

## LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

Comm: RCS 03/18/2013

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs (Braynon) recommended the following:

## Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 55 - 104 and insert:

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(5) (a) Every full-service gasoline station offering selfservice at a lesser cost shall require an attendant employed by the station to dispense gasoline from the self-service portion of the station to any motor vehicle properly displaying an exemption parking permit as provided in s. 316.1958 or s. 320.0848 or a license plate issued pursuant to s. 320.084, s. 320.0842, s. 320.0843, or s. 320.0845 when the person to whom such permit has been issued is the operator of the vehicle and

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such service is requested. The station must have a telephone number that is operational and answered by an attendant during the hours the gasoline station is open to the public which a person can call to request assistance. If a request is made when a second attendant is not present, the gasoline station is not required to provide assistance, however, the attendant on duty must inform the person why assistance is not currently available. Such stations shall prominently display a decal no larger than 8 square inches on the front of all self-service pumps clearly stating the requirements of this subsection and the penalties applicable to violations of this subsection. The Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services shall enforce this requirement.

- (b) Every gasoline station shall prominently display on the front of each self-service gasoline pump a sign, decal, or sticker of at least 15 square inches printed on a blue background that clearly states:
  - 1. The telephone number for the gasoline station.
  - 2. The international symbol of accessibility (ISA).
- 3. Wording such as "Call for Assistance" or "Assistance Available upon Request."
- 4. The hours that two attendants will be available to provide assistance at the gasoline station.
- 5. The requirements of this subsection and the penalties applicable to violations of this subsection.
- (c) (b) Violation of this subsection paragraph (a) is a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083. The Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services shall enforce this subsection.



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And the title is amended as follows:

Delete lines 5 - 9

and insert:

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stations; requiring the gasoline station to have a telephone number that is operational and answered by an attendant during the hours the gasoline station is open; requiring certain signage at each self-service gasoline pump; providing for size and content of the signs; requiring an attendant to provide refueling assistance to a person with a permit or license plate issued under specified provisions; enhancing criminal penalties; requiring the Department of Agriculture and

Consumer Services to enforce subsection (5);