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1 The Justice Council recommends the following:

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3 **Council/Committee Substitute**

4 Remove the entire bill and insert:

5 A bill to be entitled
6 An act relating to littering; amending s. 403.413, F.S.;
7 increasing the civil penalty for littering; dedicating a
8 portion of the increase to the Solid Waste Management
9 Trust Fund; providing an effective date.

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11 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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13 Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (6) of section
14 403.413, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

15 403.413 Florida Litter Law.--

16 (6) PENALTIES; ENFORCEMENT.--

17 (a) Any person who dumps litter in violation of subsection
18 (4) in an amount not exceeding 15 pounds in weight or 27 cubic
19 feet in volume and not for commercial purposes is guilty of a
20 noncriminal infraction, punishable by a civil penalty of \$100,
21 from which \$50 shall be deposited into the Solid Waste
22 Management Trust Fund to be used for the solid waste management
23 grant program pursuant to s. 403.7095. In addition, the court

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24 | may require the violator to pick up litter or perform other
25 | labor commensurate with the offense committed.

26 | Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005.