

CHAMBER ACTION

1 The Committee on Business Regulation recommends the following:

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3 **Committee Substitute**

4 Remove the entire bill and insert:

5 A bill to be entitled

6 An act relating to land surveying and mapping; amending s.
7 472.019, F.S.; authorizing and providing conditions,
8 including fees, for the reinstatement and reissuance of
9 licenses for certain individuals whose licenses became
10 null under specified circumstances; providing for future
11 repeal; providing an 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. Section 472.019, Florida Statutes, is amended
16 to read:

17 472.019 Reactivation; continuing education;
18 reinstatement.--

19 (1) The continuing education requirements for reactivating
20 a license may not exceed 12 classroom hours for each year the
21 license was inactive.

22 (2) The board shall promulgate rules relating to licenses
23 which have become inactive and for the renewal of inactive

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24 licenses. The board shall prescribe by rule a fee not to exceed
25 \$50 for the reactivation of an inactive license and a fee not to
26 exceed \$50 for the renewal of an inactive license.

27 (3) Notwithstanding the provisions of s. 455.271, the
28 board shall reinstate and the department shall reissue by July
29 1, 2005, the license of an individual whose license has become
30 null, provided all of the following circumstances and
31 qualifications are met:

32 (a) The individual's license was scheduled to be renewed
33 during the biennium period beginning in 2001.

34 (b) The individual did not receive actual timely license
35 renewal notice, as attested to by a signed and notarized
36 affidavit of the individual.

37 (c) The license of the individual was in good standing at
38 the time of the beginning of the renewal cycle.

39 (d) The individual properly petitioned the department for
40 relief relating to the circumstances under which the license
41 became null.

42 (e) The department failed to grant or deny the license
43 renewal petition within 90 days after receiving the petition, as
44 required by the Administrative Procedure Act and s. 120.542.

45 (f) No felony or practice act or unlicensed activity
46 penalties have been imposed upon the individual for violations
47 occurring during the period the license was null.

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49 The individual shall submit an application to the board for
50 reinstatement in a manner prescribed by rules of the board and
51 shall pay the appropriate application fees in an amount equal to

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52 | the fees imposed for current applicants for new licensure. This
53 | subsection expires July 1, 2005.

54 | Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2004.