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Amendment No. CHAMBER ACTION Senate House 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 Senator Bronson moved the following amendment: 12 13 Senate Amendment (with title amendment) On page 2, between lines 6 and 7, 14 15 16 insert: 17 Section 3. Subsection (2) of section 601.61, Florida 18 Statutes, is amended to read: 601.61 Bond requirements of citrus fruit dealers .--19 20 (2) Said bond shall be in the form approved by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services and shall be 21 22 conditioned as provided in s. 601.66(9), and also to fully comply with the terms and conditions of all contracts, verbal 23 24 or written, made by the citrus fruit dealer with producers or with other citrus fruit dealers, relative to the purchasing, 25 26 handling, sale, and accounting of purchases and sales of citrus fruit, and upon the dealer accounting for the proceeds 27 28 from, and paying for, any citrus fruit purchased or contracted for, in accordance with the terms of the contracts with 29 30 producers, and upon the dealer accounting for any advance payments or deposits made, and delivering all citrus fruit 31 1 6:55 PM 04/07/98 s1046c2c-18k7g

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contracted for, in accordance with the terms of the contracts with other citrus fruit dealers. The commission may prescribe by rule that such a producer contract contain information that it considers necessary to protect the producer from deceptive practices.For purposes of this chapter, every such contract shall be conclusively deemed to have been made and entered into during the shipping season in which the delivery of fruit into the primary channel of trade is made. (Redesignate subsequent sections.) And the title is amended as follows: On page 1, line 12, after the semicolon insert: amending s. 601.61, F.S., relating to the bond requirements of citrus fruit dealers; allowing the Florida Citrus Commission to prescribe certain terms of producer contracts; 

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