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11	Senator Constantine moved the following amendment:
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13	Senate Amendment
14	On line 31 through line 54, delete those lines
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16	and insert:
17	Section 1. Paragraphs (a) and (b) of subsection (2),
18	subsection (3), and subsection (5) of section 350.01, Florida
19	Statutes, are amended to read:
20	350.01 Florida Public Service Commission; terms of
21	commissioners; vacancies; election and duties of chair;
22	quorum; proceedings
23	(2)(a) Each commissioner serving on July 1, 1978,
24	shall be permitted to remain in office until the completion of
25	his or her current term. Upon the expiration of the term, a
26	successor shall be appointed in the manner prescribed by s.
27	$350.031\underline{(5),\ (6),\ (3)}$ and $\underline{(7)}$ $\underline{(4)}$ for a 4-year term, except
28	that the terms of the initial members appointed under this act
29	shall be as follows:
30	1. The vacancy created by the present term ending in
31	January, 1981, shall be filled by appointment for a 4-year
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term and for 4-year terms thereafter; and

- 2. The vacancies created by the two present terms ending in January, 1979, shall be filled by appointment for a 3-year term and for 4-year terms thereafter.
- (b) Two additional commissioners shall be appointed in the manner prescribed by s. 350.031(5), (6), (3) and(7) (4) for 4-year terms beginning the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January, 1979, and successors shall be appointed for 4-year terms thereafter with each term beginning on January 2 of the year the term commences and ending 4 years later on January 1.
- (3) Any person serving on the commission who seeks to be appointed or reappointed shall file with the nominating council at least 210 180 days before the expiration of his or her term a statement that he or she desires to serve an additional term.