

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES STAFF ANALYSIS

BILL #: PCB RCC 09-02 Florida Statutes - Reviser's Bill

SPONSOR(S): Rules & Calendar Council

TIED BILLS: IDEN./SIM. BILLS:

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SUMMARY ANALYSIS

The Division of Statutory Revision of the Office of the Legislative Services is required by statute to conduct a systematic and continuing study of the statutes and the laws of this state. The purpose of this study is to recommend to the Legislature changes that will remove inconsistencies, redundancies, and unnecessary repetition from the statutes and otherwise improve their clarity and facilitate their correct and proper interpretation. In carrying out this work, statutory revision recommends changes such as correcting grammatical and typographical errors and deleting obsolete, repealed, or superseded provisions. These recommendations are submitted to the Legislature in the form of technical, nonsubstantive reviser's bills.

PCB RCC 09-02 deletes statutory provisions that have been repealed by a noncurrent (past-year) session of the Legislature where that repeal or expiration date has now occurred, rendering the provision of no effect. Such provisions may be omitted from publication in the 2009 Florida Statutes only through a reviser's bill duly enacted by the Legislature. Pursuant to Rule 12.3(e), a reviser's bill cannot be amended except to delete a bill section.

The bill has no fiscal impact.

HOUSE PRINCIPLES

Members are encouraged to evaluate proposed legislation in light of the following guiding principles of the House of Representatives:

- Balance the state budget.
- Create a legal and regulatory environment that fosters economic growth and job creation.
- Lower the tax burden on families and businesses.
- Reverse or restrain the growth of government.
- Promote public safety.
- Promote educational accountability, excellence, and choice.
- Foster respect for the family and for innocent human life.
- Protect Florida's natural beauty.

FULL ANALYSIS

I. SUBSTANTIVE ANALYSIS

A. EFFECT OF PROPOSED CHANGES:

PCB RCC 09-02 deletes provisions which have become inoperative by noncurrent repeal or expiration and provisions which confirm to the repeal of exemptions in accordance with the Open Government Sunset Review Act. Such provisions may be omitted from publication in the 2009 Florida Statutes only through a reviser's bill duly enacted by the Legislature.

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B. SECTION DIRECTORY:

Sections 1-19, sections 21-22, and section 24 repeal provisions which have become inoperative by noncurrent repeal or expiration, and may be omitted only through a reviser's bill.

Sections 20 and 23 repeal provisions to confirm the repeal of exemptions in accordance with the Open Government Sunset Review Act.

Section 25 amends a provision to conform to the repeal of other provisions.

Section 26 provides for an effective date.

For more specific information explaining each section, the proposed bill itself contains reviser's notes written by the Division of Statutory Revision.

II. FISCAL ANALYSIS & ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT

A. FISCAL IMPACT ON STATE GOVERNMENT:

1. Revenues:

Please see "FISCAL COMMENTS" in part II, Section D.

2. Expenditures:

Please see "FISCAL COMMENTS" in part II, Section D.

B. FISCAL IMPACT ON LOCAL GOVERNMENTS:

1. Revenues:

Please see "FISCAL COMMENTS" in part II, Section D.

2. Expenditures:

Please see "FISCAL COMMENTS" in part II, Section D.

C. DIRECT ECONOMIC IMPACT ON PRIVATE SECTOR:

Please see "FISCAL COMMENTS" in part II, Section D.

D. FISCAL COMMENTS:

The proposed reviser's bill deletes inoperative provisions of the statutes. There is no fiscal impact on state or local government or on the private sector.

III. COMMENTS

A. CONSTITUTIONAL ISSUES:

1. Applicability of Municipality/County Mandates Provision:

Not applicable because the proposed reviser's bill does not appear to require counties or cities to: spend funds or take action requiring the expenditure of funds; reduce the authority of counties or cities to raise revenue in the aggregate; or to reduce the percentage of a state tax shared with counties or cities.

2. Other:

None.

B. RULE-MAKING AUTHORITY:

The proposed reviser's bill does not implicate authority for any agency to adopt rules.

C. DRAFTING ISSUES OR OTHER COMMENTS:

None.

IV. AMENDMENTS/COUNCIL OR COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE CHANGES

None.