

Amendment No. 1 (for drafter's use only)

	<u>Senate</u>	CHAMBER ACTION	<u>House</u>
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11 The Committee on Water & Resource Management offered the
12 following:

14 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

15 On page 3, between lines 2 & 3, of the bill

17 insert:

18 Section 2. Subsection (8) of Section 373.421, Florida
19 Statutes, is created to read:

20 373.421 Delineation methods; formal determinations.--
21 Whenever a survey or certified survey of delineated
22 wetland boundaries is required for any purpose pursuant to
23 this chapter, the survey may be performed by conventional
24 methods of land surveying or by use of a Global Positioning
25 System (GPS). When a GPS is used in the survey, the equipment
26 must provide for submeter or less accuracy and be operated by
27 or under the supervision of a registered land surveyor
28 licensed in the State of Florida, or by an individual
29 specifically trained in the use of the make, type and model of
30 the GPS equipment being employed. Presence of the registered
31 surveyor's seal and signature shall constitute proof that the

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1 survey was conducted by or under the supervision of a
2 registered land surveyor licensed in Florida. A GPS survey of
3 wetland boundaries which has been conducted in accordance with
4 this section shall not be considered an approximate wetland
5 delineation under rules promulgated pursuant to Section
6 373.421(2).

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10 And the title is amended as follows:

11 On page 1, line 16, after the semicolon,

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13 insert:

14 amending s. 373.421, F.S.; allowing for use of
15 Global Positioning Systems in wetlands surveys;

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