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The Committee on Health Care (Jones) recommended the following amendment:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Delete everything after the enacting clause

and insert:

Section 1. Section 514.072, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

514.072 Certification of swimming instructors for people who have developmental disabilities required.--

(1) Any person working at a swimming pool who holds himself or herself out as a swimming instructor specializing in training people who have developmental disabilities, as defined in s. 393.063(10), must be certified by the Dan Marino Foundation, Inc., in addition to being certified under s. 514.071. The Dan Marino Foundation, Inc., must develop certification requirements and a training curriculum for swimming instructors for people who have developmental disabilities and must submit the certification requirements to the Department of Health for review by January 1, 2007. A

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1 person certified under s. 514.071 before July 1, 2007, must  
 2 meet the additional certification requirements of this section  
 3 before January 1, 2008. A person certified under s. 514.071 on  
 4 or after July 1, 2007, must meet the additional certification  
 5 requirements of this section within 6 months after receiving  
 6 certification under s. 514.071.

7       (2) In addition to any other remedies available to the  
 8 department, the department may sue to enjoin the operation of  
 9 any public swimming pool that uses any swimming instructor in  
 10 violation of subsection (1).

11       Section 2. The sum of \$535,000, of which \$185,000 is  
 12 recurring, is appropriated from the General Revenue Fund to  
 13 the Department of Health for distribution to the Dan Marino  
 14 Foundation, Inc., for the 2006-2007 fiscal year for the  
 15 purpose of implementing this act.

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19 And the title is amended as follows:

20       Delete everything before the enacting clause

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 22 and insert:

23                       A bill to be entitled

24       An act relating to certification of swimming

25       instructors; creating s. 514.072, F.S.;

26       requiring additional certification of swimming

27       instructors specializing in training people who

28       have developmental disabilities; requiring the

29       Dan Marino Foundation, Inc., to develop

30       certification requirements and a training

31       curriculum and to submit the certification

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1 requirements to the Department of Health for  
2 review; providing deadlines for certification;  
3 providing a remedy for certification  
4 violations; providing an appropriation;  
5 providing an effective date.  
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