

CS/SB 436 — Community Colleges

by Higher Education Committee and Senators Baker, Smith, and Bullard

This bill changes the names of four community colleges, as follows:

- Central Florida Community College is renamed College of Central Florida;
- Lake City Community College is renamed Florida Gateway College;
- Palm Beach Community College is renamed Palm Beach State College; and
- Seminole Community College is renamed Seminole State College of Florida.

The State Board of Education approved name changes for these four colleges. As required by law, the college must seek a statutory codification of the name in the year following the college's name change. This bill codifies the colleges' new names in the Florida Statutes.

If approved by the Governor, these provisions take effect upon becoming law.

Vote: Senate 37-0; House 117-0