

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

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OTHER	_____	

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Commerce Committee
2 Representative Antone offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove lines 1303-1320 and insert:

6 Section 41. Paragraph (d) is added to subsection (1) and
7 paragraph (b) of subsection (6) of section 633.408, Florida
8 Statutes, is amended to read:

9 633.408 Firefighter and volunteer firefighter training and
10 certification.—

(1) The division shall establish by rule:

12 (d) Courses to provide training for career and volunteer
13 firefighters related to cancer and mental health risks within
14 the fire service. Such training must be a requirement for
15 obtaining a Firefighter Certificate of Compliance, Volunteer
16 Firefighter Certificate of Completion, or Special Certificate of

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17 Compliance. The training must include cancer and mental health
18 awareness, prevention, mitigation, and treatment. The training
19 must specifically include lifestyle, environmental, inherited,
20 and occupational risks, and emphasize appropriate behavior,
21 attitude, and cultural changes within the fire service.

22 Certified firefighters shall have such training made available
23 to them.

24 (6)

25 (b) A Special Certificate of Compliance only authorizes an
26 individual to serve as an administrative and command head of a
27 fire service provider.

28 1. An individual desiring to obtain a Special Certificate
29 of Compliance may not be employed as a fire chief, fire
30 coordinator, fire director, or fire administrator for a period
31 of more than 1 year without obtaining certification.

32 2. An individual desiring to obtain a Special Certificate
33 of Compliance may not serve as a command officer or function in
34 a position dictating incident outcomes or objectives before
35 achieving certification.

36 3. Retention requirements for a Special Certificate of
37 Compliance must be similar to those provided in s. 633.414.

38 Section 42. Subsection (2) of section 633.508, Florida
39 Statutes, is amended to read:

40 633.508 Workplace safety; rulemaking authority; division
41 authority.—

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42 (2) The division shall have the authority to adopt rules
43 for the purpose of ensuring safe working conditions for all
44 firefighter employees by authorizing the enforcement of
45 effective standards, by assisting and encouraging firefighter
46 employers to maintain safe working conditions, and by providing
47 for education and training in the field of safety, including
48 training related to cancer and mental health risks within the
49 fire service. Specifically, the division may by rule adopt the
50 most current edition of all or any part of subparts C through T
51 and subpart Z of 29 C.F.R. s. 1910; the National Fire Protection
52 Association, Inc., Publication 1403, Standard on Live Fire
53 Training Evolutions, as limited by subsection (6); and ANSI A
54 10.4.

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57 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

58 Remove lines 145-149 and insert:

59 633.408, F.S.; requiring the Division of State Fire Marshal to
60 establish specified courses as a part of firefighter and
61 volunteer firefighter training and certification; specifying
62 prerequisites and retention requirements for a Special
63 Certificate of Compliance that authorizes an individual to serve
64 as an administrative and command head of a fire service
65 provider; amending s. 633.508, F.S.; specifying the division's
66 authority to adopt rules for training related to cancer and

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67 | mental health risks within the fire service; amending s.
68 | 633.416, F.S.; authorizing fire