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CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative Roberson offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 On page 22, lines 7 and 8,
5 remove said lines

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7 and insert:

8 Section 12. Section 409.819, Florida Statutes, is amended
9 to read:

10 409.819 Identification of low-income, uninsured children;
11 determination of eligibility for the Florida KidCare ~~Kidcare~~
12 program; alternative health care information.--The Department of
13 Health shall develop a program, in conjunction with the
14 Department of Education, the Department of Children and Family
15 Services, the Agency for Health Care Administration, the Florida
16 Healthy Kids Corporation, local governments, employers, and

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17 other stakeholders, to identify low-income, uninsured children
 18 and, to the extent possible and subject to appropriation, refer
 19 them to the Department of Children and Family Services for
 20 eligibility determination and provide parents with information
 21 about choices of health benefits coverage under the Florida
 22 KidCare ~~Kideare~~ program. These activities shall include, but not
 23 be limited to, + training community providers in effective
 24 methods of outreach; conducting public information campaigns
 25 designed to publicize the Florida KidCare ~~Kideare~~ program, the
 26 eligibility requirements of the program, and the procedures for
 27 enrollment in the program; and maintaining public awareness of
 28 the Florida KidCare ~~Kideare~~ program. Special emphasis shall be
 29 placed on the identification of minority children, including,
 30 but not limited to, Hispanic, Haitian, and African-American
 31 children, for referral to and participation in the Florida
 32 KidCare ~~Kideare~~ program.

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

35 On page 3, lines 15 through 18,
 36 remove said lines
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 38 and insert:
 39 deleting a cross reference; amending s. 409.819, F.S.;
 40 providing additional requirements to identify children for the
 41 Florida KidCare program; providing appropriations;