



Conference Committee on Senate Education Pre-K-12 Appropriations/ House Pre-K-12 Appropriations

HB 5103 and Related Proviso-Early Learning Issues
Senate Offer # 1

Friday, March 2, 2012 12:00 p.m. Morris Hall

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Accept House Offer #1, except for the following amendments to House Offer #1 on HB 5103 and Proviso:

Strike lines 333-337, and insert:

12. Adopt a standardized method of monitoring the compliance of school readiness providers under the statewide, standardized contract adopted under subparagraph 11.

On line 344, strike: tool and insert: method

On line 350, after "measures" insert: , enhancement and monitoring of quality standards

On line 1078, strike: tool and insert: method

Between 1088 and 1089, insert:

h. Complying with any other requirements of federal or state law regarding the activities to improve quality of child care.

On lines 1005 through 1159 and in Budget Proviso:

Modify House language to provide the following:

- Require the calculation and implementation of each funding provision by the Office of Early Learning using the calculation methodology in law and proviso of the General Appropriations Act.
- Require a 3-year phase in of the new funding calculations as determined in law and proviso of the General Appropriations Act.
- Modify sections 411.01(10) and 216.136, F.S., to authorize the Early Learning Programs Estimating Conference to review and approve the calculations proposed by the Office of Early Learning, if requested by any conference principal.
- Modify all proviso to conform to the funding provisions above.