HOUSE AMENDMENT

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CHAMBER ACTION Senate House 1 2 3 4 5 ORIGINAL STAMP BELOW 6 7 8 9 10 The Committee on Judiciary offered the following: 11 12 13 Amendment (with title amendment) On page 5, line 19, of the bill 14 15 16 insert: 17 Section 2. Paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of section 984.09, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 18 19 984.09 Punishment for contempt of court; alternative 20 sanctions.--21 (2) PLACEMENT IN A SECURE FACILITY.--A child may be 22 placed in a secure facility for purposes of punishment for contempt of court if alternative sanctions are unavailable or 23 24 inappropriate, or if the child has already been ordered to 25 serve an alternative sanction but failed to comply with the 26 sanction. (b) A child in need of services who has been held in 27 28 direct contempt or indirect contempt may be placed, for 5 days 29 for a first offense or 15 days for a second or subsequent 30 offense, in a staff-secure shelter or a staff-secure 31 residential facility solely for children in need of services 1 File original & 9 copies hju0004 04/11/00 02:21 pm 01677-jud -312011

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if such placement is available, or, if such placement is not 1 2 available, the child may be placed in an appropriate mental 3 health facility or substance abuse facility for assessment. In 4 addition to disposition under this paragraph, a child in need 5 of services who is held in direct contempt or indirect contempt may be placed in a physically secure setting facility б 7 as provided under s. 984.226 if conditions of eligibility are 8 met.

9 Section 3. Paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of section 10 985.216, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

11 985.216 Punishment for contempt of court; alternative
12 sanctions.--

13 (2) PLACEMENT IN A SECURE FACILITY.--A child may be 14 placed in a secure facility for purposes of punishment for 15 contempt of court if alternative sanctions are unavailable or 16 inappropriate, or if the child has already been ordered to 17 serve an alternative sanction but failed to comply with the 18 sanction.

A child in need of services who has been held in 19 (b) 20 direct contempt or indirect contempt may be placed, for 5 days for a first offense or 15 days for a second or subsequent 21 offense, in a staff-secure shelter or a staff-secure 22 residential facility solely for children in need of services 23 if such placement is available, or, if such placement is not 24 25 available, the child may be placed in an appropriate mental health facility or substance abuse facility for assessment. In 26 27 addition to disposition under this paragraph, a child in need of services who is held in direct contempt or indirect 28 29 contempt may be placed in a physically secure setting facility 30 as provided under s. 984.226 if conditions of eligibility are 31 met.

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======= TITLE AMENDMENT ========= And the title is amended as follows: On page 1, line 10, after the semicolon insert: amending ss. 984.09 and 985.216, F.S.; б conforming terms;

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