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Bill No. CS/CS/HB 3377

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

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Representative(s) Lynn offered the following:

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Amendment (with title amendment)

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Remove from the bill: Everything after the enacting clause

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and insert in lieu thereof:

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Section 1. The Department of Children and Family

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Services shall contract with a private nonprofit corporation

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to implement the Healthy Families Florida program. The private

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nonprofit corporation shall be incorporated for the purpose of

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identifying, funding, supporting, and evaluating programs and

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community initiatives to improve the development and life

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outcomes of children and to preserve and strengthen families

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with a primary emphasis on prevention. The private nonprofit

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corporation shall implement the program. The program shall

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work in partnership with existing community-based home

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visitation and family support resources to provide assistance

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to families in an effort to prevent child abuse. The program

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shall be voluntary for participants and shall require the

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informed consent of the participants at the initial contact.

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The Kempe Family Stress Checklist shall not be used.

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1 Section 2. There is hereby appropriated to the
2 Department of Children and Family Services the sum of \$5
3 million from tobacco settlement receipts residing in the
4 department's Grants and Donations Trust Fund to implement this
5 act.

6 Section 3. This act shall take effect on July 1 of the
7 year in which enacted.

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10 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

11 And the title is amended as follows:
12 remove from the title of the bill: the entire title
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14 and insert in lieu thereof:

15 A bill to be entitled
16 An act relating to the Department of Children
17 and Family Services; requiring the department
18 to contract with a private nonprofit
19 corporation to implement the Healthy Families
20 Florida program for child abuse prevention
21 services; providing an appropriation; providing
22 an effective date.

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