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House



LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate

Floor: 1g/RE/2R 03/04/2016 10:40 PM

Senator Brandes moved the following:

Senate Amendment to Amendment (274472) (with directory and title amendments)

Between lines 127 and 128

insert:

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(25) FISCAL TRANSPARENCY.-A parent has the right to know the average amount of money estimated to be expended from all local, state, and federal sources for the education of his or her child, including operating and capital outlay expenses. By December 31 of each year, the department shall publish on its website from each school district's annual financial report,

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12	expenditures on a per FTE basis for general, special revenue,
13	debt service, and capital project funds and a total of such
14	expenditures. Fiduciary, enterprise, and internal service funds
15	may not be included. By December 31 of each year, each school
16	district shall publish the school district's funding information
17	in the same format on its website. With the exception of
18	expenditures from debt service and capital project funds, the
19	same information regarding the specific school shall be made
20	available to students on each school's website, provided to
21	parents in the school financial report, and published in the
22	student handbook or a similar publication.
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24	===== DIRECTORY CLAUSE AMENDMENT ======
25	And the directory clause is amended as follows:
26	Delete line 57
27	and insert:
28	amended, and subsection (25) is added to that section, to read:
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30	========== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =================================
31	And the title is amended as follows:
32	Delete line 2602
33	and insert:
34	enrollment; providing the right of a parent to know an
35	estimated amount of money expended for the education
36	of his or her child; requiring the Department of
37	Education to annually publish certain financial
38	information on its website by a specified date;
39	requiring each school district to publish certain
40	financial information on its website by a specified

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41 date; requiring certain financial information to be 42 published on each school's website, provided in the 43 school financial report, and authorizing the 44 information to be published in the student handbook or 45 a similar publication; amending s. 1002.31, F.S.; 46 requiring each