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1 The Commerce Council recommends the following: 2 3 Council/Committee Substitute Remove the entire bill and insert: 4 A bill to be entitled 5 6 An act relating to motor vehicle insurance; amending s. 7 316.646, F.S.; requiring motorcycle registrants to provide proof of security under specified circumstances; providing 8 9 requirements for reinstatement of a motorcycle license and 10 registration; providing for reinstatement fees; amending s. 320.02, F.S.; requiring proof of security for 11 application for a motorcycle registration; correcting a 12 cross-reference; creating s. 324.025, F.S.; requiring 13 14 certain motorcycle owners and registrants to maintain specified security; requiring medical payments and 15 property damage coverage; authorizing alternative types of 16 17 security; authorizing deductibles and applicability of the deductibles; making an owner or registrant personally 18 responsible for failure to maintain the required security; 19 authorizing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor 20 Vehicles to adopt rules; amending s. 627.06501, F.S.; 21 specifying minimum and maximum motor vehicle insurance 22 23 premium discounts available under certain circumstances; Page 1 of 22

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24 requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor 25 Vehicles to require certain motor vehicle insurance 26 policyholders to pass a written test for certain purposes; 27 amending s. 627.736, F.S.; revising provisions relating to insurer requests for patient diagnostic and treatment 28 29 records and information in certain disputes; providing for specified damages and attorney's fees in cases involving 30 certain unfair trade practices by insurers; requiring 31 investigations by the Office of Insurance Regulation; 32 providing for availability of additional personal injury 33 protection benefits for specified emergency services and 34 35 care; providing limitations on the increased benefit; specifying application of certain attorney fee provisions 36 37 to certain disputes; prohibiting application of a 38 contingency risk multiplier applicable to awards of attorney's fees in certain disputes; amending s. 627.7401, 39 F.S.; specifying additional information requirements for 40 notification of an insured's right to receive personal 41 42 injury protection benefits under the Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law relating to anti-fraud rewards; creating s. 43 627.7441, F.S.; requiring certain insurers to provide 44 45 medical payments motorcycle insurance coverage; providing requirements and limitations; providing penalties; 46 providing a definition; specifying covered persons; 47 authorizing insurers to offer various levels of 48 49 deductibles for the medical payments coverage; requiring the Florida Automobile Joint Underwriting Association to 50 51 make coverage available to certain persons under certain Page 2 of 22

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52 circumstances; requiring the Financial Services Commission 53 to adopt rules; amending s. 316.068, F.S.; specifying additional information to be included in a crash report; 54 55 creating a rebuttable presumption relating to the existence of passengers in vehicles involved in a crash; 56 amending s. 322.21, F.S.; providing an additional fee for 57 certain offenses relating to insurance crimes; requiring 58 the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to 59 collect and deposit the fee into the Highway Safety 60 Operating Trust Fund; amending s. 322.26, F.S.; providing 61 an additional circumstance relating to insurance crimes 62 for mandatory revocation of a person's driver's license; 63 amending s. 817.234, F.S.; prohibiting telephone business 64 solicitation of persons involved in a motor vehicle 65 66 accident; prohibiting scheming to create documentation of a motor vehicle crash that did not occur; providing a 67 criminal penalty; amending s. 817.2361, F.S.; providing 68 that creating, marketing, or presenting fraudulent proof 69 70 of motor vehicle insurance is a felony of the third degree; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 19, ch. 71 2003-411, Laws of Florida; extending the repeal of the 72 73 Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law; providing an effective 74 date. 75 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 76 77 Section 316.646, Florida Statutes, is amended 78 Section 1. 79 to read: Page 3 of 22

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316.646 Security required; proof of security and display
thereof; dismissal of cases.--

Any person required by s. 627.733 to maintain personal 82 (1)83 injury protection security on a motor vehicle or required to have motorcycle insurance coverage as required by s. 324.025 84 shall have in his or her immediate possession at all times while 85 operating such motor vehicle or motorcycle proper proof of 86 87 maintenance of the security required by s. 627.733 or s. 324.025, as applicable. Such proof shall be either a uniform 88 proof-of-insurance card in a form prescribed by the department, 89 90 a valid insurance policy, an insurance policy binder, a certificate of insurance, or such other proof as may be 91 92 prescribed by the department.

If, upon a comparison of the vehicle registration 93 (2)94 certificate or other evidence of registration or ownership with the operator's driver's license or other evidence of personal 95 identity, it appears to a law enforcement officer or other 96 person authorized to issue traffic citations that the operator 97 98 is also the owner or registrant of the vehicle, upon demand of the law enforcement officer or other person authorized to issue 99 traffic citations the operator shall display proper proof of 100 101 maintenance of security as specified by subsection (1).

(3) Any person who violates this section is guilty of a
nonmoving traffic infraction subject to the penalty provided in
chapter 318 and shall be required to furnish proof of security
as provided in this section. If any person charged with a
violation of this section fails to furnish proof, at or before
the scheduled court appearance date, that security was in effect
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CS at the time of the violation, the court may immediately suspend 108 109 the registration and driver's license of such person. Such 110 license and registration may only be reinstated only as provided 111 in s. 627.733, except that licenses and registrations that have 112 been suspended for failure to provide proof of insurance as 113 required by s. 324.025 may be reinstated only as provided in 114 subsection (4). (4) In order to reinstate a license or registration that 115 116 has been suspended for failure to provide proof of the insurance 117 required by s. 324.025, the owner must provide proof of 118 compliance with the requirements of s. 324.025 and pay to the department a nonrefundable reinstatement fee of \$150 for a first 119 120 reinstatement. The reinstatement fee shall be \$250 for a second 121 reinstatement and \$500 for each subsequent reinstatement during the 3-year period following a first reinstatement. Any person 122 reinstating his or her insurance under this subsection shall 123 124 also secure noncancelable coverage as described in s. 324.025 125 and present to the appropriate person proof that the coverage is 126 in force on a form adopted by the department and maintain such proof of coverage for 2 years. If a person does not have his or 127 her license and registration reinstated a second time within the 128 129 3-year period after his or her initial reinstatement, the 130 reinstatement fee shall be \$150 for a first reinstatement after that 3-year period. If a person's license and registration are 131 132 suspended pursuant to this section or s. 316.646, only one 133 reinstatement fee shall be paid to reinstate the license and the registration. All fees shall be collected by the department at 134 135 the time of reinstatement. The department shall issue proper Page 5 of 22

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136 receipts for such fees and shall promptly deposit those fees in 137 the Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund.

138 <u>(5)(4)</u> Any person presenting proof of insurance as 139 required in subsection (1) who knows that the insurance as 140 represented by such proof of insurance is not currently in force 141 is guilty of a misdemeanor of the first degree, punishable as 142 provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083.

143Section 2. Paragraphs (a) and (d) of subsection (5) of144section 320.02, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

145 320.02 Registration required; application for 146 registration; forms.--

(5) (a) Proof that personal injury protection benefits have 147 been purchased when required under s. 627.733, that property 148 149 damage liability coverage has been purchased as required under s. 324.022, and that combined bodily liability insurance and 150 property damage liability insurance have been purchased when 151 152 required under s. 627.7415 shall be provided in the manner 153 prescribed by law by the applicant at the time of application 154 for registration of any motor vehicle owned as defined in s. 627.732. Proof that insurance coverage has been purchased as 155 required by s. 324.025 shall be provided in the manner 156 157 prescribed by law by the applicant at the time of application for registration for a motorcycle as defined in s. 316.003. The 158 issuing agent shall refuse to issue registration if such proof 159 160 of purchase is not provided. Insurers shall furnish uniform proof-of-purchase cards in a form prescribed by the department 161 162 and shall include the name of the insured's insurance company, the coverage identification number, the make, year, and vehicle 163 Page 6 of 22

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identification number of the vehicle insured. The card shall 164 165 contain a statement notifying the applicant of the penalty specified in s. 316.646(5)(4). The card or insurance policy, 166 167 insurance policy binder, or certificate of insurance or a 168 photocopy of any of these; an affidavit containing the name of 169 the insured's insurance company, the insured's policy number, and the make and year of the vehicle insured; or such other 170 proof as may be prescribed by the department shall constitute 171 172 sufficient proof of purchase. If an affidavit is provided as 173 proof, it shall be in substantially the following form:

175 Under penalty of perjury, I (Name of insured) do hereby 176 certify that I have (Personal Injury Protection, Property 177 Damage Liability, and, when required, Bodily Injury Liability) 178 Insurance currently in effect with (Name of insurance company) (policy number) covering (make, year, and vehicle 179 under identification number of vehicle) . (Signature of Insured) 180 181

182 Such affidavit shall include the following warning:

184 WARNING: GIVING FALSE INFORMATION IN ORDER TO OBTAIN A VEHICLE
185 REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE IS A CRIMINAL OFFENSE UNDER FLORIDA
186 LAW. ANYONE GIVING FALSE INFORMATION ON THIS AFFIDAVIT IS
187 SUBJECT TO PROSECUTION.

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When an application is made through a licensed motor vehicle dealer as required in s. 319.23, the original or a photostatic copy of such card, insurance policy, insurance policy binder, or Page 7 of 22

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192 certificate of insurance or the original affidavit from the 193 insured shall be forwarded by the dealer to the tax collector of the county or the department of Highway Safety and Motor 194 195 Vehicles for processing. By executing the aforesaid affidavit, 196 no licensed motor vehicle dealer will be liable in damages for any inadequacy, insufficiency, or falsification of any statement 197 contained therein. A card shall also indicate the existence of 198 any bodily injury liability insurance voluntarily purchased. 199

The verifying of proof of personal injury protection 200 (d) insurance, proof of combined bodily liability insurance and 201 202 property damage liability insurance, or proof of financial responsibility insurance and the issuance or failure to issue 203 204 the motor vehicle registration under the provisions of this 205 chapter may not be construed in any court as a warranty of the reliability or accuracy of the evidence of such proof. Neither 206 207 the department nor any tax collector is liable in damages for any inadequacy, insufficiency, falsification, or unauthorized 208 modification of any item of the proof of personal injury 209 210 protection insurance, proof of combined bodily liability insurance and property damage liability insurance, or proof of 211 financial responsibility insurance or motorcycle insurance 212 213 required by s. 324.025 either prior to, during, or subsequent to the verification of the proof. The issuance of a motor vehicle 214 registration does not constitute prima facie evidence or a 215 presumption of insurance coverage. 216

217 Section 3. Section 324.025, Florida Statutes, is created 218 to read:

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324.025 Motorcycles; requirement for insurance coverage.--Page 8 of 22

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CS 220 (1) (a) Every owner or registrant of a motorcycle as defined in s. 316.003, required to be registered and licensed in 221 222 this state, who is at least age 16 but younger than age 21, 223 shall maintain security by: Maintaining a policy of insurance from an authorized 224 1. insurer providing: 225 226 a. Property damage coverage as required by s. 324.022; and 227 b. Medical payments coverage providing a medical payments 228 benefit of \$10,000 as set forth in s. 627.7441; or 2. Furnishing proof of financial responsibility pursuant 229 230 to s. 324.031(2), (3), or (4) and approved by the department as 231 affording security equivalent to that afforded by a policy of insurance as provided in subparagraph 1. 232 233 With respect to a policy of insurance, the named (b) 234 insured may elect a deductible as specified in s. 627.7441 to 235 apply to the named insured alone or to the named insured and dependent relatives residing in the same household but may not 236 237 elect a deductible or modified coverage to apply to any other 238 person covered under the policy. (2) An owner of a motorcycle with respect to which 239 security is required by this section who fails to have such 240 241 security in effect at the time of an accident is personally liable for the payment of benefits under this section. With 242 243 respect to such benefits, such an owner has all of the rights 244 and obligations of an insurer. 245 The department may adopt rules pursuant to ss. (3) 246 120.536(1) and 120.54 necessary to implement this section.

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247 Section 4. Subsections (1) and (3) of section 627.06501, 248 Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

249 627.06501 Insurance discounts for certain persons250 completing driver improvement course.--

Any rate, rating schedule, or rating manual for the 251 (1)252 liability, personal injury protection, and collision coverages of a motor vehicle insurance policy filed with the office may 253 provide for a minimum of 2 percent, not to exceed 15 percent, 254 255 reduction in premiums an appropriate reduction in premium 256 charges as to such coverages when the principal operator on the 257 covered vehicle has successfully completed a driver improvement course approved and certified by the Department of Highway 258 259 Safety and Motor Vehicles which is effective in reducing crash 260 or violation rates, or both, as determined pursuant to s. 318.1451(5). Any discount, not to exceed 10 percent, used by an 261 insurer is presumed to be appropriate unless credible data 262 demonstrates otherwise. 263

264 The organization offering the course shall, upon a (3) 265 person's successful completion of the course, issue the person a certificate that the person may use to qualify for the premium 266 discount authorized by this section. The Department of Highway 267 268 Safety and Motor Vehicles shall require each person completing 269 the course for the purposes of this section to pass a written 270 test given by the organization to evaluate the person's 271 knowledge of the content of the course.

272 Section 5. Subsection (6) and paragraph (f) of subsection 273 (11) of section 627.736, Florida Statutes, are amended, and 274 subsections (14) and (15) are added to that section, to read: Page 10 of 22

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275 627.736 Required personal injury protection benefits;
276 exclusions; priority; claims.--

277 (6) <u>REQUEST FOR PATIENT DIAGNOSTIC AND TREATMENT RECORDS</u>
 278 <u>AND INFORMATION DISCOVERY OF FACTS</u> ABOUT AN INJURED PERSON;
 279 DISPUTES.--

(a) Every employer shall, if a request is made by an
insurer providing personal injury protection benefits under ss.
627.730-627.7405 against whom a claim has been made, furnish
forthwith, in a form approved by the office, a sworn statement
of the earnings, since the time of the bodily injury and for a
reasonable period before the injury, of the person upon whose
injury the claim is based.

287 Every physician, hospital, clinic, or other medical (b) institution providing, before or after bodily injury upon which 288 a claim for personal injury protection insurance benefits is 289 based, any products, services, or accommodations in relation to 290 291 that or any other injury, or in relation to a condition claimed 292 to be connected with that or any other injury, shall, if 293 requested to do so by the insurer against whom the claim has been made, furnish forthwith a written report of the history, 294 condition, treatment, dates, and costs of such treatment of the 295 296 injured person and why the items identified by the insurer were reasonable in amount and medically necessary, together with a 297 298 sworn statement that the treatment or services rendered were 299 reasonable and necessary with respect to the bodily injury sustained and identifying which portion of the expenses for such 300 treatment or services was incurred as a result of such bodily 301 injury, and produce forthwith, and permit the inspection and 302 Page 11 of 22

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303 copying of, his or her or its records regarding such history, condition, treatment, dates, and costs of treatment; provided 304 that this shall not limit the introduction of evidence at trial. 305 306 Such sworn statement shall read as follows: "Under penalty of 307 perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing, and the facts 308 alleged are true, to the best of my knowledge and belief." No cause of action for violation of the physician-patient privilege 309 or invasion of the right of privacy shall be permitted against 310 any physician, hospital, clinic, or other medical institution 311 312 complying with the provisions of this section. The person 313 requesting such records and such sworn statement shall pay all reasonable costs connected therewith. If an insurer makes a 314 315 written request for documentation or information under this paragraph within 30 days after having received notice of the 316 317 amount of a covered loss under paragraph (4)(a), the amount or the partial amount which is the subject of the insurer's inquiry 318 319 shall become overdue if the insurer does not pay in accordance with paragraph (4)(b) or within 10 days after the insurer's 320 321 receipt of the requested documentation or information, whichever occurs later. For purposes of this paragraph, the term "receipt" 322 includes, but is not limited to, inspection and copying pursuant 323 324 to this paragraph. Any insurer that requests documentation or 325 information pertaining to reasonableness of charges or medical necessity under this paragraph without a reasonable basis for 326 such requests as a general business practice is engaging in an 327 unfair trade practice under the insurance code. 328

 329 (c) In the event of any dispute regarding an insurer's
 330 right to request patient diagnostic or treatment information Page 12 of 22

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discovery of facts under this section, the insurer may petition 331 a court of competent jurisdiction to enter an order permitting 332 such request for patient diagnostic or treatment information 333 334 discovery. The order may be made only on motion for good cause 335 shown and upon notice to all persons having an interest, and it shall specify the time, place, manner, conditions, and scope of 336 the request for patient diagnostic or treatment information 337 discovery. Such court may, in order to protect against 338 339 annoyance, embarrassment, or oppression, as justice requires, enter an order refusing the request for patient diagnostic or 340 341 treatment information discovery or specifying conditions of the request for patient diagnostic or treatment information 342 343 discovery and may order payments of costs and expenses of the proceeding, including reasonable fees for the appearance of 344 attorneys at the proceedings, as justice requires. 345

(d) The injured person shall be furnished, upon request, a
copy of all information obtained by the insurer under the
provisions of this section, and shall pay a reasonable charge,
if required by the insurer.

350 (e) Notice to an insurer of the existence of a claim shall351 not be unreasonably withheld by an insured.

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(11) DEMAND LETTER.--

(f) Any insurer making a general business practice of not paying valid claims until receipt of the notice required by this subsection is engaging in an unfair trade practice under the insurance code <u>and shall be liable for damages in the amount of</u> three times the amount of benefits due or recovered resulting from failing to pay the claims until receiving the demand letter

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359	notices under this subsection. Any attorney who successfully
360	prosecutes an action based upon an insurer's general business
361	practice of not paying valid claims until receipt of the notice
362	required by this subsection may be awarded a lodestar multiplier
363	at the time that the court awards attorney's fees. The office
364	shall investigate and initiate actions for any violation of this
365	paragraph. The office may:
366	1. Administer oaths and affirmations.
367	2. Subpoena witnesses and documents.
368	3. Collect evidence for possible use in civil, criminal,
369	or administrative proceedings.
370	4. Refer findings to appropriate criminal justice agencies
371	for prosecution.
372	5. Seek all other civil remedies provided by law.
373	(14) EMERGENCY SERVICES AND CARE In addition to the
374	medical benefits contained in paragraph (1)(a), additional
375	benefits of up to \$10,000 are available for ambulance transport
376	and treatment, emergency services and care as defined in s.
377	395.002(10), or inpatient services, provided in a hospital and
378	by physicians in an emergency department or trauma center or
379	inpatient departments when such services are continually
380	rendered as a result of an admission through the emergency
381	department or trauma center. The additional benefit for
382	emergency services and care must be rendered to the named
383	insured, the named insured's spouse, parents by blood or
384	marriage, stepparents and stepchildren, and children, natural or
385	adopted, who reside in the same household. Only emergency
386	services and care, necessary inpatient services following
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CS 387 admission through the emergency department or trauma center, or transport and treatment rendered by an ambulance provider 388 licensed under part III of chapter 401 may be paid from the 389 390 additional benefit. The additional benefit may only be used when 391 such emergency services and care are initiated or rendered 392 within 48 hours after the motor vehicle accident. All such bills 393 shall be submitted on a UB 92 or a CMS 1500 form or their 394 approved successor forms. (15) ATTORNEY'S FEES. -- With respect to any dispute under 395 396 ss. 627.730-627.7405 between the insured and the insurer or 397 between an assignee of an insured's rights and the insurer, s. 398 627.428 shall apply. A contingency risk multiplier may not be 399 applied to any attorney's fee award in any dispute under ss. 400 627.730-627.7405, except as permitted in paragraph (11)(f). Section 6. Subsection (1) of section 627.7401, Florida 401 402 Statutes, is amended to read: 627.7401 Notification of insured's rights.--403 404 The commission, by rule, shall adopt a form for the (1)notification of insureds of their right to receive personal 405 injury protection benefits under the Florida Motor Vehicle No-406 Fault Law. Such notice shall: 407 408 (a) Include a description of the benefits provided by personal injury protection, including, but not limited to, the 409 410 specific types of services for which medical benefits are paid, 411 disability benefits, death benefits, significant exclusions from and limitations on personal injury protection benefits, when 412 413 payments are due, how benefits are coordinated with other insurance benefits that the insured may have, penalties and 414 Page 15 of 22

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415	interest that may be imposed on insurers for failure to make
416	timely payments of benefits, and rights of parties regarding
417	disputes as to benefits.
418	(b) Notify the insured that:
419	1. Pursuant to s. 626.9892, the department may pay rewards
420	of up to \$25,000 to persons providing information leading to the
421	arrest and conviction of persons committing crimes investigated
422	by the Division of Insurance Fraud arising from violations of s.
423	440.105, s. 624.15, s. 626.9541, s. 626.989, or s. 817.234.
424	2. Solicitation of a person injured in a motor vehicle
425	crash for purposes of filing personal injury protection or tort
426	claims could be a violation of s. 817.234, s. 817.505, or the
427	rules regulating The Florida Bar and should be immediately
428	reported to the Division of Insurance Fraud if such conduct has
429	taken place.
430	Section 7. Section 627.7441, Florida Statutes, is created
431	to read:
432	627.7441 Motorcycles; medical payments coverage
433	(1) Each insurer authorized to write motor vehicle
434	insurance in this state shall make motorcycle coverage that
435	meets the security requirements of s. 324.025 available through
436	normal marketing channels. Insurers may not require that
437	additional or collateral coverage be purchased in addition to
438	the required security. An insurer writing motor vehicle
439	liability coverage in this state that fails to comply with this
440	availability requirement as a general business practice is
441	deemed to have violated part IX of chapter 626, and such
442	violation shall constitute an unfair method of competition or an

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CS 443 unfair or deceptive act or practice involving the business of 444 insurance. Any insurer committing such violation is subject to the penalties provided in that part and other penalties provided 445 446 elsewhere in the insurance code. 447 Any policy of insurance represented or sold as (2) 448 providing the security required under this section is deemed to 449 provide insurance for the payment of the required benefits. 450 (3) Upon the issuance of a new policy of insurance or the 451 renewal of an existing policy of insurance, an insurer shall offer to each applicant or policyholder deductibles meeting the 452 453 requirements of s. 324.025 in amounts of \$250, \$500, and \$1,000. 454 The deductible amount must be applied to 100 percent of the 455 expenses and losses described in this section. After the 456 deductible is met, each insured is eligible to receive up to \$10,000 in total benefits as provided by the policy. Each 457 election made by the named insured under this subsection shall 458 459 result in an appropriate reduction of premium associated with 460 that election. (4) (a) For the purposes of this section, the term "medical 461 462 payments coverage "means coverage of the usual and customary 463 charge for reasonable and necessary expenses incurred within 3 464 years after the date of an accident involving the covered motorcycle for medical and funeral services because of bodily 465 466 injury sustained by an injured person or death caused by an 467 accident arising out of the ownership, maintenance, or use of 468 the motorcycle or a trailer, sidecar, or other device attached 469 to the motorcycle.

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CS 470 (b) Subject to paragraph (c), covered persons include the 471 operator or any other person occupying the motorcycle or a sidecar or trailer attached to the motorcycle. 472 473 (c) Covered persons also include any person at least age 474 16 but younger than age 21 and may, if coverage is available 475 from the insurer and if purchased by the owner or registrant of 476 the motorcycle, include all persons over the age of 20. 477 The Florida Automobile Joint Underwriting Association (5) 478 shall make the coverage required under this section available to 479 any motorcycle owner or registrant who is in good faith entitled 480 to, but unable to, procure the security from an authorized 481 insurer. 482 The commission may adopt rules pursuant to ss. (6) 120.536(1) and 120.54 necessary to implement this section. 483 Section 8. Subsection (2) of section 316.068, Florida 484 Statutes, is amended to read: 485 486 316.068 Crash report forms.--487 Every crash report required to be made in writing must (2)488 be made on the appropriate form approved by the department and must contain all the information required in the report, 489 including therein: 490 491 (a) The date, time, and location of the crash. 492 (b) A description of the vehicles involved. The names and addresses of the parties involved. 493 (C) 494 The names and addresses of all drivers and passengers (d) in the vehicles involved. 495 496 The names and addresses of witnesses. (e)

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497	(f) The name, badge number, and law enforcement agency of
498	the officer investigating the crash.
499	(g) The names of the insurance companies for the
500	respective parties involved in the crash,
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502	unless not available. The absence of information in such written
503	crash reports regarding the existence of passengers in the
504	vehicles involved in the crash constitutes a rebuttable
505	presumption that no such passengers were involved in the
506	reported crash. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this
507	section, a crash report produced electronically by a law
508	enforcement officer must, at a minimum, contain the same
509	information as is called for on those forms approved by the
510	department.
511	Section 9. Subsection (8) of section 322.21, Florida
512	Statutes, is amended to read:
513	322.21 License fees; procedure for handling and collecting
514	fees
515	(8) Any person who applies for reinstatement following the
516	suspension or revocation of the person's driver's license shall
517	pay a service fee of \$35 following a suspension, and \$60
518	following a revocation, which is in addition to the fee for a
519	license. Any person who applies for reinstatement of a
520	commercial driver's license following the disqualification of
521	the person's privilege to operate a commercial motor vehicle
522	shall pay a service fee of \$60, which is in addition to the fee
523	for a license. The department shall collect all of these fees at
524	the time of reinstatement. The department shall issue proper Page 19 of 22

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525 receipts for such fees and shall promptly transmit all funds 526 received by it as follows:

(a) Of the \$35 fee received from a licensee for
reinstatement following a suspension, the department shall
deposit \$15 in the General Revenue Fund and \$20 in the Highway
Safety Operating Trust Fund.

(b) Of the \$60 fee received from a licensee for
reinstatement following a revocation or disqualification, the
department shall deposit \$35 in the General Revenue Fund and \$25
in the Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund.

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If the revocation or suspension of the driver's license was for 536 537 a violation of s. 316.193, or for refusal to submit to a lawful 538 breath, blood, or urine test, an additional fee of \$115 must be charged. However, only one \$115 fee may be collected from one 539 person convicted of violations arising out of the same incident. 540 541 The department shall collect the \$115 fee and deposit the fee 542 into the Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund at the time of 543 reinstatement of the person's driver's license, but the fee may not be collected if the suspension or revocation is overturned. 544 If the revocation or suspension of the driver's license was for 545 546 a conviction for a violation of s. 817.234(8) or (9), an 547 additional fee of \$180 is imposed for each such offense. The 548 department shall collect and deposit the additional fee into the 549 Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund at the time of reinstatement of the person's driver's license. 550 Section 10. Subsection (9) is added to section 322.26, 551

552 Florida Statutes, to read:

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CS 553 322.26 Mandatory revocation of license by department. -- The department shall forthwith revoke the license or driving 554 555 privilege of any person upon receiving a record of such person's 556 conviction of any of the following offenses: 557 Conviction in any court having jurisdiction over (9) offenses committed under s. 817.234(8) or (9). 558 559 Section 11. Paragraph (c) of subsection (8) and subsection 560 (9) of section 817.234, Florida Statutes, are amended to read: 561 817.234 False and fraudulent insurance claims.--(8) 562 563 (C) A lawyer, health care practitioner as defined in s. 564 456.001, or owner or medical director of a clinic required to be 565 licensed pursuant to s. 400.9905 may not, at any time after 60 566 days have elapsed from the occurrence of a motor vehicle 567 accident, solicit or cause to be solicited any business from a 568 person involved in a motor vehicle accident by means of in person or telephone contact at the person's residence or office 569 570 or at any other telephone number $\overline{\tau}$ for the purpose of making motor vehicle tort claims or claims for personal injury 571 572 protection benefits required by s. 627.736. Any person who violates this paragraph commits a felony of the third degree, 573 574 punishable as provided in s. 775.082, s. 775.083, or s. 775.084. A person may not organize, plan, or knowingly 575 (9) 576 participate in an intentional motor vehicle crash or a scheme to 577 create documentation of a motor vehicle crash that did not occur 578 for the purpose of making motor vehicle tort claims or claims 579 for personal injury protection benefits as required by s. 580 627.736. Any person who violates this subsection commits a Page 21 of 22

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581 felony of the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 582 775.082, s. 775.083, or s. 775.084. A person who is convicted of a violation of this subsection shall be sentenced to a minimum 584 term of imprisonment of 2 years.

585 Section 12. Section 817.2361, Florida Statutes, is amended 586 to read:

587 817.2361 False or fraudulent proof of motor vehicle 588 insurance card.--Any person who, with intent to deceive any 589 other person, creates, markets, or presents a false or 590 fraudulent proof of motor vehicle insurance card commits a 591 felony of the third degree, punishable as provided in s. 592 775.082, s. 775.083, or s. 775.084.

593 Section 13. Section 19 of chapter 2003-411, Laws of 594 Florida, is amended to read:

Section 19. (1) Effective October 1, 2012 2007, sections 595 627.730, 627.731, 627.732, 627.733, 627.734, 627.736, 627.737, 596 597 627.739, 627.7401, 627.7403, and 627.7405, Florida Statutes, 598 constituting the Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law, are 599 repealed, unless reenacted by the Legislature during the 2011 2006 Regular Session and such reenactment becomes law to take 600 601 effect for policies issued or renewed on or after October 1, 602 2011 2006.

(2) Insurers are authorized to provide, in all policies
issued or renewed after October 1, 2011 2006, that such policies
may terminate on or after October 1, 2012 2007, as provided in
subsection (1).

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Section 14. This act shall take effect October 1, 2006.

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