

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House



1 Representative(s) Kravitz, A. Gibson, Fields, Mahon, D. Davis,
 2 Jordan, Carroll, Evers, Ambler, Ross, Bowen, Brown, Proctor,
 3 Murzin, Attkisson, Galvano, Grant, Legg, Reagan, Hays, Kreegel,
 4 Nehr, Troutman, Grimsley, Domino, M. Davis, Allen, Cretul,
 5 Poppell, Kendrick, Homan, Nelson, Dean, and Saunders offered the
 6 following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

On page 1, line 9, insert:

Section 1. Paragraph (f) of subsection (4) of section 1001.42, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

1001.42 Powers and duties of district school board.--The district school board, acting as a board, shall exercise all powers and perform all duties listed below:

(4) ESTABLISHMENT, ORGANIZATION, AND OPERATION OF SCHOOLS.--Adopt and provide for the execution of plans for the 585211

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17 establishment, organization, and operation of the schools of the
18 district, including, but not limited to, the following:

19 (f) Opening and closing of schools; fixing uniform
20 date.--Adopt policies for the opening and closing of schools and
21 fix uniform dates, ~~however,~~ Beginning with the 2007-2008 school
22 year, the opening date of the school year for schools in the
23 district may not be earlier than 14 days before Labor Day each
24 year. However, beginning with the 2008-2009 school year, a
25 district school board may with a super majority vote after
26 holding at least two public meetings that begin no earlier than
27 6 p.m. establish an earlier opening date for students that is no
28 earlier than the first week in August or a different opening
29 date for a school that operates on a year-round or extended
30 calendar.

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34 On page 1, line(s) 2-3,
35 remove: all of said lines and insert:

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37 An act relating to school districts; amending s. 1001.42,
38 F.S., relating to powers and duties of district school
39 boards; revising provisions relating to the opening date
40 of the school year; amending s. 1003.62, F.S., relating to
41 charter school districts; postponing the