

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE AMENDMENT

Bill No. HB 453 (2026)

Amendment No. 1

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WITHDRAWN _____ (Y/N)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: Student Academic Success
2 Subcommittee

3 Representative Gossett-Seidman offered the following:

5 **Amendment (with directory and title amendments)**

6 Between lines 14 and 15, insert:

7 (3) STANDARD HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA; COURSE AND ASSESSMENT
8 REQUIREMENTS.—

9 (f) One credit in physical education.—Physical education
10 must include the integration of health. Participation in an
11 interscholastic sport at the junior varsity or varsity level for
12 two full seasons shall satisfy the one-credit requirement in
13 physical education. A district school board may not require that
14 the one credit in physical education be taken during the 9th
15 grade year. Completion of 2 years of marching band shall satisfy
16 the one-credit requirement in physical education and ~~or~~ the one-

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credit requirement in performing arts. This credit may not be used to satisfy the personal fitness requirement or the requirement for adaptive physical education under an individual education plan (IEP) or 504 plan. Completion of one semester with a grade of "C" or better in a marching band class, in a physical activity class that requires participation in marching band activities as an extracurricular activity, or in a dance class shall satisfy one-half credit in physical education or one-half credit in performing arts. This credit may not be used to satisfy the personal fitness requirement or the requirement for adaptive physical education under an IEP or 504 plan. Completion of 2 years in a Reserve Officer Training Corps (R.O.T.C.) class, a significant component of which is drills, shall satisfy the one-credit requirement in physical education and the one-credit requirement in performing arts. This credit may not be used to satisfy the personal fitness requirement or the requirement for adaptive physical education under an IEP or 504 plan.

D I R E C T O R Y A M E N D M E N T

Remove lines 11-12 and insert:

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Section 1. Paragraph (f) of subsection (3) and paragraph (b) of subsection (8) of section 1003.4282, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

T I T L E A M E N D M E N T

Remove line 3 and insert:

school diploma; amending s. 1003.4282, F.S.; providing that completion of 2 years marching band satisfies both the physical education and performing arts requirements for a standard high school diploma; providing