

Amendment No. (for drafter's use only)

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative(s) Altman offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 On page 2, between line(s) 14 and 15,  
5 insert:

6 (2) To advise the board, it is the intent of the  
7 Legislature that councils be appointed as specified in  
8 paragraphs (a), (b), and (c). The department shall provide  
9 administrative support to the councils and shall provide public  
10 notice of meetings and agenda of the councils. Councils shall  
11 include at least one board member who shall chair the council  
12 and shall include nonboard members. All council members shall be  
13 appointed by the board chair. Council members shall be  
14 appointed for 4-year terms, and all members shall be eligible  
15 for reimbursement of expenses in the manner of board members.

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16 (a) A Council on Dental Hygiene shall be appointed by the  
17 board chair and shall include one dental hygienist member of the  
18 board, who shall chair the council, one dental member of the  
19 board, and three dental hygienists who are actively engaged in  
20 the practice of dental hygiene in this state. In making the  
21 appointments, the chair shall consider recommendations from the  
22 Florida Dental Hygienists Association. The council shall meet at  
23 the request of the board chair, a majority of the members of the  
24 board, or the council chair; however, the council must meet at  
25 least three times a year. The council is charged with the  
26 responsibility of and shall meet for the purpose of developing  
27 rules and policies for recommendation to the board, which the  
28 board shall consider, on matters pertaining to that part of  
29 dentistry consisting of educational, preventive, or therapeutic  
30 dental hygiene services; dental hygiene licensure, discipline,  
31 or regulation; and dental hygiene education. Rule and policy  
32 recommendations of the council shall be considered by the board  
33 at its next regularly scheduled meeting in the same manner in  
34 which it considers rule and policy recommendations from  
35 designated subcommittees of the board. Any rule or policy  
36 proposed by the board pertaining to the specified part of  
37 dentistry defined by this subsection shall be referred to the  
38 council for a recommendation before final action by the board.  
39 The board may take final action on rules pertaining to the  
40 specified part of dentistry defined by this subsection without a  
41 council recommendation if the council fails to submit a  
42 recommendation in a timely fashion as prescribed by the board.

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44 ===== D I R E C T O R Y A M E N D M E N T =====

45 On page 1, line(s) 21 and 22,  
46 remove: all of said lines

47  
48 and insert:

49 Section 1. Subsection (1) and paragraph (a) of subsection  
50 (2) of section 466.004, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

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

53 On page 1, line(s) 4,  
54 remove: all of said line

55 and insert:

56 serve on the Board of Dentistry; revising requirements for  
57 appointment to the Council on Dental Hygiene; revising  
58 meeting times for the council; revising requirements for  
59 the council's rule and policy recommendations; amending s.