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LEGISLATIVE ACTION Senate House Comm: RCS 02/25/2022

The Committee on Appropriations (Gainer) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

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Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Subsection (4) of section 1009.22, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

1009.22 Workforce education postsecondary student fees.-(4)(a) A district school board or Florida College System institution board of trustees that has a service area that borders another state may implement a plan for a differential



out-of-state fee.

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(b) A district school board or Florida College System institution board of trustees, in consultation with regional workforce and economic development organizations, may implement a plan for a differential out-of-state fee for the purpose of recruiting students into programs of study identified as necessary to address unmet current and future workforce needs in the region as identified by the Labor Market Estimating Conference created in s. 216.136 or the Credentials Review Committee established in s. 445.004. A school district or Florida College System institution shall prioritize the enrollment of a resident student in the identified programs of study over an out-of-state student. A district school board or Florida College System institution board of trustees shall annually provide a report to the State Board of Education on the employment outcomes of the students who receive a differential out-of-state fee. The report must include the percentage of such students who are employed in the occupations identified as having unmet current and future workforce needs.

Section 2. Present paragraph (b) of subsection (6) of section 1009.23, Florida Statutes, is redesignated as paragraph (c), and a new paragraph (b) is added to that subsection, to read:

1009.23 Florida College System institution student fees.-(6)

(b) A Florida College System institution board of trustees, in consultation with regional workforce and economic development organizations, may implement a plan for a differential out-ofstate fee for the purpose of recruiting students into programs



of study identified as necessary to address unmet current and future workforce needs in the region as identified by the Labor Market Estimating Conference created in s. 216.136 or the Credentials Review Committee established in s. 445.004. A Florida College System institution shall prioritize the enrollment of a resident student in the identified programs of study over an out-of-state student. A Florida College System institution board of trustees shall annually provide a report to the State Board of Education on the employment outcomes of the students who receive a differential out-of-state fee. The report must include the percentage of such students who are employed in the occupations identified as having unmet current and future workforce needs.

Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2022.

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Delete everything before the enacting clause and insert:

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to workforce education postsecondary student fees; amending ss. 1009.22 and 1009.23, F.S.; authorizing district school boards and Florida College System institutions' boards of trustees, in consultation with certain organizations, to implement a plan for a differential out-of-state fee for specified purposes; requiring school districts and Florida College System institutions to prioritize the enrollment of certain students in specified programs



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