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The Committee on Transportation and Economic Development  
Appropriations (Dockery) recommended the following amendment:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

On page 7, line 19, through  
page 8, line 21, delete those lines

and insert:

Section 2. Subsection (28) is added to section  
427.013, Florida Statutes, to read:

427.013 The Commission for the Transportation  
Disadvantaged; purpose and responsibilities.--The purpose of  
the commission is to accomplish the coordination of  
transportation services provided to the transportation  
disadvantaged. The goal of this coordination shall be to  
assure the cost-effective provision of transportation by  
qualified community transportation coordinators or  
transportation operators for the transportation disadvantaged  
without any bias or presumption in favor of multioperator  
systems or not-for-profit transportation operators over single  
operator systems or for-profit transportation operators. In

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1 carrying out this purpose, the commission shall:

2       (28) In consultation with the Agency for Health Care  
3 Administration and the Department of Transportation, develop  
4 an allocation methodology that equitably distributes all  
5 transportation funds under the control of the commission to  
6 compensate counties, community transportation coordinators,  
7 and other entities providing transportation disadvantaged  
8 services. The methodology shall separately account for  
9 Medicaid beneficiaries. The methodology shall consider such  
10 factors as the actual costs of each transportation  
11 disadvantaged trip based on prior-year information,  
12 efficiencies that a provider might adopt to reduce costs,  
13 results of the rate and cost comparisons conducted under  
14 subsections (24) and (25), as well as cost efficiencies of  
15 trips when compared to the local cost of transporting the  
16 general public. This subsection does not supersede the  
17 authority of the Agency for Health Care Administration to  
18 distribute Medicaid funds.

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

22 And the title is amended as follows:

23           On page 1, line 25, following the semicolon

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25 insert:

26           prescribing requirements for the methodology;

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