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COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE	ACTION
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Representative LaMarca offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove lines 155-234 and insert:

7 4.(c) The board of trustees shall aggressively seek avenues to 8 generate revenue to support its future endeavors, and shall enter into agreements with distance learning providers. The 9 10 board of trustees may acquire, enjoy, use, and dispose of patents, copyrights, and trademarks and any licenses and other 11 12 rights or interests thereunder or therein. Ownership of all such patents, copyrights, trademarks, licenses, and rights or 13 interests thereunder or therein shall vest in the state, with 14 the board of trustees having full right of use and full right to 15 retain the revenues derived therefrom. Any funds realized from 16 684653 - h1335-line155.docx

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patents, copyrights, trademarks, or licenses shall be considered internal funds as provided in s. 1011.07. Such funds <u>may</u> shall be used to support the school's marketing and research and development activities in order to improve courseware and services to its students.

22 <u>5.(d)</u> The board of trustees shall be responsible for the 23 administration and control of all <u>internal and</u> local school 24 funds derived from all activities or sources and shall prescribe 25 the principles and procedures to be followed in administering 26 these funds.

27 6.(e) The Florida Virtual School may accrue supplemental 28 revenue from a direct-support organization in accordance with s. 29 1001.453. The Florida Virtual School may also accrue 30 supplemental revenue from supplemental support organizations, 31 which include, but are not limited to, alumni associations, 32 foundations, parent-teacher associations, and booster 33 associations. However, a member of the governing body of such an organization may not have a business relationship with or 34 35 pecuniary interest in the Florida Virtual School. The governing 36 body of each supplemental support organization shall recommend 37 the expenditure of moneys collected or generated by it the organization for the benefit of the school. Such expenditures 38 shall be contingent upon the review and approval of the 39 executive director of the Florida Virtual School. The executive 40 41 director may override any proposed expenditure of the 684653 - h1335-line155.docx

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42 organization that would violate Florida law or breach sound 43 educational management.

In accordance with law and rules of the State Board of Education, the board of trustees shall administer and maintain personnel programs for all employees of the board of trustees and the Florida Virtual School. The board of trustees may adopt rules, policies, and procedures related to the appointment, employment, and removal of personnel.

50 <u>a.1.</u> The board of trustees shall determine the 51 compensation, including salaries and fringe benefits, and other 52 conditions of employment for such personnel.

53 b.2. The board of trustees may establish and maintain a 54 personnel loan or exchange program by which persons employed by the board of trustees for the Florida Virtual School as academic 55 56 administrative and instructional staff may be loaned to, or 57 exchanged with persons employed in like capacities by, public 58 agencies either within or without this state, or by private 59 industry. With respect to public agency employees, the program 60 authorized by this subparagraph shall be consistent with the 61 requirements of part II of chapter 112. The salary and benefits 62 of board of trustees personnel participating in the loan or exchange program shall be continued during the period of time 63 they participate in a loan or exchange program, and such 64 personnel shall be deemed to have no break in creditable or 65 66 continuous service or employment during such time. The salary 684653 - h1335-line155.docx

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and benefits of persons participating in the personnel loan or exchange program who are employed by public agencies or private industry shall be paid by the originating employers of those participants, and such personnel shall be deemed to have no break in creditable or continuous service or employment during such time.

73 c.3. The employment of all Florida Virtual School academic 74 administrative and instructional personnel shall be subject to rejection for cause by the board of trustees, and shall be 75 76 subject to policies of the board of trustees relative to 77 certification, tenure, leaves of absence, sabbaticals, 78 remuneration; subject to, and such other conditions of 79 employment as the board of trustees deems necessary and proper; 80 and consistent, not inconsistent with law, including s. 1001.42(5), (6), and (7). 81

<u>d.4.</u> All academic administrative and instructional
 personnel employed by Each person employed by the board of
 trustees in an academic administrative or instructional capacity
 with the Florida Virtual School are shall be entitled to an
 annual, written a contract as provided by rules of the board of
 trustees. Employment contracts for nonacademic personnel may be
 determined by board of trustees policy.

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92 Remove lines 33-34 and insert:

93 are subject to specified policies; revising requirements for the

94 use of certain employment contracts; deleting a

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