The Committee on Budget (Montford) recommended the following:

**Senate Amendment**

Delete lines 1170 - 2226 and insert:

Section 16. (1) Any school district that receives a grant of at least $75 million from a private foundation for the purpose of improving the effectiveness of teachers within the school district may seek an annual exemption from the State Board of Education from the requirements of the amendments made by this act to ss. 1012.22 and 1012.34, Florida Statutes.

(2) In order to receive approval from the State Board of Education for an exemption under this section, a school district must demonstrate to the State Board of Education that it is
implementing the following:

(a) A teacher evaluation system that uses student performance as the single greatest component of the teacher’s evaluation.

(b) A teacher compensation system that awards salary increases based on sustained student performance.

(c) A teacher contract system that awards contracts based on student performance.

(3) The State Board of Education shall annually renew a school district’s exemption if the school district provides a progress report that demonstrates that the school district continues to meet the requirements of subsection (2).

(4) The State Board of Education shall adopt rules pursuant to ss. 120.536(1) and 120.54. Florida Statutes, to establish the procedures for applying for an exemption under this section.

Section 17. Chapter 2010-279, Laws of Florida, does not apply to any rulemaking required to administer this act.

Section 18. The provisions of any special act or general law of local application relating to contracts for instructional personnel in public schools or school districts in effect on or before the effective date of this act are repealed with the exception of chapter 75-384, Laws of Florida.