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COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	_____	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	_____	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	_____	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	_____	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	_____	(Y/N)
OTHER		

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Choice & Innovation
 2 Subcommittee

3 Representative Brackett offered the following:

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5 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

6 Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

7 Section 1. Paragraphs (c) and (d) of subsection (18) of
 8 section 1002.20, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

9 1002.20 K-12 student and parent rights.—Parents of public
 10 school students must receive accurate and timely information
 11 regarding their child's academic progress and must be informed
 12 of ways they can help their child to succeed in school. K-12
 13 students and their parents are afforded numerous statutory
 14 rights including, but not limited to, the following:

15 (18) EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES.—In accordance with the
 16 provisions of s. 1006.15:

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17 (c) Charter school students.—Charter school students who
18 meet specified academic and conduct requirements are eligible to
19 participate in extracurricular activities at the public school
20 to which the student would be assigned or could choose to attend
21 according to district school board policies, or may develop an
22 agreement to participate at a private school, unless such
23 activity is provided by the student's charter school.

24 (d) Florida Virtual School full-time students.—Florida
25 Virtual School full-time students who meet specified academic
26 and conduct requirements are eligible to participate in
27 extracurricular activities at the public school to which the
28 student would be assigned or could choose to attend according to
29 district school board policies, or may develop an agreement to
30 participate at a private school.

31 Section 2. Subsection (11) of section 1002.33, Florida
32 Statutes, is amended to read:

33 1002.33 Charter schools.—

34 (11) PARTICIPATION IN INTERSCHOLASTIC EXTRACURRICULAR
35 ACTIVITIES.—A charter school student is eligible to participate
36 in an interscholastic extracurricular activity at the public
37 school to which the student would be otherwise assigned to
38 attend, or may develop an agreement to participate at a private
39 school, pursuant to s. 1006.15(3)(d).

40 Section 3. Paragraphs (d) and (e) of subsection (3) of
41 section 1006.15, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

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42 1006.15 Student standards for participation in
43 interscholastic and intrascholastic extracurricular student
44 activities; regulation.—

45 (3)

46 (d) An individual charter school student pursuant to s.
47 1002.33 is eligible to participate at the public school to which
48 the student would be assigned according to district school board
49 attendance area policies or which the student could attend, or
50 may develop an agreement to participate at a private school, in
51 any interscholastic extracurricular activity of that school,
52 unless such activity is provided by the student's charter
53 school, if the following conditions are met:

54 1. The charter school student must meet the requirements
55 of the charter school education program as determined by the
56 charter school governing board.

57 2. During the period of participation at a school, the
58 charter school student must demonstrate educational progress as
59 required in paragraph (b).

60 3. The charter school student must meet the same residency
61 requirements as other students in the school at which he or she
62 participates.

63 4. The charter school student must meet the same standards
64 of acceptance, behavior, and performance that are required of
65 other students in extracurricular activities.

66 5. The charter school student must register with the

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67 school his or her intent to participate in interscholastic
68 extracurricular activities as a representative of the school
69 before participation. A charter school student must be able to
70 participate in curricular activities if that is a requirement
71 for an extracurricular activity.

72 6. A student who transfers from a charter school program
73 to a traditional public school before or during the first
74 grading period of the school year is academically eligible to
75 participate in interscholastic extracurricular activities during
76 the first grading period if the student has a successful
77 evaluation from the previous school year, pursuant to
78 subparagraph 2.

79 7. Any public school or private school student who has
80 been unable to maintain academic eligibility for participation
81 in interscholastic extracurricular activities is ineligible to
82 participate in such activities as a charter school student until
83 the student has successfully completed one grading period in a
84 charter school pursuant to subparagraph 2. to become eligible to
85 participate as a charter school student.

86 (e) A student of the Florida Virtual School full-time
87 program may participate in any interscholastic extracurricular
88 activity at the public school to which the student would be
89 assigned according to district school board attendance area
90 policies or which the student could choose to attend pursuant to
91 s. 1002.31, or may develop an agreement to participate at a

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92 | private school, if the student:

93 | 1. During the period of participation in the
94 | interscholastic extracurricular activity, meets the requirements
95 | in paragraph (a).

96 | 2. Meets any additional requirements as determined by the
97 | board of trustees of the Florida Virtual School.

98 | 3. Meets the same residency requirements as other students
99 | in the school at which he or she participates.

100 | 4. Meets the same standards of acceptance, behavior, and
101 | performance that are required of other students in
102 | extracurricular activities.

103 | 5. Registers his or her intent to participate in
104 | interscholastic extracurricular activities with the school
105 | before participation. A Florida Virtual school student must be
106 | able to participate in curricular activities if that is a
107 | requirement for an extracurricular activity.

108 | Section 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 2023.

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111 | **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

112 | Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert:
113 | An act relating to interscholastic extracurricular activities;
114 | amending s. 1002.20; authorizing Florida Virtual School full-
115 | time program students and charter school students to participate
116 | in interscholastic extracurricular activities at a private

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117 | school under certain circumstances; amending s. 1002.33;
118 | authorizing a charter school student to participate in
119 | interscholastic extracurricular activities at a private school
120 | under certain circumstances; amending s. 1006.15; authorizing
121 | Florida Virtual School full-time program students and charter
122 | school students to participate in interscholastic
123 | extracurricular activities at a private school under certain
124 | circumstances; providing an effective date.
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