

Amendment No. (for drafter's use only)

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Representative Ambler offered the following:

**Amendment (with title amendment)**

Between lines 3639 and 3640, insert:

(8) APPLICABILITY OF LIMITS ON NONECONOMIC DAMAGES.--

Beginning July 1, 2004, the limits established in this section shall not apply to health care professionals licensed under chapter 458 who do not meet the financial responsibility requirements provided in s. 458.320(1) and health care professionals licensed under chapter 459 who do not meet the financial responsibility requirements provided in s. 459.0085(1), and damages recoverable under this section shall not be limited.

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Remove line 263, and insert:

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27 nonapplicability to certain actions governed by sovereign  
28 immunity law; providing that limits on noneconomic damages shall  
29 not apply to physicians or osteopathic physicians who do not  
30 establish and maintain an escrow account, obtain and maintain  
31 professional liability coverage, or establish and maintain a  
32 letter of credit; specifying that certain recoverable  
33 noneconomic damages shall not be limited under certain  
34 circumstances; creating s. 766.1185, F.S.; providing