

Amendment No. 9

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
OTHER	<u> </u>	

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Education Committee
 2 Representative Cortes, B. offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

5 Between lines 1133 and 1134, insert:

6 Section 1. Subsection (5) is added to section 1011.69,
 7 Florida Statutes, to read:

8 1011.69 Equity in School-Level Funding Act.—

9 (5) To help meet the academic needs of economically
 10 disadvantaged students, school districts shall provide Title I
 11 funds directly to all eligible schools as provided in this
 12 subsection. For purposes of this subsection, an eligible school
 13 is a school that is eligible to receive Title I funds, including
 14 a charter school. The threshold for identifying eligible schools
 15 shall not exceed the statewide percentage of economically
 16 disadvantaged students.

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17 (a) Prior to the allocation of Title I funds to eligible
18 schools, a school district may withhold funds only as follows:

19 1. One percent for parent involvement;

20 2. A necessary and reasonable amount for administration,
21 not to exceed eight percent; and

22 3. A reasonable and necessary amount to provide:

23 a. Homeless programs;

24 b. Delinquent and neglected programs; and

25 c. Private school equitable services.

26 (b) All remaining Title I funds shall be distributed to all
27 eligible schools in accordance with federal law and regulation.

28 An eligible school may use funds under this subsection to
29 participate in discretionary educational services provided by
30 the school district.

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

35 Remove line 41 and insert:

36 enrollment and early admission programs; amending s. 1011.69,
37 F.S., providing a definition; revising requirements for the
38 provision of certain funds to eligible schools; limiting
39 purposes for which certain funds may be withheld; authorizing
40 eligible schools to use funds to participate in certain
41 services; providing an