

CHAMBER ACTION

1 The PreK-12 Committee recommends the following:

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3 **Council/Committee Substitute**

4 Remove the entire bill and insert:

5 A bill to be entitled

6 An act relating to the Florida School Recognition Program;
7 amending s. 1008.36, F.S.; providing for assignment of
8 school performance grades to certain feeder pattern
9 schools that do not receive such a grade for purposes of
10 participation in the program; defining feeder school
11 pattern; providing that a feeder pattern school shall be
12 subject to the Opportunity Scholarship Program; providing
13 an effective date.

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

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17 Section 1. Subsection (3) of section 1008.36, Florida
18 Statutes, is amended to read:

19 1008.36 Florida School Recognition Program.--

20 (3) All public schools, including charter schools, that
21 receive a school grade pursuant to s. 1008.34 are eligible to
22 participate in the program. For the purpose of this section, a
23 school serving any combination of kindergarten through grade 3

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24 | students that does not receive a school grade under s. 1008.34
25 | shall be assigned the school performance grade of the feeder
26 | pattern school designated by the Department of Education and
27 | verified by the school district and shall be eligible to
28 | participate in the program based on that feeder. A feeder school
29 | pattern is defined as a pattern where at least 60 percent of the
30 | students in the school receiving the school grade came from the
31 | same feeder school. In addition, the feeder pattern school shall
32 | be subject to the Opportunity Scholarship Program as defined in
33 | s. 1002.38.

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35 | Notwithstanding statutory provisions to the contrary, incentive
36 | awards are not subject to collective bargaining.

37 | Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005.