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<u>Senate</u>	.	<u>House</u>
Comm: RCS	.	
4/8/2008	.	
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1 The Committee on Commerce (Oelrich) recommended the following  
2 **amendment:**

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4 Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

5 Delete line(s) 752-765

6 and insert:

7 Section 11. Subsection (5) of section 1002.69, Florida  
8 Statutes, is amended to read:

9 1002.69 Statewide kindergarten screening; kindergarten  
10 readiness rates.--

11 (5) The State Board of Education shall adopt procedures for  
12 the department to annually calculate each private prekindergarten  
13 provider's and public school's kindergarten readiness rate, which  
14 must be expressed as the percentage of the provider's or school's  
15 students who are assessed as ready for kindergarten. The  
16 kindergarten readiness rates must be based exclusively upon the  
17 results of the statewide kindergarten screening for students



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18 | completing the Voluntary Prekindergarten Education Program and,  
19 | if applicable, the students' results on the department's approved  
20 | Aural/Oral Language Proficiency Test, beginning with students  
21 | completing the program during the 2005-2006 school year who are  
22 | administered the statewide kindergarten screening during the  
23 | 2006-2007 school year. The rates must not include students who  
24 | are not administered the statewide kindergarten screening.

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26 | ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

27 | And the title is amended as follows:

28 |       Delete line(s) 44-46

29 | and insert:

30 |       revising the basis for calculating a school's kindergarten  
31 |       readiness rate; providing an effective date.

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