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The Committee on Judiciary (Campbell) recommended the following amendment:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

On page 2, between lines 7 and 8,

insert:

(4) A product seller may be liable as a manufacturer

if:

(a) The manufacturer has no identifiable agent, facility, or other presence in the United States;

(b) The manufacturer is not subject to service of process on any state in which the action could have been brought and service cannot be secured by a Florida long-arm statute;

(c) The manufacturer is otherwise immune from suit; or

(d) The court determines that the person is or would be unable to enforce a judgment against the manufacturer. For purposes of this paragraph, the statute of limitations and statute of repose applicable to a claim asserting the liability of a product seller are tolled from the date of the

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1 filing of a complaint against the manufacturer to the date

2 that judgment is entered against the manufacturer.

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6 And the title is amended as follows:

7 On page 1, line 13, after the semicolon,

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9 insert:

10 providing that a product seller may be liable

11 as a manufacturer under certain circumstances;

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