

Bill No. CS for CS for SB 2048

Barcode 312874

|               |                |              |
|---------------|----------------|--------------|
|               | CHAMBER ACTION |              |
| <u>Senate</u> |                | <u>House</u> |

1  
2  
3  
4  
5  
6  
7  
8  
9  
10  
11  
12  
13  
14  
15  
16  
17  
18  
19  
20  
21  
22  
23  
24  
25  
26  
27  
28  
29  
30  
31

Floor: 14/AD/2R  
05/03/2006 01:07 PM

.  
. .  
. .  
. .  
. .

Senator Lynn moved the following amendment:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

On page 76, between lines 13 and 14,

insert:

Section 37. Section 1004.99, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

1004.99 Florida Ready to Work Certification Program.--

(1) There is created the Florida Ready to Work Certification Program to enhance the workplace skills of Florida's students to better prepare them for successful employment in specific occupations.

(2) The Florida Ready to Work Certification Program may be conducted in public middle and high schools, community colleges, technical centers, one-stop career centers, vocational rehabilitation centers, and Department of Juvenile Justice educational facilities. The program may be made available to other entities that provide job training. The Department of Education shall establish institutional readiness criteria for program implementation.

Bill No. CS for CS for SB 2048

Barcode 312874

1       (3) The Florida Ready to Work Certification Program  
2 shall be composed of:

3           (a) A comprehensive identification of workplace skills  
4 for each occupation identified for inclusion in the program by  
5 the Agency for Workforce Innovation and the Department of  
6 Education.

7           (b) A preinstructional assessment that delineates the  
8 student's mastery level on the specific workplace skills  
9 identified for that occupation.

10           (c) A targeted instructional program limited to those  
11 identified workplace skills in which the student is not  
12 proficient as measured by the preinstructional assessment.  
13 Instruction must utilize a web-based program and be customized  
14 to meet identified specific needs of local employers.

15           (d) A certificate and portfolio awarded to students  
16 upon successful completion of the instruction. Each portfolio  
17 must delineate the skills demonstrated by the student as  
18 evidence of the student's preparation for employment.

19           (4) The State Board of Education, in consultation with  
20 the Agency for Workforce Innovation, may adopt rules pursuant  
21 to ss. 120.536(1) and 120.54 to implement the provisions of  
22 this section.

23  
24 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)

25  
26  
27 ===== T I T L E   A M E N D M E N T =====

28 And the title is amended as follows:

29           On page 6, line 20, after the first semicolon,

30  
31 insert:

Bill No. CS for CS for SB 2048

Barcode 312874

1           creating s. 1004.99, F.S., the Florida Ready to  
2           Work Certification Program to enhance student  
3           workplace skills; providing for program  
4           implementation and requirements; authorizing  
5           rulemaking;

6  
7  
8  
9  
10  
11  
12  
13  
14  
15  
16  
17  
18  
19  
20  
21  
22  
23  
24  
25  
26  
27  
28  
29  
30  
31