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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Appropriations Committee on Pre-K - 12 Education (Leek) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete everything after the enacting clause
and insert:

Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of section
1006.23, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

1006.23 Hazardous walking conditions.—

(2) HAZARDOUS WALKING CONDITIONS.—

(a) *Walkways parallel to the road.*—

1. It shall be considered a hazardous walking condition



11 with respect to any road along which students must walk in order
12 to walk to and from school if there is not an area at least 4
13 feet wide adjacent to the road, not including drainage ditches,
14 sluiceways, swales, or channels, having a surface upon which
15 students may walk without being required to walk on the road
16 surface or if the walkway is along a limited access facility as
17 defined in s. 334.03(12). In addition, whenever the road along
18 which students must walk is uncurbed and has a posted speed
19 limit of 50 miles per hour or greater, the area as described
20 above for students to walk upon shall be set off the road by no
21 less than 3 feet from the edge of the road.

22 2. Subparagraph 1. does not apply when the road along which
23 students must walk:

24 a. Is a road on which the volume of traffic is less than
25 180 vehicles per hour, per direction, during the time students
26 walk to and from school; or

27 b. Is located in a residential area and has a posted speed
28 limit of 30 miles per hour or less.

29 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2025.

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32 And the title is amended as follows:

33 Delete everything before the enacting clause
34 and insert:

35 A bill to be entitled
36 An act relating to hazardous walking conditions;
37 amending s. 1006.23, F.S.; revising the criteria that
38 determine a hazardous walking condition for public
39 school students; providing an effective date.