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| 1 | A bill to be entitled |
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| 2 | An act relating to education funding; amending s. |
| 3 | 1011.62, F.S.; providing for the calculation of |
| 4 | additional full-time equivalent student membership |
| 5 | based on enrollment in Advancement Via Individual |
| 6 | Determination elective classes and examination scores; |
| 7 | providing for the use of funds; providing an effective |
| 8 | date. |
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| 10 | Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: |
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| 12 | Section 1. Paragraphs (p) through (u) of subsection (1) of |
| 13 | section 1011.62, Florida Statutes, are redesignated as |
| 14 | paragraphs (q) through (v), respectively, and a new paragraph |
| 15 | (p) is added to that subsection to read: |
| 16 | 1011.62 Funds for operation of schoolsIf the annual |
| 17 | allocation from the Florida Education Finance Program to each |
| 18 | district for operation of schools is not determined in the |
| 19 | annual appropriations act or the substantive bill implementing |
| 20 | the annual appropriations act, it shall be determined as |
| 21 | follows: |
| 22 | (1) COMPUTATION OF THE BASIC AMOUNT TO BE INCLUDED FOR |
| 23 | OPERATIONThe following procedure shall be followed in |
| 24 | determining the annual allocation to each district for |
| 25 | operation: |
| 26 | (p) Calculation of additional full-time equivalent |
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| 27 | membership of students enrolled in the Advancement Via |
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| 28 | Individual Determination system based on scores on the |
| 29 | International Baccalaureate examination, the Advanced |
| 30 | International Certificate of Education examination, the College |
| 31 | Board Advanced Placement examination, and mathematics end-of- |
| 32 | course examinations for students in grades 6 through 8 |
| 33 | 1. A value of 0.08 full-time equivalent student membership |
| 34 | shall be calculated for each student enrolled in an Advancement |
| 35 | Via Individual Determination elective class recognized in the |
| 36 | Florida Course Code Directory who takes: |
| 37 | a. An International Baccalaureate course and receives a |
| 38 | score of 4 or higher on the subject examination; |
| 39 | b. An Advanced International Certificate of Education |
| 40 | course and receives a score of E or higher on the subject |
| 41 | examination; |
| 42 | c. A College Board Advanced Placement course and receives |
| 43 | a score of 3 or higher on the College Board Advanced Placement |
| 44 | examination; or |
| 45 | d. An Algebra or higher-level mathematics course and |
| 46 | receives a passing score on the end-of-course examination for |
| 47 | students in grades 6 through 8. |
| 48 | 2. The value shall be added to the total full-time |
| 49 | equivalent student membership in basic programs for grades 6 |
| 50 | through 12 in the subsequent fiscal year. |
| 51 | 3. Each school district shall allocate the funds received |
| 52 | pursuant to this paragraph to the school whose students generate |
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| 53 | the funds. Funds shall be expended solely for the payment of |
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| 54 | costs associated with the school's Advancement Via Individual |
| 55 | Determination system, which include annual membership fees; |
| 56 | professional development and training for program coordinators, |
| 57 | teachers, and tutors; instructional supplies and materials; and |
| 58 | compensation for tutors. |
| 59 | Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2014. |
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