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Representative Zapata offered the following:

Amendment

Remove line(s) 267-278, and insert:

Section 7. Given the importance of the mission of the Department of State and Community Affairs, it is the intent of the Legislature that departmental programs, functions, and activities continue without change during the department's transitional period of the 2003-04 fiscal year. It is also the intent of the Legislature that proposed changes to programs, functions, and activities be reviewed by the 2004 Legislature, and approved by statutory amendment, if necessary. To this end, no changes in the Department of State and Community Affairs programs shall be made prior to July 1, 2004. All department programs shall be implemented in accord with current law, and no changes in department rules shall be made until July 1, 2004, except as is required to reflect changes in or for compliance

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with new federal or state laws. This limitation on rule adoption
shall not apply to rules regarding the Florida Building Code
adopted under the authority of chapter 553, those to implement
the Community Development Block Grant Program and the Community
Services Block Grant Program, technical changes to rules, and
those rules for which a notice of proposed rulemaking has been
published as of June 30, 2003.