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Appropriations Subcommittee on Higher Education (Galvano)
recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 309 - 339

and insert:

Section 2. Effective July 1, 2017, section 1001.6001,
Florida Statutes, is created to read:

1001.6001 Florida Community College System governance.-

(1) The Florida College System, established in s. 1001.60,
is renamed as the Florida Community College System.

(2) The State Board of Community Colleges is created



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11 pursuant to s. 20.156 to oversee and coordinate the Florida
12 Community College System. The Governor shall appoint the
13 membership of the State Board of Community Colleges, subject to
14 confirmation by the Senate, in time for the members to convene
15 for the board's organizational meeting pursuant to s. 20.156(5).

16 (3) The Division of Florida Colleges shall provide
17 administrative support to the State Board of Community Colleges
18 until September 30, 2017.

19 (4) On October 1, 2017, all powers, duties, functions,
20 records, offices, personnel, property, pending issues and
21 existing contracts, administrative authority, administrative
22 rules, and unexpended balances of appropriations, allocations,
23 and other funds related to the Florida College System and the
24 Division of Florida Colleges are transferred by a type two
25 transfer, as defined in s. 20.06(2), from the State Board of
26 Education to the State Board of Community Colleges.

27 (5) The State Board of Community Colleges shall appoint a
28 Chancellor of the Florida Community College System by November
29 1, 2017, to aid the board in the implementation of its
30 responsibilities.

31 (6) Any State Board of Education approval, policy,
32 guidance, and appointment in effect on October 1, 2017, remain
33 effective unless acted upon by the State Board of Community
34 Colleges.

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37 And the title is amended as follows:

38 Delete line 3

39 and insert:



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a short title; creating s. 1001.6001, F.S.; renaming
the Florida College System as