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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate	.	House
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The Committee on Education (Galvano) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 3181 and 3182
insert:

Section 89. Paragraph (b) of subsection (13) of section
1011.62, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

1011.62 Funds for operation of schools.—If the annual
allocation from the Florida Education Finance Program to each
district for operation of schools is not determined in the
annual appropriations act or the substantive bill implementing
the annual appropriations act, it shall be determined as



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12 follows:

13 (13) TOTAL ALLOCATION OF STATE FUNDS TO EACH DISTRICT FOR
14 CURRENT OPERATION.—The total annual state allocation to each
15 district for current operation for the FEFP shall be distributed
16 periodically in the manner prescribed in the General
17 Appropriations Act.

18 (b) The amount thus obtained shall be the net annual
19 allocation to each school district. However, if it is determined
20 that any school district received an underallocation or
21 overallocation for any prior year because of an arithmetical
22 error, assessment roll change required by final judicial
23 decision, full-time equivalent student membership error, or any
24 allocation error revealed in an audit report, the allocation to
25 that district shall be appropriately adjusted. ~~Beginning with~~
26 ~~audits for the 2001-2002 fiscal year, if the adjustment is the~~
27 ~~result of an audit finding in which group 2 FTE are reclassified~~
28 ~~to the basic program and the district weighted FTE are over the~~
29 ~~weighted enrollment ceiling for group 2 programs, the adjustment~~
30 ~~shall not result in a gain of state funds to the district.~~
31 Beginning with the 2011-2012 fiscal year, if a special program
32 cost factor is less than the basic program cost factor, an audit
33 adjustment may not result in the reclassification of the special
34 program FTE to the basic program FTE. If the Department of
35 Education audit adjustment recommendation is based upon
36 controverted findings of fact, the Commissioner of Education is
37 authorized to establish the amount of the adjustment based on
38 the best interests of the state.

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41 And the title is amended as follows:

42 Delete line 170

43 and insert:

44 The Florida Higher Education Loan Authority; amending
45 s. 1011.62, F.S.; deleting an obsolete provision;
46 repealing