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CHAMBER ACTION

<u>Senate</u>	.	<u>House</u>
Comm: RCS	.	
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1 The Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation  
 2 (Jones) recommended the following **amendment**:

**Senate Amendment**

5 Delete lines 100 through 115  
 6 and insert:

7 (4) The provisions of subsections (1) and (2) are shall  
 8 ~~not be~~ a requirement imposed upon ports listed in s.  
 9 403.021(9)(b). However, such ports must demonstrate reasonable  
 10 efforts to place beach-quality sand from construction and  
 11 maintenance dredging and port-development projects on adjacent  
 12 eroding beaches in accordance with port master plans approved by  
 13 the Department of Community Affairs and with permits approved  
 14 and issued by the Department of Environmental Protection in  
 15 order to ensure compliance with this section. A port may sponsor

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16 or cosponsor inlet management projects that are fully eligible  
17 for state cost sharing.

18 (5) The department shall ensure that the disposal of  
19 beach-quality sand from federal projects in this state which  
20 involve dredging for the purpose of navigation is placed on, or  
21 in the nearshore area of, adjacent eroding beaches. The  
22 department may consider permitting nearshore or upland disposal  
23 of such beach-