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Section 1. Subsection (9) is added to section 1000.21, Florida Statutes, to read:

1000.21 Systemwide definitions.—As used in the Florida Early Learning-20 Education Code:

(9) "Sex" means the classification of a person as either female or male based on the organization of the body of such person for a specific reproductive role, as indicated by the person's sex chromosomes, naturally occurring sex hormones, and internal and external genitalia present at birth.

Section 2. Section 1000.071, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

1000.071 Personal titles and pronouns.—

(1) It shall be the policy of every public K-12 educational institution that is provided or authorized by the Constitution and laws of Florida that a person's sex is an immutable biological trait and that it is false to ascribe to a person a pronoun that does not correspond to such person's sex. This section does not apply to individuals born with a genetically or biochemically verifiable disorder of sex development, including, but not limited to, 46, XX disorder of sex development; 46, XY disorder of sex development; sex chromosome disorder of sex development; XX or XY sex reversal; and ovotesticular disorder.

(2) An employee, contractor, or student of a public K-12

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101 educational institution may not be required, as a condition of
 102 employment or enrollment or participation in any program, to
 103 refer to another person using that person's preferred personal
 104 title or pronouns if such personal title or pronouns do not
 105 correspond to that person's sex.

106 (3) An employee or contractor of a public K-12 educational
 107 institution may not provide to a student his or her preferred
 108 personal title or pronouns if such preferred personal title or
 109 pronouns do not correspond to his or her sex.

110 (4) A student may not be asked by an employee or
 111 contractor of a public K-12 educational institution to provide
 112 his or her preferred personal title or pronouns or be penalized
 113 or subjected to adverse or discriminatory treatment for not
 114 providing his or her preferred personal title or pronouns.

115 (5) The State Board of Education may adopt rules to
 116 administer this section.

117 Section 3. Paragraph (c) of subsection (8) of section
 118 1001.42, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

119 1001.42 Powers and duties of district school board.—The
 120 district school board, acting as a board, shall exercise all
 121 powers and perform all duties listed below:

122 (8) STUDENT WELFARE.—

123 (c)1. In accordance with the rights of parents enumerated
 124 in ss. 1002.20 and 1014.04, adopt procedures for notifying a
 125 student's parent if there is a change in the student's services