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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to foreign students enrolled in public
3 postsecondary educational institutions; creating s.
4 1004.0983, F.S.; requiring Florida College System
5 institutions and state universities to limit the
6 number of enrolled students who are citizens of a
7 foreign country and who are not permanent residents of
8 the United States to a specified percentage of
9 students enrolled at the institution or university;
10 requiring the State Board of Education and the Board
11 of Governors to adopt rules and regulations,
12 respectively; providing an effective date.

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14 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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16 Section 1. Section 1004.0983, Florida Statutes, is created
17 to read:

18 1004.0983 Limiting the number of foreign students enrolled
19 in public postsecondary educational institutions.-

20 (1) Each Florida College System institution and state
21 university shall limit the number of enrolled students who are
22 citizens of a foreign country and who are not permanent
23 residents of the United States to no more than 10 percent of the
24 total number of students enrolled at the institution or
25 university.

26 (2) The State Board of Education and the Board of Governors
27 shall adopt rules and regulations, respectively, to administer
28 this section.

29 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2026.