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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Committee on Judiciary (Bean) recommended the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Between lines 3191 and 3192  
insert:

Section 29. Paragraph (1) is added to subsection (3) of  
section 1002.20, Florida Statutes, to read:

1002.20 K-12 student and parent rights.—Parents of public  
school students must receive accurate and timely information  
regarding their child's academic progress and must be informed  
of ways they can help their child to succeed in school. K-12  
students and their parents are afforded numerous statutory



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12 rights including, but not limited to, the following:

13 (3) HEALTH ISSUES.—

14 (1) Notification of involuntary examinations.—The public  
15 school principal or the principal's designee shall immediately  
16 notify the parent of a student who is removed from school,  
17 school transportation, or a school-sponsored activity and taken  
18 to a receiving facility for an involuntary examination pursuant  
19 to s. 394.463. The principal or the principal's designee may  
20 delay notification for no more than 24 hours after the student  
21 is removed from school if the principal or designee deems the  
22 delay to be in the student's best interest and if a report has  
23 been submitted to the central abuse hotline, pursuant to s.  
24 39.201, based upon knowledge or suspicion of abuse, abandonment,  
25 or neglect. Each district school board shall develop a policy  
26 and procedures for notification under this paragraph.

27 Section 30. Paragraph (q) is added to subsection (9) of  
28 section 1002.33, Florida Statutes, to read:

29 1002.33 Charter schools.—

30 (9) CHARTER SCHOOL REQUIREMENTS.—

31 (q) The charter school principal or the principal's  
32 designee shall immediately notify the parent of a student who is  
33 removed from school, school transportation, or a school-  
34 sponsored activity and taken to a receiving facility for an  
35 involuntary examination pursuant to s. 394.463. The principal or  
36 the principal's designee may delay notification for no more than  
37 24 hours after the student is removed from school if the  
38 principal or designee deems the delay to be in the student's  
39 best interest and if a report has been submitted to the central  
40 abuse hotline, pursuant to s. 39.201, based upon knowledge or



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41 suspicion of abuse, abandonment, or neglect. Each charter school  
42 governing board shall develop a policy and procedures for  
43 notification under this paragraph.

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46 And the title is amended as follows:

47 Delete line 161

48 and insert:

49 the Legislature; amending ss. 1002.20 and 1002.33,  
50 F.S.; requiring public school and charter school  
51 principals or their designees to provide notice of the  
52 whereabouts of a student removed from school, school  
53 transportation, or a school-sponsored activity for  
54 involuntary examination; providing conditions for  
55 delay in notification; requiring district school  
56 boards and charter school governing boards to develop  
57 notification policies and procedures; amending ss.  
58 39.407, 394.4612,