

Amendment No. 03 (for drafter's use only)

	<u>Senate</u>	CHAMBER ACTION	<u>House</u>
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11 Representative(s) Needelman offered the following:

13 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

14 On page 62, lines 31, through page 63, line 9,
15 remove from the bill: all said lines

17 and insert in lieu thereof:

18 to the Department of Corrections. The secretary may
19 designate persons within the Office of the Inspector General
20 as law enforcement officers to conduct any criminal
21 investigation that occurs on property owned or leased by the
22 department or involves matters over which the department has
23 jurisdiction. A person designated as a law enforcement
24 officer must be certified pursuant to s. 943.1395 and must
25 have a minimum of 3 years' experience as an inspector general
26 investigator or as a law enforcement officer. The department
27 shall maintain a memorandum of understanding with the
28 Department of Law Enforcement for the notification of and
29 investigation of mutually agreed-upon predicate events, which
30 shall include, but are not limited to, suspicious deaths and
31 major organized criminal activity. During ~~in~~ such

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1 investigations, the inspector general and inspectors may
2 consult and confer with any prisoner or staff member privately
3 and without molestation, and persons designated as law
4 enforcement officers under this section shall have the
5 authority to conduct warrantless arrests of ~~detain~~ any person
6 for violations of the felony criminal laws of the state, as
7 enumerated in this chapter and chapter 893. A person
8 designated as a law enforcement officer under this section may
9 make arrests pursuant to a warrant, including arrests of
10 offenders who have escaped or absconded from custody. ~~Such~~
11 ~~detention shall be made only on properties owned or leased by~~
12 ~~the department, and Tthe~~ arrested ~~detained~~ person shall be
13 surrendered without delay to the detention facility ~~sheriff~~ of
14 the county in which the arrest ~~detention~~ is made, with a
15 formal complaint subsequently made against her or him in
16 accordance with law.

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20 And the title is amended as follows:

21 On page 1, line 15, after the semicolon,

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23 insert: amending s. 944.31, F.S.; revising terminology;
24 providing for the designation of law enforcement officers to
25 conduct certain investigations; providing qualifications and
26 powers;

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