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CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

1 Representative Slosberg offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Between line 31 and 32, insert:

5 Section 2. Subsection (1) of section 316.650, Florida
6 Statutes, is amended to read:

7 316.650 Traffic citations; parental notification forms.--

8 (1)(a) The department shall prepare, and supply to every
9 traffic enforcement agency in this state, an appropriate form
10 traffic citation containing a notice to appear (which shall be
11 issued in prenumbered books with citations in quintuplicate) and
12 meeting the requirements of this chapter or any laws of this
13 state regulating traffic, which form shall be consistent with
14 the state traffic court rules and the procedures established by
15 the department. Upon all future printings of the traffic

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16 citation, the form shall include a special box which is to be
17 checked by the law enforcement officer when the officer believes
18 that the traffic violation or crash was due to aggressive
19 careless driving as defined in s. 316.1923.

20 (b) The department shall prepare, and supply to every
21 traffic enforcement agency in the state, an appropriate
22 affidavit-of-compliance form which shall be issued along with
23 the form traffic citation for any violation of s. 316.610 and
24 which shall indicate the specific defect which needs to be
25 corrected. However, such affidavit of compliance shall not be
26 issued in the case of a violation of s. 316.610 by a commercial
27 motor vehicle as defined in s. 316.003(66). Such affidavit-of-
28 compliance form shall be distributed in the same manner and to
29 the same parties as is the form traffic citation.

30 (c) The department shall develop a notification system
31 that shall be utilized by traffic enforcement officers to assist
32 in the notification of the parent of any driver under 18 years
33 of age when the officer issues a citation or written warning to
34 such driver for a violation of law. The notification shall
35 include the time and date the vehicle was stopped, the reason
36 for the stop, the number of people in the vehicle, the name of
37 the person stopped, and the name of the officer. The
38 notification shall be mailed by the department within 10 days to
39 the address provided by the parent, guardian, or other
40 responsible adult who signed the license application of the
41 driver in compliance with s. 322.09(1). If no address is on file
42 pursuant to s. 322.09(1)(b), the department shall mail the
43 notification to the address on record for the driver. The

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44 department has authority to adopt rules pursuant to ss.
45 120.536(1) and 120.54 to implement the provisions of this
46 paragraph.

47 ~~(d)(e)~~ Notwithstanding paragraphs (a), ~~and~~ (b), and (c), a
48 traffic enforcement agency may produce uniform traffic citations
49 by electronic means. Such citations must be consistent with the
50 state traffic court rules and the procedures established by the
51 department; must be appropriately numbered and inventoried; and
52 may have fewer copies than the quintuplicate form. Affidavit-of-
53 compliance forms and parental notification forms may also be
54 produced by electronic means.

55 ~~(e)(d)~~ The department must distribute to every traffic
56 enforcement agency and to any others who request it, a traffic
57 infraction reference guide describing the class of the traffic
58 infraction, the penalty for the infraction, the points to be
59 assessed on a driver's license, and any other information
60 necessary to describe a violation and the penalties therefor.

61 Section 3. Subsection (1) of section 322.09, Florida
62 Statutes, is amended to read:

63 322.09 Application of minors; responsibility for
64 negligence or misconduct of minor.--

65 (1)(a) The application of any person under the age of 18
66 years for a driver's license must be signed and verified before
67 a person authorized to administer oaths by the father, mother,
68 or guardian, or, if there is no parent or guardian, by another
69 responsible adult who is willing to assume the obligation
70 imposed under this chapter upon a person signing the application

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71 of a minor. This section does not apply to a person under the
72 age of 18 years who is emancipated by marriage.

73 (b) The parent, guardian, or other responsible adult
74 signing the application of a minor pursuant to this section must
75 furnish an address with the application for the purpose of being
76 contacted in the event that the minor applicant is issued a
77 written warning or a citation for a violation of law.

78 (c)(b) There shall be submitted with each application a
79 certified copy of a United States birth certificate, a valid
80 United States passport, an alien registration receipt card
81 (green card), an employment authorization card issued by the
82 United States Department of Justice, or proof of nonimmigrant
83 classification provided by the United States Department of
84 Justice, for an original license.

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

87 Between lines 10 and 11, insert:
88 amending s. 316.650, F.S.; providing for a parental
89 notification system to be developed by the Department of
90 Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; requiring the form to
91 be completed by a traffic enforcement officer upon issuing
92 a traffic citation or a written warning to a person under
93 18 years of age; requiring the department to provide such
94 notification to the parent, guardian, or other responsible
95 adult who signed the driver's license application;
96 amending s. 322.09, F.S.; requiring a parent, guardian, or
97 other responsible adult signing the driver license

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