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A bill to be entitled
An act relating to public school teachers;
creating s. 1011.63, F.S.; requiring the
Legislature to fund a cost-of-living increase
in the General Appropriations Act for teachers
who teach prekindergarten through grade 12 in
the public school system; providing an
effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 1011.63, Florida Statutes, is
created to read:

1011.63 Cost-of-living increase for public school
teachers.--The Legislature, in the General Appropriations Act,
shall fund a cost-of-living increase for all teachers in the
public school system, prekindergarten through grade 12 as
defined in s. 1012.01(2)(a). This section may not be construed
to conflict with the provisions of chapter 447.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2004.

SENATE SUMMARY

Requires the Legislature to fund a cost-of-living
increase in the General Appropriations Act for teachers
who teach prekindergarten through grade 12 in the public
school system.