Bill No. CS/HB 3269 Amendment No. ____ CHAMBER ACTION Senate House 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Senators Crist and Dudley moved the following amendment: 11 12 13 Senate Amendment (with title amendment) On page 6, between lines 6 and 7, delete 14 15 16 insert: 17 Section 6. Subsection (5) of section 99.102, Florida 18 Statutes, is amended to read: 19 99.012 Restrictions on individuals qualifying for 20 public office. --(5) A person who is a subordinate officer, deputy 21 22 sheriff, or police officer need not resign pursuant to this section unless the person is seeking to qualify for a public 23 24 office which is currently held by an officer who has authority 25 to appoint, employ, promote, or otherwise supervise that 26 person and who has qualified as a candidate for reelection to 27 that office. However, upon qualifying, a the subordinate 28 officer, deputy sheriff, or police officer must take a leave of absence without pay during the period in which he or she is 29 30 a candidate for office, whether or not the subordinate officer, deputy sheriff, or police officer is required to 31 1

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resign under this section. 1 2 3 4 5 And the title is amended as follows: On page 1, lines 1-23, delete those lines 6 7 and insert: 8 A bill to be entitled 9 10 An act relating to special districts and candidacy for public office; amending s. 11 12 189.4042, F.S.; specifying procedures for merger or dissolution of independent special 13 districts created by a county or municipality; 14 15 amending s. 189.405, F.S.; revising the amount 16 of the filing fee and the number of required 17 signatures on petitions in provisions which specify how candidates for the governing board 18 of certain single-county and multicounty 19 20 special districts shall qualify; amending s. 21 189.429, F.S., and s. 15, ch. 97-256, Laws of Florida, which require special districts, 22 including fire control districts, to submit 23 24 draft codified charters to the Legislature; revising the deadline and requirements for such 25 26 codification; providing that the Legislature 27 may adopt a schedule for codification; amending 28 s. 215.425, F.S.; authorizing extra compensation for special district employees 29 30 pursuant to resolution; amending s. 191.006, F.S., relating to powers of independent special 31

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