

By Senator Bullard

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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to juvenile justice education
3 programs; amending s. 1003.52, F.S.; requiring that
4 the Department of Education submit to the Legislature
5 an annual report that includes student learning gains
6 and student progression in juvenile justice education
7 programs and details the methodology used by the
8 department to ensure that student performance data is
9 complete and reliable; providing an effective date.

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11 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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13 Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subsection (3) of section
14 1003.52, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

15 1003.52 Educational services in Department of Juvenile
16 Justice programs.—

17 (3) The district school board of the county in which the
18 residential or nonresidential care facility or juvenile
19 assessment facility is located shall provide appropriate
20 educational assessments and an appropriate program of
21 instruction and special education services.

22 (b) ~~By October 1, 2004,~~ The Department of Education, with
23 the assistance of ~~the~~ school districts, shall select a common
24 student assessment instrument and protocol for measuring student
25 learning gains and student progression while a student is in a
26 juvenile justice education program. The assessment instrument
27 and protocol must be implemented in all juvenile justice
28 education programs in this state ~~by January 1, 2005.~~ The
29 Department of Education shall submit to the Legislature an

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30 annual status report that includes the results of the assessment
31 for measuring student learning gains and student progression and
32 details the methodology used by the department to ensure that
33 student performance data is complete and reliable.

34 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2012.