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## LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

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The Committee on Budget Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development Appropriations (Bogdanoff) recommended the following:

## Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 1701 - 1748 and insert:

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Innovation shall contract with one or more consumer reporting agency agencies to provide users with secured electronic access to employer-provided information relating to the quarterly wages report submitted in accordance with the state's reemployment assistance unemployment compensation law. The access is limited to the wage reports for the appropriate amount of time for the purpose the information is requested.

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- (2) Users must obtain consent in writing or by electronic signature from an applicant for credit, employment, or other permitted purposes. Any written or electronic signature consent from an applicant must be signed and must include the following:
- (c) Notice that the files of the Department of Economic Opportunity Agency for Workforce Innovation or its tax collection service provider containing information concerning wage and employment history which is submitted by the applicant or his or her employers may be accessed; and
- (4) If a consumer reporting agency or user violates this section, the Department of Economic Opportunity Agency for Workforce Innovation shall, upon 30 days' written notice to the consumer reporting agency, terminate the contract established between the department Agency for Workforce Innovation and the consumer reporting agency or require the consumer reporting agency to terminate the contract established between the consumer reporting agency and the user under this section.
- (5) The Department of Economic Opportunity Agency for Workforce Innovation shall establish minimum audit, security, net worth, and liability insurance standards, technical requirements, and any other terms and conditions considered necessary in the discretion of the state agency to safeguard the confidentiality of the information released under this section and to otherwise serve the public interest. The department Agency for Workforce Innovation shall also include, in coordination with any necessary state agencies, necessary audit procedures to ensure that these rules are followed.
- (6) In contracting with one or more consumer reporting agency agencies under this section, any revenues generated by

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the contract must be used to pay the entire cost of providing access to the information. Further, in accordance with federal regulations, any additional revenues generated by the Department of Economic Opportunity Agency for Workforce Innovation or the state under this section must be paid into the Administrative Trust Fund of the department Agency for Workforce Innovation for the administration of the unemployment compensation system or be used as program income.

(7) The Department of Economic Opportunity Agency for Workforce Innovation may not provide wage and employment history information to any consumer reporting agency before the consumer reporting agency or agencies under contract with the department

======= T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ========== And the title is amended as follows:

Delete lines 51 - 61 and insert:

> to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 443.17161, F.S.; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to contract with one consumer reporting agency to access wage reports; revising references to conform to changes made by the act; amending ss. 20.60, 27.52, 40.24, 45.031, 55.204, 57.082, 61.046, 61.1824, 61.30, 69.041, 77.041, 110.205, 110.502, 120.80, 125.9502, 212.096, 213.053, 216.292, 220.03, 220.181, 220.191, 220.194, 222.15, 222.16, 255.20, 288.075, 288.1045, 288.106, 288.1081, 288.1089, 334.30, 408.809, 409.2563, 409.2576, 414.295, 435.06, 440.12, 440.15, 440.381, 440.42, 443.051, 443.111,



| 70 | 443.1113, | 443.1116,   | 443.1215,   | 443.1312, | 443.1313, |
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| 71 | 443.1315, | 443.1316,   | 443.1317,   | 443.141,  | 443.163,  |
| 72 | 443.181,  | 443.191, 44 | 43.221, 445 | 5.009,    |           |