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CHAMBER ACTION

Senate House

Representative(s) Seiler offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 251 and 252, insert:

Section 4. Subsections (1), (2), and (11) of section 430.2053, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

430.2053 Aging resource centers.--

(1) The department, in consultation with the Agency for Health Care Administration and the Department of Children and Family Services, shall develop pilot projects for aging resource centers. By October 31, 2004, the department, in consultation with the agency and the Department of Children and Family Services, shall develop an implementation plan for aging resource centers and submit the plan to the Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives. The plan must include qualifications for 906319

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designation as a center, the functions to be performed by each center, and a process for determining that a current area agency on aging is ready to assume the functions of an aging resource center.

(2) Each area agency on aging shall develop, in consultation with the existing community care for the elderly lead agencies within their planning and service areas, a proposal that describes the process the area agency on aging intends to undertake to transition to an aging resource center prior to July 1, 2005, and that describes the area agency's compliance with the requirements of this section. However, the department shall complete the transition of any area agency on aging within the geographic boundary of a pilot program authorized in s. 409.912(5) to an aging resource center no later than 60 days in advance of the first date of enrollment in the pilot program. The department shall complete the transition of all area agencies on aging to aging resource centers no later than January 1, 2008. The proposals must be submitted to the department prior to December 31, 2004. The department shall evaluate all proposals for readiness and, prior to March 1, 2005, shall select three area agencies on aging which meet the requirements of this section to begin the transition to aging resource centers. Those area agencies on aging which are not selected to begin the transition to aging resource centers shall, in consultation with the department and the existing community care for the elderly lead agencies within their planning and service areas, amend their proposals as necessary and resubmit them to the department prior to July 1, 2005. The 906319

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department may transition additional area agencies to aging resource centers as it determines that area agencies are in compliance with the requirements of this section.

- (11) The services to be administered through the aging resource center shall include those funded by the following programs:
 - (a) Community care for the elderly.
 - (b) Home care for the elderly.
 - (c) Contracted services.
 - (d) Alzheimer's disease initiative.
 - (e) Aged and disabled adult Medicaid waiver.
 - (f) Assisted living for the frail elderly Medicaid waiver.
- (q) Older Americans Act.
 - (h) Medicaid nursing home services.
 - (i) Medicaid Nursing Home Diversion Program waiver.
 - (j) Adult Day Health Care waiver.
- (k) Assistive Care Services.
 - (1) Channeling waiver.
 - (m) Consumer-Directed Care waiver.
 - (n) Assisted Living for the Frail Elderly Waiver.
 - (o) Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly.
 - (p) Any other long-term care program or Medicaid service for persons 60 years of age and older.

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

Remove line(s) 25 and insert:

amending s. 430.2053, F.S.; deleting obsolete requirements for

aging resource centers; directing the Department of Elderly 906319

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Affairs to complete the transition of area agencies on aging to
aging resource centers; providing deadlines for the transition
of area agencies on aging to aging resource centers; delineating
services to be administered through aging resource centers;
providing an effective date.