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The Committee on Appropriations (Brandes) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment to Substitute Amendment (518784)

Delete lines 5 - 27
and insert:
programs at public libraries, state colleges, state technical centers, or private postsecondary institutions licensed or otherwise authorized to operate in this state which provide participants with transferable, sustainable workforce skills applicable to more than a single employer or which are listed in s. 445.06, and for equipment associated with these programs. The



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11 department shall work with CareerSource Florida, Inc., to ensure
12 that programs are offered to the public based on criteria
13 established by the state colleges, state technical centers, or
14 private postsecondary institutions licensed or otherwise
15 authorized to operate in this state, and do not exclude
16 applicants who are unemployed or underemployed. Programs that
17 support skills assessment and training for inmates in the state
18 correctional system who have 5 years or less until their release
19 and reentry may also be eligible for grants from this fund. The
20 department may contract with CareerSource Florida, Inc., or
21 administer this program directly.

22 (a) Grant funds may not be expended to provide training for
23 instruction related to retail businesses or to reimburse
24 businesses for trainee wages.

25 (b) Grant requests may be submitted to the department by a
26 public library, state correctional facility, state college,
27 state technical center, or private postsecondary institution.

28 The department shall establish an application process and
29 criteria for grant requests. Costs and expenditures for the
30 workforce training grants must be documented and separated from
31 those incurred by the public library, state correctional
32 facility, state college, state technical center, or private
33 postsecondary institution.