

CHAPTER 2022-182

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 430

An act relating to the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children; amending s. 1000.39, F.S.; requiring the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives to each appoint one member to the State Council on Interstate Educational Opportunity for Military Children, rather than appoint one member jointly; amending s. 1000.40, F.S.; extending the scheduled repeal of the compact and related provisions; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Subsection (3) of section 1000.39, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

1000.39 State council; Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children.—

(3) The council shall consist of the following eight ~~seven~~ members:

(a) The Commissioner of Education or his or her designee.

(b) The superintendent, or his or her designee, for the school district with the highest percentage per capita of military children during the previous school year.

(c) Two members appointed by the Commissioner of Education, one of whom shall represent a military installation located within this state and one of whom shall represent the executive branch and possess experience in assisting military families in obtaining educational services for their children. The term of each member appointed under this paragraph shall be for 4 years, except that, in order to provide for staggered terms, the Commissioner of Education shall initially appoint one member to a term of 2 years and one member to a term of 3 years.

(d) One member appointed by, and who shall serve at the pleasure of, the President of the Senate and one member appointed by, and who shall serve at the pleasure of, the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

(e) The Compact Commissioner and the Military Family Education Liaison designated by the Governor under s. 1000.38, who shall serve as nonvoting, ex officio members of the council.

Section 2. Section 1000.40, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

1000.40 Future repeal of the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children.—Sections 1000.36, 1000.361, 1000.38, and 1000.39 and this section shall stand repealed on July 1, 2025 ~~2022~~,

unless reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature.

Section 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

Approved by the Governor June 9, 2022.

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