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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 public school instructional programs;
7 amending s. 1001.03, F.S.; requiring the State Board of
8 Education to review the Sunshine State Standards and
9 report the extent to which the standards are being taught;
10 amending s. 1001.41, F.S.; requiring district school
11 boards to adopt policies to provide each student a
12 complete education program; providing an effective date.

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

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16 Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 1001.03, Florida
17 Statutes, is amended to read:

18 1001.03 Specific powers of State Board of Education.--

19 (1) PUBLIC K-12 STUDENT PERFORMANCE STANDARDS.--The State
20 Board of Education shall approve the student performance
21 standards known as the Sunshine State Standards in key academic
22 subject areas and grade levels. The state board shall
23 periodically review the standards to ensure adequate rigor and

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24 | evaluate the extent to which the standards are being taught at
 25 | each grade level. The evaluation shall be provided to the
 26 | Governor, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the
 27 | President of the Senate and shall include a determination of the
 28 | district school boards' provision of a complete education
 29 | program pursuant to s. 1001.41(3).

30 | Section 2. Subsection (3) of section 1001.41, Florida
 31 | Statutes, is amended to read:

32 | 1001.41 General powers of district school board.--The
 33 | district school board, after considering recommendations
 34 | submitted by the district school superintendent, shall exercise
 35 | the following general powers:

36 | (3) Prescribe and adopt standards and policies to provide
 37 | each student the opportunity to receive a complete education
 38 | program, including language arts, mathematics, science, social
 39 | studies, health, physical education, foreign languages, and the
 40 | arts as defined by the Sunshine State Standards pursuant to s.
 41 | 1001.03(1) as are considered desirable by it for improving the
 42 | ~~district school system.~~

43 | Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005.