${\bf By}$  Senator Rodriguez

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1	A bill to be entitled
2	An act relating to fees; amending s. 491.017, F.S.;
3	authorizing member states of the Professional
4	Counselors Licensure Compact to charge individuals a
5	fee for the privilege to practice under the compact;
6	providing an effective date.
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8	Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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10	Section 1. Present subsections (3), (4), and (5) of Article
11	III of section 491.017, Florida Statutes, are redesignated as
12	subsections (4), (5), and (6), respectively, and a new
13	subsection (3) is added to Article III of that section, to read:
14	491.017 Professional Counselors Licensure CompactThe
15	Professional Counselors Licensure Compact is hereby enacted and
16	entered into by this state with all other jurisdictions legally
17	joining therein in the form substantially as follows:
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19	ARTICLE III
20	STATE PARTICIPATION
21	(3) A member state may charge a fee for granting the
22	privilege to practice.
23	Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2023.

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