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Senator Peaden moved the following amendment:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

On page 1, line 30, through page 9, line 20, delete those lines

and insert:

Section 1. Section 120.551, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

120.551 Internet publication ~~pilot project~~.--

(1) For purposes of this section, the term:

(a) "Agency" means the Department of Environmental Protection and the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund.

(b) "Internet website" means a centralized Internet website that is established and maintained by the Department of Environmental Protection, is provided to the public without charge, and permits the public to:

1. Search notices by type, publication date, program area, or rule number;

2. Search a permanent database that archives all

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1 notices published on the website; and

2 3. Subscribe to an automated e-mail notification of  
3 selected notice types.

4 (2) Whenever the agency is required to publish notices  
5 in the Florida Administrative Weekly, the agency shall instead  
6 publish the complete notice ~~On or before December 31, 2001,~~  
7 ~~the Department of Environmental Protection and the State~~  
8 ~~Technology Office shall establish and commence a pilot project~~  
9 ~~to determine the cost-effectiveness of publication of notices~~  
10 ~~on the Internet website in lieu of complete publication in the~~  
11 ~~Florida Administrative Weekly. Notices published on the~~  
12 Internet website shall clearly state the date the notice was  
13 first published and shall be published only on the same days  
14 as the Florida Administrative Weekly is published. ~~The pilot~~  
15 ~~project shall end on July 1, 2003. Under this pilot project,~~  
16 ~~notwithstanding any other provision of law, whenever the~~  
17 ~~Department of Environmental Protection is required to publish~~  
18 ~~notices in the Florida Administrative Weekly, the Department~~  
19 ~~of State shall Environmental Protection instead may publish a~~  
20 statement summary of such notice in the Florida Administrative  
21 Weekly that indicates along with the specific URL or Internet  
22 address for the Internet website where the complete notice  
23 required by law shall be published. The agency Department of  
24 Environmental Protection shall publish all other notices in  
25 the manner prescribed by law. Notices published on the  
26 Internet under this section shall clearly state the date the  
27 notice was first posted on the Internet and shall be initially  
28 posted only on the same days the Florida Administrative Weekly  
29 is published. Notices related to rulemaking published on the  
30 Internet under this provision shall be maintained on the  
31 Internet for a period of at least 12 months after the

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1 ~~effective date of the rule or at least 3 months after the~~  
2 ~~publication of a notice of withdrawal of the proposed rule.~~  
3 ~~All other notices published on the Internet under this~~  
4 ~~provision shall be maintained on the Internet for a period of~~  
5 ~~at least 3 months after the date first posted. A searchable~~  
6 ~~database or other electronic system to be permanently~~  
7 ~~maintained on the Internet for the purpose of archiving all~~  
8 ~~notices published on the Internet and allowing citizens~~  
9 ~~permanent electronic access to such archived records shall~~  
10 ~~also be established by the pilot project. No notice posted on~~  
11 ~~the Internet shall be removed until the searchable database is~~  
12 ~~implemented.~~

13 (3) This section is repealed effective July 1, 2004,  
14 unless reviewed and reenacted by the Legislature before that  
15 date.

16 ~~(2) The Department of State shall publish notice of~~  
17 ~~this pilot project in each weekly publication of the Florida~~  
18 ~~Administrative Weekly. The notice shall state: "Under a~~  
19 ~~temporary pilot project, in conjunction with the State~~  
20 ~~Technology Office, to determine the cost-effectiveness of~~  
21 ~~Internet publication of notices in lieu of complete~~  
22 ~~publication in the Florida Administrative Weekly, summaries of~~  
23 ~~notices of the Department of Environmental Protection are~~  
24 ~~being published in the Florida Administrative Weekly along~~  
25 ~~with a reference to the specific Internet URL or address where~~  
26 ~~the complete notice required by law shall be published."~~

27 ~~(3) No later than January 31, 2003, the Department of~~  
28 ~~Environmental Protection, the State Technology Office, and the~~  
29 ~~Department of State shall submit a report to the Governor, the~~  
30 ~~President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of~~  
31 ~~Representatives containing findings on the cost-effectiveness~~

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1 ~~of publication of notices on the Internet in lieu of~~  
2 ~~publication in the Florida Administrative Weekly, and~~  
3 ~~recommendations, including legislative or rule changes, for~~  
4 ~~modifications to the process necessary to effectuate~~  
5 ~~publication of notices on the Internet.~~

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9 And the title is amended as follows:

10            On page 1, lines 3-25, delete those lines

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12 and insert:

13            procedures; amending s. 120.551, F.S.;

14            eliminating the Internet publication pilot

15            project; defining terms; providing that notices

16            required to be published in the Florida

17            Administrative Weekly by the Department of

18            Environmental Protection and the Board of

19            Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund

20            shall be published on an Internet website;

21            specifying Internet website requirements;

22            specifying publication requirements; directing

23            the Department of State to publish a statement

24            in the Florida Administrative Weekly that

25            indicates the Internet website address;

26            providing for the future repeal of the section;

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