

By the Committee on Military and Veterans' Affairs, Base Protection, and Spaceports; and Senator Fasano

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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to tourism; amending s.
3 288.1223, F.S.; increasing the membership of
4 the Florida Commission on Tourism to include a
5 representative from the space tourism industry
6 and a representative from the youth travel
7 industry; amending s. 288.1226, F.S.;
8 increasing the membership of the board of
9 directors of the Florida Tourism Industry
10 Marketing Corporation, to conform; providing an
11 effective date.

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

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15 Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of section
16 288.1223, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

17 288.1223 Florida Commission on Tourism; creation;
18 purpose; membership.--

19 (2)(a) The commission shall consist of 17 general
20 tourism-industry-related members appointed by the Governor,
21 subject to confirmation by the Senate, and 13 ~~11~~ additional
22 tourism-industry-related members, appointed by the Governor,
23 including 3 representatives from the statewide rental car
24 industry, 3 representatives from tourist-related statewide
25 associations, including those that represent hotels,
26 campgrounds, and attractions, 3 representatives from county
27 destination marketing organizations, 1 representative from the
28 cruise industry, ~~and~~ 1 representative from the airline
29 industry, 1 representative from the youth travel industry, and
30 1 representative from the space tourism industry, who will
31 each serve for a term of 2 years, the Governor, and 2

1 additional ex officio members, who will serve for a term of 2
2 years, including a member of the Senate appointed by the
3 President of the Senate and a member of the House of
4 Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House of
5 Representatives.

6 Section 2. Subsection (4) of section 288.1226, Florida
7 Statutes, is amended to read:

8 288.1226 Florida Tourism Industry Marketing
9 Corporation; use of property; board of directors; duties;
10 audit.--

11 (4) BOARD OF DIRECTORS.--The board of directors of the
12 corporation shall be composed of 30 ~~28~~
13 tourism-industry-related members, appointed by the Florida
14 Commission on Tourism from its own membership. The vice chair
15 of the commission shall serve as chair of the corporation's
16 board of directors.

17 Section 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a
18 law.

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20 STATEMENT OF SUBSTANTIAL CHANGES CONTAINED IN
21 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
22 Senate Bill 1210

23 The original bill added one member from the space tourism
24 industry to the Commission on Tourism. The committee
25 substitute adds an additional member from the youth travel
26 industry.
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