

HB 15C

2023C

1                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to historically black colleges and  
3           universities; providing an appropriation to the  
4           Department of Education for increased security  
5           measures at public and private historically black  
6           colleges and universities in the state; requiring  
7           reversion of unexpended funds; providing for future  
8           appropriation; providing an effective date.

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10   Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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12           Section 1. For the 2023-2024 fiscal year, the nonrecurring  
13 sum of \$30 million from the General Revenue Fund is appropriated  
14 to the Department of Education to provide grants to each public  
15 and private historically black college and university in the  
16 state for increased security measures. Grants must be awarded no  
17 later than March 1, 2024. The unexpended balance of funds  
18 appropriated to the department as of June 30, 2024, shall revert  
19 and is appropriated to the department for the same purpose for  
20 the 2024-2025 fiscal year.

21           Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2024.