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CHAMBER ACTION

<u>Senate</u>	.	<u>House</u>
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3/13/2008	.	
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1 The Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation
 2 (Saunders) recommended the following **amendment to amendment**
 3 **(866008)** :

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between line(s) 1374 and 1375

7 insert:

9 Section 21. Paragraph (j) of subsection (2) of section
 10 377.703, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

11 377.703 Additional functions of the Department of
 12 Environmental Protection; energy emergency contingency plan;
 13 federal and state conservation programs.--

14 (2) DEFINITIONS.--

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15 (j) "Renewable energy resource" means electrical,
16 mechanical, or thermal energy produced from a method that uses
17 one or more of the following fuels or energy sources: hydrogen
18 produced from sources other than fossil fuels or nuclear energy,
19 solar energy, geothermal energy, wind energy, ocean energy,
20 waste heat, hydroelectric power, and biomass. As used in this
21 paragraph, "biomass" means a power source that is comprised of
22 combustible residues, oils or gases from forest products
23 manufacturing, agricultural and orchard crops, waste products
24 from livestock and poultry operations and food processing, urban
25 wood waste, biogenic municipal solid waste, municipal liquid
26 waste treatment operations, and landfill gas ~~means any method,~~
27 ~~process, or substance the use of which does not diminish its~~
28 ~~availability or abundance, including, but not limited to,~~
29 ~~biomass conversion, geothermal energy, solar energy, wind~~
30 ~~energy, wood fuels derived from waste, ocean thermal gradient~~
31 ~~power, hydroelectric power, and fuels derived from agricultural~~
32 ~~products.~~

33 Section 22. Subsection (6) of section 377.803, Florida
34 Statutes, is amended to read:

35 377.803 Definitions.--As used in ss. 377.801-377.806, the
36 term:

37 (6) "Renewable energy" means electrical, mechanical, or
38 thermal energy produced from a method that uses one or more of
39 the following fuels or energy sources: hydrogen produced from
40 sources other than fossil fuels or nuclear energy, solar energy,
41 geothermal energy, wind energy, ocean energy, waste heat,
42 hydroelectric power, and biomass. As used in this subsection,

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43 "biomass" means a power source that is comprised of combustible
 44 residues, oils, or gases from forest products manufacturing,
 45 agricultural and orchard crops, waste products from livestock
 46 and poultry operations and food processing, urban wood waste,
 47 biogenic municipal solid waste, municipal liquid waste treatment
 48 operations, and landfill gas ~~means electrical, mechanical, or~~
 49 ~~thermal energy produced from a method that uses one or more of~~
 50 ~~the following fuels or energy sources: hydrogen, biomass, solar~~
 51 ~~energy, geothermal energy, wind energy, ocean energy, waste~~
 52 ~~heat, or hydroelectric power.~~

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

55 And the title is amended as follows:

56 On line(s) 2087, after the second semicolon,
 57 insert:

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 59 amending s. 377.703, F.S.; redefining the term "renewable
 60 energy source"; amending s. 377.803, F.S.; redefining the
 61 term "renewable energy";