

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative Hays offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

5 Section 1. Paragraph (u) is added to subsection (2) of
6 section 1003.42, Florida Statutes, to read:

7 1003.42 Required instruction.--

8 (2) Members of the instructional staff of the public
9 schools, subject to the rules of the State Board of Education
10 and the district school board, shall teach efficiently and
11 faithfully, using the books and materials required that meet the
12 highest standards for professionalism and historic accuracy,
13 following the prescribed courses of study, and employing
14 approved methods of instruction, the following:

15 (u) A thorough presentation and critical analysis of the
16 scientific theory of evolution.

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The State Board of Education is encouraged to adopt standards and pursue assessment of the requirements of this subsection.

Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2008.

T I T L E A M E N D M E N T

Remove the entire title and insert:

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to evolutionary theory; amending s. 1003.42, F.S.; requiring public school instruction in, and the critical analysis of, the scientific theory of evolution; providing an effective date.