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CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

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1 Representative Negron offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Between lines 34 and 35 insert:

5 Section 1. Subsection (20) of section 400.141, Florida
6 Statutes, is amended to read:

7 400.141 Administration and management of nursing home
8 facilities.--Every licensed facility shall comply with all
9 applicable standards and rules of the agency and shall:

10 (20) Maintain general and professional liability insurance
11 coverage that is in force at all times. In lieu of general and
12 professional liability insurance coverage, a state-designated
13 teaching nursing home and its affiliated assisted living
14 facilities created under s. 430.80 may demonstrate proof of
15 financial responsibility as provided in s. 430.80(3)(h); ~~the~~
16 ~~exception provided in this paragraph shall expire July 1, 2005.~~

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 18 Facilities that have been awarded a Gold Seal under the program
 19 established in s. 400.235 may develop a plan to provide
 20 certified nursing assistant training as prescribed by federal
 21 regulations and state rules and may apply to the agency for
 22 approval of their program.

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

25 Remove line 7 and insert:
 26 elderly; amending s. 400.141, F.S.; extending an exception to
 27 nursing home facility liability insurance coverage requirements;
 28 creating s. 430.7032, F.S.; creating the Program