

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to the Florida School Recognition Program;
 3 amending s. 1008.36, F.S.; specifying conditions under
 4 which a school that is part of a school feeder pattern and
 5 does not receive a school grade under s. 1008.34, F.S.,
 6 may participate in the program; prescribing the
 7 circumstances in which a school feeder pattern exists;
 8 providing that a feeder pattern school shall be subject to
 9 the Opportunity Scholarship Program; providing an
 10 effective date.

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

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

16 1008.36 Florida School Recognition Program.--

17 (3) All public schools, including charter schools, that
 18 receive a school grade pursuant to s. 1008.34 are eligible to
 19 participate in the program. For the purposes of this section, a
 20 school that serves any combination of students in kindergarten
 21 through grade 3 and that does not receive a school grade under
 22 s. 1008.34 shall be assigned the school performance grade of the
 23 feeder pattern school designated by the Department of Education
 24 and verified by the school district and is eligible to
 25 participate in the program based upon that feeder pattern
 26 school. A school feeder pattern exists if at least 60 percent of
 27 the students in the school or schools serving a combination of
 28 students in kindergarten through grade 3 are scheduled to be

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29 assigned to the school that receives the school grade. In
30 addition, the feeder pattern school is subject to the
31 Opportunity Scholarship Program as described in s. 1002.38.

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33 Notwithstanding statutory provisions to the contrary, incentive
34 awards are not subject to collective bargaining.

35 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2006.