	prayer or meditation be set aside at the start of each school
29	day or each school week in the public schools in the district.
30	(3) Each district school superintendent may provide,
31	upon the request by a resident of the school district, for the

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1 | display in a prominent location in each school under his or
   her supervision of the motto of the United States of America,
 3 "IN GOD WE TRUST," on an appropriately framed background with
   minimum dimensions of 11 inches by 14 inches.
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   (Redesignate subsequent sections.)
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   And the title is amended as follows:
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          On page 2, line 16, after the semicolon,
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   insert:
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          amending s. 1003.45, F.S.; authorizing each
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          district school superintendent to provide for
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          the display of the motto "IN GOD WE TRUST" in a
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          prominent location in public schools under
          certain circumstances;
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