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Amendment No.

Senate

House

Representative Valdés offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 375 and 376, insert:

Section 3. Paragraphs (a) and (c) of subsection (16) of section 1011.62, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

7 1011.62 Funds for operation of schools.—If the annual 8 allocation from the Florida Education Finance Program to each 9 district for operation of schools is not determined in the 10 annual appropriations act or the substantive bill implementing 11 the annual appropriations act, it shall be determined as 12 follows:

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(16) TEACHER SALARY INCREASE ALLOCATION.—The Legislature may annually provide in the Florida Education Finance Program a teacher salary increase allocation to assist school districts in their recruitment and retention of classroom teachers and other instructional personnel. The amount of the allocation shall be specified in the General Appropriations Act.

Each school district shall receive an allocation based 19 (a) on the school district's proportionate share of the base FEFP 20 21 allocation. The department shall release such funds within 30 22 days after receipt of the salary distribution plans required in paragraph (c). Each school district shall provide each charter 23 24 school within its district its proportionate share calculated 25 pursuant to s. 1002.33(17)(b). If a district school board has 26 not received its allocation due to its failure to submit an 27 approved district salary distribution plan, the district school 28 board must still provide each charter school that has submitted 29 a salary distribution plan within its district its proportionate 30 share of the allocation.

(c) Before distributing allocation funds received pursuant to paragraph (a), each school district and each charter school shall develop a salary distribution plan that clearly delineates the planned distribution of funds pursuant to paragraph (b) in accordance with modified salary schedules, as necessary, for the implementation of this subsection.

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37 1. Each school district superintendent and each charter 38 school administrator must submit its proposed salary 39 distribution plan to the district school board or the charter 40 school governing body, as appropriate, for approval. 41 2. Each school district shall submit the approved district 42 salary distribution plan and, along with the approved salary 43 distribution plan for each charter school in the district $_{\tau}$ to the department by October 1 of each fiscal year. 44 45 46 TITLE AMENDMENT 47 Remove line 43 and insert: 48 49 school facilities; amending s. 1011.62, F.S.; 50 requiring the department to release certain funds within a specified timeframe; providing that a 51 52 district school board must provide a specified amount 53 of funding to charter schools within the district if the teacher salary increase allocation is delayed for 54 55 specified reasons; requiring the Office of Program 558087 Approved For Filing: 3/7/2022 10:12:03 AM

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