

Amendment No. (for drafter's use only)

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative Ambler offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Between lines 332 and 333, insert:

5 Section 9. Section 766.1186, Florida Statutes, is created
6 to read:

7 766.1186 Nonapplicability of limits on noneconomic
8 damages.--Beginning July 1, 2004, the limits established in s.
9 766.118 shall not apply to health care professionals licensed
10 under chapter 458 who do not meet the financial responsibility
11 requirements provided in s. 458.320(1) and health care
12 professionals licensed under chapter 459 who do not meet the
13 financial responsibility requirements provided in s. 459.0085(1)
14 and damages recoverable under s. 766.118 shall not be limited.

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HOUSE AMENDMENT

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17 Remove line 32, and insert:
18 circumstances; creating 766.1186, F.S.; providing that limits on
19 noneconomic damages shall not apply to physicians or osteopathic
20 physicians who do not establish and maintain an escrow account,
21 obtain and maintain professional liability coverage, or
22 establish and maintain a letter of credit; providing that
23 recovery of noneconomic damages is not limited; amending s.
24 766.202, F.S.; revising the

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