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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Senator Rodriguez moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 5560 and 5561

insert:

Section 77. Section 1009.02, Florida Statutes, is created
to read:

1009.02 Eligibility for educational scholarships upon
restoration of voting rights.—Notwithstanding any other
provision of this chapter, a person who has had his or her
voting rights restored pursuant to s. 4, Art. VI of the State
Constitution upon the completion of all terms of his or her



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12 sentence for a felony conviction for an offense other than
13 murder or a felony sexual offense is eligible to be awarded any
14 scholarship, grant, or other aid for higher education or
15 vocational training under this chapter so long as he or she
16 meets all other requirements to be awarded the scholarship,
17 grant, or other aid.

18 Section 78. If any provision of this act or an act passed
19 by the Legislature relating to the implementation of s. 4,
20 Article VI of the State Constitution is held to be invalid, the
21 invalidity does not affect the provisions of this act which can
22 be given effect without the invalid provision or application,
23 and to this end this act is severable.

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25 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

26 And the title is amended as follows:

27 Delete line 428

28 and insert:

29 made by the act; creating s. 1009.02, F.S.; specifying
30 eligibility for educational scholarships, grants, or
31 other aid for persons who have had voting rights
32 restored pursuant to s. 4, Art. VI of the State
33 Constitution; providing for severability; providing
34 effective dates.