

Bill No. CS for CS for SB 1586

Amendment No. Barcode 794046

<u>Senate</u>	CHAMBER ACTION	<u>House</u>
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11 Senator Wise moved the following **substitute for amendment**
 12 (954176):

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 14 **Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

15 On page 51, line 12, following the period

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17 insert: The Governor shall convene a validity panel to make
 18 comprehensive recommendations on the impacts of specific
 19 accommodations on statewide assessments to the Florida Board
 20 of Education by October 1, 2002. These recommendations must be
 21 based on an evaluation and analysis of the types of
 22 accommodations that are used for instructional purposes as
 23 identified in the student's Individual Education Plan or 504
 24 plan. The recommendations must include a review of the impact
 25 of these accommodations on the validity of the statewide
 26 assessments and must be based on proven research and evidence.
 27 The panel shall consist of 11 members appointed by the
 28 Governor, and shall include 3 advocates, 3 parents of students
 29 with disabilities, 3 professional educators with expertise in
 30 programs for students with disabilities, and 2 assessment and
 31 testing experts. Based on the recommendations by the panel,

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1 the Florida Board of Education shall develop a list of
 2 specific accommodations scientifically determined to have a
 3 negative impact on the validity of statewide assessments. The
 4 determinations must be made by February 1, 2003.

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10 And the title is amended as follows:

11 On page 4, line 10, after the semicolon

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13 insert:

14 directing the Governor to appoint a validity
 15 panel to make recommendations on the impacts of
 16 specific accommodations;

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