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Bill No. CS/HB 1213

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

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Representative(s) Slosberg offered the following:

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Amendment (with title amendment)

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On page 24, line 7, of the bill

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insert:

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Section 14. Paragraph (d) of subsection (1) of section 319.33, Florida Statutes, is amended, and subsection (6) of said section is reenacted, to read:

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319.33 Offenses involving vehicle identification numbers, applications, certificates, papers; penalty.--

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(1) It is unlawful:

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(d) To possess, sell or offer for sale, conceal, or dispose of in this state a motor vehicle or mobile home, or major component part thereof, on which any ~~the~~ motor number or vehicle identification number that has been affixed by the manufacturer or by a state agency, such as the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, which regulates motor vehicles has been destroyed, removed, covered, altered, or defaced, with knowledge of such destruction, removal, covering, alteration, or defacement, except as provided in s.

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1 319.30(4).

2 (6) Any person who violates any provision of this
3 section is guilty of a felony of the third degree, punishable
4 as provided in s. 775.082, s. 775.083, or s. 775.084. Any
5 motor vehicle used in violation of this section shall
6 constitute contraband which may be seized by a law enforcement
7 agency and shall be subject to forfeiture proceedings pursuant
8 to ss. 932.701-932.704. This section is not exclusive of any
9 other penalties prescribed by any existing or future laws for
10 the larceny or unauthorized taking of motor vehicles or mobile
11 homes, but is supplementary thereto.

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

15 And the title is amended as follows:

16 On page 2, line 18, after "default;"

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18 insert:

19 amending s. 319.33, F.S.; revising the elements
20 of the offense of possessing, selling or
21 offering for sale, concealing, or disposing of
22 a motor vehicle or mobile home, or major
23 component part thereof, on which the motor
24 number or vehicle identification number has
25 been destroyed, removed, covered, altered, or
26 defaced; providing penalties;

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