CHAPTER 98-229

House Bill No. 3407

An act relating to courses of study; amending s. 233.061, F.S.; including the study of Hispanic and Women's contributions to the United States in required public school instruction; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Paragraphs (o) and (p) are added to subsection (2) of section 233.061, Florida Statutes, to read:

233.061 Required instruction.—

- (2) Members of the instructional staff of the public schools, subject to the rules and regulations of the commissioner, the state board, and the school board, shall teach efficiently and faithfully, using the books and materials required, following the prescribed courses of study, and employing approved methods of instruction, the following:
 - (o) The study of Hispanic contributions to the United States.
 - (p) The study of Women's Contributions to the United States.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1 of the year in which enacted.

Approved by the Governor May 26, 1998.

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