

Bill No. SB 1732

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The Committee on Commerce and Consumer Services (Saunders) recommended the following amendment:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Delete everything after the enacting clause

and insert:

Section 1. Section 196.1999, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

196.1999 Space laboratories and carriers exemption--Notwithstanding other provisions of this chapter, a module, pallet, rack, locker, and any necessary associated hardware and subsystem, owned by any person and intended to be used to transport or store cargo used for a space laboratory for the primary purpose of conducting scientific research in space, is deemed to carry out a scientific purpose and is exempt from ad valorem taxation.

Section 2. Section 196.1994, Florida Statutes, is repealed.

Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005, and shall apply retroactively to January 1, 2005.

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2 And the title is amended as follows:

3           Delete everything before the enacting clause

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5 and insert:

6                           A bill to be entitled

7           An act relating to aerospace advalorem taxes;

8           creating s. 196.1999, F.S.; providing an

9           exemption from ad valorem taxes for certain

10          space laboratories; repealing s. 196.1994,

11          F.S., which expired effective July 1, 2004, and

12          which provided an exemption from ad valorem

13          taxes for certain space laboratories; providing

14          for retroactivity; providing an effective date.

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