COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE AMENDMENT

Bill No. HB 373 (2014)

Amendment No.

| COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE | ACTION |
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| ADOPTED | (Y/N) |
| ADOPTED AS AMENDED | (Y/N) |
| ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION | (Y/N) |
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| WITHDRAWN | (Y/N) |
| OTHER | |

Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Health Innovation

Subcommittee

Representative Peters offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert: Section 1. Section 395.1051, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

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395.1051 Duty to notify patients and physicians.-

(1) An appropriately trained person designated by each 10 licensed facility shall inform each patient, or an individual 11 12 identified pursuant to s. 765.401(1), in person about adverse incidents that result in serious harm to the patient. 13 14 Notification of outcomes of care which that result in harm to 15 the patient under this section does shall not constitute an acknowledgment or admission of liability and may not, nor can it 16 17 be introduced as evidence.

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18 (2) A hospital shall notify each obstetrical physician who 19 has privileges at the hospital at least 120 days before the 20 hospital closes its obstetrical department or ceases to provide 21 obstetrical services. 22 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2014. 23 24 25 TITLE AMENDMENT 26 27 Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert: 28 An act relating to hospitals; amending s. 395.1051, F.S.; 29 requiring a hospital to notify obstetrical physicians before the 30 hospital closes its obstetrical department or ceases to provide obstetrical services; providing an effective date. 31 093117 - h0373-strike.docx Published On: 3/4/2014 7:23:07 PM

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