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1 A bill to be entitled 2 An act relating to the Florida Bright Futures 3 Scholarship Program; amending s. 1009.531, F.S.; 4 revising student eligibility requirements for receipt 5 of a Florida Medallion Scholars award with respect to 6 national examination scores; providing an effective 7 date. 8 9 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 10 11 Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subsection (6) of section 12 1009.531, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 13 1009.531 Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program; 14 student eligibility requirements for initial awards.-15 (6) 16 The State Board of Education shall publicize the (b) 17 examination score required for a student to be eligible for a Florida Medallion Scholars award, pursuant to s. 1009.535(1)(a) 18 19 or (b), as follows: 20 For high school students graduating in the 2010-2011 1. academic year, the student must earn an SAT score of 970 or a 21 22 concordant ACT score of 20 or the student in a home education 23 program whose parent cannot document a college-preparatory 24 curriculum must earn an SAT score of 1070 or a concordant ACT 25 score of 23. 26 2. For high school students graduating in the 2011-2012 27 academic year, the student must earn an SAT score of 980 which corresponds to the 44th SAT percentile rank or a concordant ACT 28 Page 1 of 2

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29 score of 21 or the student in a home education program whose 30 parent cannot document a college-preparatory curriculum must 31 earn an SAT score of 1070 or a concordant ACT score of 23.

32 3. For high school students graduating in the 2012-2013 33 academic year <u>and thereafter</u>, the student must earn an SAT score 34 of 1020 which corresponds to the 51st SAT percentile rank or a 35 concordant ACT score of 22 or the student in a home education 36 program whose parent cannot document a college-preparatory 37 curriculum must earn an SAT score of 1070 or a concordant ACT 38 score of 23.

39 4. For high school students graduating in the 2013-2014 40 academic year and thereafter, the student must earn an SAT score 41 of 1170 which corresponds to the 75th SAT percentile rank or a 42 concordant ACT score of 26 or the student in a home education 43 program whose parent cannot document a college-preparatory 44 curriculum must earn an SAT score of 1220 or a concordant ACT 45 score of 27.

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Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.

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