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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Senator Clemens moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 87 and 88

4 insert:

Section 2. Subsections (3) through (5) of section 316.081, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

316.081 Driving on right side of roadway; exceptions.-

(3) On a road, street, or highway having two or more lanes allowing movement in the same direction, a driver may not continue to operate a motor vehicle at any speed which is more than 10 miles per hour slower than the posted speed limit in the

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12 furthermost left-hand lane if the driver knows or reasonably 13 should know that he or she is being overtaken in that lane from the rear by a motor vehicle traveling at a higher rate of speed. 14 15 This subsection does not apply to drivers operating a vehicle that is overtaking another vehicle proceeding in the same 16 17 direction, or is preparing for a left turn at an intersection. 18 (3) (4) Upon any roadway having four or more lanes for 19 moving traffic and providing for two-way movement of traffic, no vehicle shall be driven to the left of the centerline of the 20 roadway, except when authorized by official traffic control 21 22 devices designating certain lanes to the left side of the center 23 of the roadway for use by traffic not otherwise permitted to use 24 such lanes, or except as permitted under paragraph (1)(b). 25 However, this subsection shall not be construed as prohibiting 26 the crossing of the centerline in making a left turn into or 27 from an alley, private road, or driveway. 28 (4) (5) A violation of this section is a noncriminal traffic 29 infraction, punishable as a moving violation as provided in 30 chapter 318. 31 32 33 And the title is amended as follows: 34 Delete line 8 35 and insert: 36 exceptions; amending s. 316.081, F.S.; removing a 37 prohibition relating to vehicles being driven 10 miles 38 per hour slower than the posted speed limit on certain 39 highways under certain circumstances; amending s. 40 335.06, F.S.; authorizing the

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