## Florida Senate - 2007

 $\boldsymbol{B}\boldsymbol{y}$  the Committee on Education Pre-K - 12; and Senator Constantine

581-2384-07 1 A bill to be entitled 2 An act relating to physical education; amending s. 1001.11, F.S.; requiring the Commissioner of 3 4 Education to provide professional development 5 in physical education; amending s. 1003.01, б F.S.; defining the term "physical education"; 7 amending s. 1003.455, F.S.; requiring specified 8 periods of physical education for certain 9 students; requiring the State Board of 10 Education to review and revise the Sunshine State Standards regarding physical education; 11 12 requiring public schools to have an automated 13 external defibrillator on school grounds; encouraging public and private partnerships to 14 furnish the defibrillators; providing an 15 16 effective date. 17 18 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 19 Section 1. Subsection (7) is added to section 1001.11, 20 21 Florida Statutes, to read: 22 1001.11 Commissioner of Education; other duties .--23 (7) The commissioner shall dedicate financial and departmental staff resources to provide professional 2.4 development for physical education teachers, elementary and 25 26 secondary teachers whose assignments include physical education courses, and developers of physical education 27 2.8 curricula. Such professional development shall incorporate current physical education and nutrition philosophy and best 29 practices that result in student participation in physical 30 31

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1 activities that promote lifelong physical and mental 2 well-being. Section 2. Subsection (16) is added to section 3 1003.01, Florida Statutes, to read: 4 5 1003.01 Definitions.--As used in this chapter, the б term: 7 (16) "Physical education" means the development or 8 maintenance of skills related to strength, agility, flexibility, movement, and stamina, including dance; the 9 10 development of knowledge and skills regarding teamwork and fair play; the development of knowledge and skills regarding 11 12 nutrition and physical fitness as part of a healthy lifestyle; 13 and the development of positive attitudes regarding sound nutrition and physical activity as a component of personal 14 well-being. 15 Section 3. Subsection (3) of section 1003.455, Florida 16 17 Statutes, is amended to read: 18 1003.455 Physical education; assessment.--19 (3) Each district school board shall provide 150 minutes of physical education each week for students in 20 21 kindergarten through grade 5. Students enrolled in such instruction shall be reported through the periodic student 2.2 23 membership surveys, and records of such enrollment shall be audited pursuant to s. 1010.305. Each district school board is 2.4 encouraged to provide 150 minutes of physical education each 25 26 week for students in kindergarten through grade 5 and 225 27 minutes of physical education each week for students in grades 2.8 6 through 8. Section 4. During the 2007-2008 school year, the State 29 Board of Education shall review and revise the Sunshine State 30 Standards related to physical education skills to reflect 31

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state-of-the-art philosophy and practice. The revised 1 2 standards shall emphasize the role of physical education in 3 promoting the knowledge, skills, and attitudes that prepare 4 students to make healthy lifelong nutrition and physical 5 fitness choices. б Section 5. Each public school shall have at least one 7 operational automated defibrillator on the school grounds. 8 Schools are encouraged to seek public and private partnerships 9 to assist with the cost of purchasing, maintenance, and 10 training associated with this section. Section 6. This act shall take effect upon becoming a 11 12 law. 13 STATEMENT OF SUBSTANTIAL CHANGES CONTAINED IN 14 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR <u>Senate Bill 2746</u> 15 16 17 The Committee Substitute: 18 Add dance to the definition of physical education; 19 Clarifies that the required reporting is in the periodic student membership surveys; and 20 Requires each public school to have at least one operational 21 automated defibrillator on the school grounds. 22 23 2.4 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

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