HB 629 2006

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to school food service programs; amending s. 1006.06, F.S.; requiring district school board plans to eliminate the sale or use of products containing high-fructose corn syrup from school food service programs and on school grounds; requiring Department of Education approval of plans, monitoring of plan implementation, and reporting; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Subsection (6) is added to section 1006.06, Florida Statutes, to read:

1006.06 School food service programs.--

(6) By January 1, 2007, each district school board shall submit to the department a plan to eliminate the sale or use of products containing high-fructose corn syrup from school food service programs and on school grounds. The plan must contain a schedule to accomplish the elimination of products containing high-fructose corn syrup by July 1, 2007, and must be approved by the department. The department shall monitor the implementation of each district school board's plan and provide a report on such implementation to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by January 1, 2008, and annually thereafter.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.