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Commissioner and DOE team,

Just wanted to let you know that Sen. Gaetz finally signed off on changes to the high school grading system to allow the FCAT to be "at least" 50% of the high school's grade.

He said he would put this into his accelerated graduation bill.

I believe the House would rather put this fix into the waiver bill.

Just wanted you to know as it may impact your activities/thinking on school grade changes.

Patricia