

Amendment No. (for drafter's use only)

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Representative Hogan offered the following:

**Amendment (with title amendment)**

Between line(s) 680 and 681, insert:

Section 11. Section 1003.45, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

1003.45 Permitting study of the Bible and religion; permitting brief meditation period; requiring display of motto.--

(1) The district school board may install in the public schools in the district a secular program of education including, but not limited to, an objective study of the Bible and of religion.

(2) The district school board may provide that a brief period, not to exceed 2 minutes, for the purpose of silent prayer or meditation be set aside at the start of each school day or each school week in the public schools in the district.

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28       (3) Each district school superintendent shall provide,  
 29 upon the request by a resident of the school district, for the  
 30 display in a prominent location in each school under his or her  
 31 supervision of the motto of the United States of America, "IN  
 32 GOD WE TRUST," on an appropriately framed background with  
 33 minimum dimensions of 11 inches by 14 inches.

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

36       Between line(s) 38 and 39, insert:  
 37 amending s. 1003.45, F.S.; directing each district school  
 38 superintendent to provide for the display of the motto "IN GOD  
 39 WE TRUST" in a prominent location in public schools under  
 40 certain circumstances;