

By the Committee on Utilities & Communications and
Representative Arnall

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to the Florida Public Service
3 Commission Nominating Council; amending s.
4 350.031, F.S.; providing that members shall
5 serve at the pleasure of the appointing
6 authority or the appointing authority's
7 successor; providing an effective date.
8

9 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

10

11 Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 350.031, Florida
12 Statutes, is amended to read:

13 350.031 Florida Public Service Commission Nominating
14 Council.--

15 (1) There is created a Florida Public Service
16 Commission Nominating Council consisting of nine members. At
17 least one member of the council must be 60 years of age or
18 older. Three members, including one member of the House of
19 Representatives, shall be appointed by the Speaker of the
20 House; three members, including one member of the Senate,
21 shall be appointed by the President of the Senate; and three
22 members shall be selected and appointed by a majority vote of
23 the other six members of the council. Members of the council
24 shall serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority or the
25 appointing authority's successor. All terms shall be for no
26 more than 4 years, except those members of the House and
27 Senate, who shall serve no more than 2-year terms concurrent
28 with the 2-year elected terms of House members. Vacancies on
29 the council shall be filled for the unexpired portion of the
30 term in the same manner as original appointments to the
31 council.

1 Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a
2 law.
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15
16
17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24
25
26
27
28
29
30
31