Public Schools Enrollment Estimating Conference December 12, 2008 Executive Summary

The Public Schools Enrollment Estimating Conference met on December 12, 2008, to consider an updated estimate for FY 2008-09 and revised forecasts for FYs 2009-10, 2010-11 and 2011-12. Since the last forecast, unweighted full-time equivalent (FTE) counts were obtained from the October FTE survey (3rd Calculation). Updated FTE forecasts are used for the Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP) calculations and include all students in grades Kindergarten through grade 12 and certain prekindergarten students (students with disabilities and children of teenage parents). The Conference adopted the following estimated and projected enrollments:

		2008-09			
	2008-09	Estimated based	2009-10	2010-2011	2011-12
Program Category	Appropriated	on 3rd Calc.)	Projected	Projected	Projected
Basic Education					
Grades K-12	1,873,993.02	1,867,664.83	1,860,076.41	1,861,919.37	1,875,991.68
Basic Education for					
ESE Students in					
Grades K-12	494,927.92	488,785.88	486,346.05	485,035.13	485,704.28
English for Speakers					
of Other Languages					
(ESOL)	161,863.73	158,442.27	157,259.02	157,515.51	159,547.65
Exceptional Student					
Education (ESE)					
Programs 254 & 255	25,669.43	26,082.36	26,274.01	26,355.44	26,402.95
Career Education	74,931.92	72,759.31	72,153.02	70,993.50	69,835.91
TOTAL PK-12	2,631,386.02	2,613,734.65	2,602,108.51	2,601,818.95	2,617,482.47
Growth	108.92	-17,651.37	-11,626.14	-289.56	15,663.52
	Over/Under	Over/Under	Over/Under FY	Over/Under FY	Over/Under FY
	FY 07-08	Appropriated	$08-09 \ 3^{rd} \ calc.$	09-10 Proj.	10-11 Proj.

An historical summary of FTE enrollment was also provided at the conference; see below.

Total PK-12 FTE Enrollment						
Fiscal Year	FTE	% Change				
99-00	2,328,851.08					
00-01	2,388,755.80	2.6%				
01-02	2,453,549.71	2.7%				
02-03	2,497,968.51	1.8%				
03-04	2,557,438.44	2.4%				
04-05	2,609,593.94	2.0%				
05-06	2,641,121.29	1.2%				
06-07	2,638,331.10	-0.1%				
07-08	2,631,277.10	-0.3%				
08-09 3 rd Calc.	2,613,734.65	-0.7%				
09-10 Forecast	2,602,108.51	-0.4%				
10-11 Forecast	2,601,818.95	-0.1%				
11-12 Forecast	2,617,482.47	0.7%				