

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

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Representative(s) K. Smith and Putnam offered the following:

Amendment

On page 1, lines 19-25,
 remove from the bill: all of said lines
 and insert in lieu thereof: maintenance of roadside
 beautification programs. To accomplish this, for fiscal years
 1999-2000, 2000-2001, and 2001-2002 no less than one percent,
 and for subsequent fiscal years no less than one and one-half
 percent of the amount contracted for construction projects
 shall be allocated by the department to beautification
 programs. Except where prohibited by federal law or federal
 regulation and to the extent practical, a minimum of 50
 percent of these funds shall be used to purchase large plant
 materials with the remaining funds for other plan materials
 and these materials shall be purchased from Florida-based
 nurseryman stock on a uniform competitive bid basis. The
 department will develop grades and standards for landscaping
 materials purchased through this process.To accomplish these