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The Committee on Budget (Montford) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment

Delete lines 1170 - 2226
and insert:

Section 16. (1) Any school district that receives a grant of at least \$75 million from a private foundation for the purpose of improving the effectiveness of teachers within the school district may seek an annual exemption from the State Board of Education from the requirements of the amendments made by this act to ss. 1012.22 and 1012.34, Florida Statutes.

(2) In order to receive approval from the State Board of Education for an exemption under this section, a school district must demonstrate to the State Board of Education that it is



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14 implementing the following:

15 (a) A teacher evaluation system that uses student
16 performance as the single greatest component of the teacher's
17 evaluation.

18 (b) A teacher compensation system that awards salary
19 increases based on sustained student performance.

20 (c) A teacher contract system that awards contracts based
21 on student performance.

22 (3) The State Board of Education shall annually renew a
23 school district's exemption if the school district provides a
24 progress report that demonstrates that the school district
25 continues to meet the requirements of subsection (2).

26 (4) The State Board of Education shall adopt rules pursuant
27 to ss. 120.536(1) and 120.54, Florida Statutes, to establish the
28 procedures for applying for an exemption under this section.

29 Section 17. Chapter 2010-279, Laws of Florida, does not
30 apply to any rulemaking required to administer this act.

31 Section 18. The provisions of any special act or general
32 law of local application relating to contracts for instructional
33 personnel in public schools or school districts in effect on or
34 before the effective date of this act are repealed with the
35 exception of chapter 75-384, Laws of Florida.