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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate	.	House
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The Committee on Budget Subcommittee on Higher Education Appropriations (Lynn) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 109 - 133
and insert:
examination, and International Baccalaureate examination.
Beginning with the fall term in 2012, the department shall use student performance data in subsequent postsecondary courses to determine the appropriate examination scores and courses for which credit is to be granted. In addition, the department shall identify such courses in the general education core curriculum of each state university and community college.

(6) Advanced placement shall be the enrollment of an



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13 eligible secondary student in a course offered through the
14 Advanced Placement Program administered by the College Board.
15 Postsecondary credit for an advanced placement course shall be
16 limited to students who score a minimum of 3, on a 5-point
17 scale, on the corresponding Advanced Placement Examination. The
18 specific courses for which students receive such credit shall be
19 identified in the statewide articulation agreement required by
20 s. 1007.23(1). Students of Florida public secondary schools
21 enrolled pursuant to this subsection shall be exempt from the
22 payment of any fees for administration of the examination
23 regardless of whether or not the student achieves a passing
24 score on the examination. The department shall review
25 performance data in postsecondary courses for students who
26 achieved a score of 3 or more points on the Advanced Placement
27 Examination for each course for which an exam is given, and
28 shall establish the minimum score for each examination which a
29 student must earn in order to receive postsecondary credit for
30 that subject. The department must consider establishing
31 different minimum scores for different subject areas and
32 establishing different scores for different postsecondary
33 institutions. The review must be completed and minimum scores
34 based on the review must be established by July 1, 2012.

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37 And the title is amended as follows:

38 Delete lines 13 - 14

39 and insert:

40 requiring the Department of Education to review
41 performance data for students who take Advanced



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Placement Examinations and to set minimum scores based
on the review; deleting an exemption