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CHAMBER ACTION

<u>Senate</u>	.	<u>House</u>
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1 The Committee on Finance and Tax (Atwater) recommended the
2 following **amendment**:

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4 **Senate Amendment**

5 Delete line(s) 360-419

6 and insert:

7 securely attached to the sign facing or, if there is no facing,
8 on the pole nearest the highway; and it shall be attached in such
9 a manner as to be plainly visible from the main-traveled way.

10 Effective July 1, 2011, the tag shall be securely attached to the
11 upper 50 percent of the pole nearest the highway in a manner as

12 to be plainly visible from the main-traveled way. The permit will
13 become void unless the permit tag is properly and permanently
14 displayed at the permitted site within 30 days after the date of
15 permit issuance. If the permittee fails to erect a completed sign
16 on the permitted site within 270 days after the date on which the
17 permit was issued, the permit will be void, and the department



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18 may not issue a new permit to that permittee for the same
19 location for 270 days after the date on which the permit became
20 void.

21 (b) If a permit tag is lost, stolen, or destroyed, the
22 permittee to whom the tag was issued may ~~must~~ apply to the
23 department for a replacement tag. The department shall establish
24 by rule a service fee for replacement tags in an amount that will
25 recover the actual cost of providing the replacement tag. Upon
26 receipt of the application accompanied by the a service fee of
27 \$3, the department shall issue a replacement permit tag.
28 Alternatively, the permittee may provide its own replacement tag
29 pursuant to department specifications which the department shall
30 establish by rule at the time it establishes the service fee for
31 replacement tags.

32 Section 10. Section 479.08, Florida Statutes, is amended to
33 read:

34 479.08 Denial or revocation of permit.--The department has
35 the authority to deny or revoke any permit requested or granted
36 under this chapter in any case in which it determines that the
37 application for the permit contains knowingly false or knowingly
38 misleading information. The department may revoke any permit
39 granted under this chapter in any case where ~~or that~~ the
40 permittee has violated any of the provisions of this chapter,
41 unless such permittee, within 30 days after the receipt of notice
42 by the department, ~~corrects such false or misleading information~~
43 ~~and~~ complies with the provisions of this chapter. For the purpose
44 of this subsection, the notice of violation issued by the
45 department shall describe in detail the alleged violation. Any
46 person aggrieved by any action of the department in denying or
47 revoking a permit under this chapter may, within 30 days after



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48 receipt of the notice, apply to the department for an
49 administrative hearing pursuant to chapter 120. If a timely
50 request for hearing has been filed and the department issues a
51 final order revoking a permit, such revocation shall be effective
52 30 days after the date of rendition. Except for department action
53 pursuant to s. 479.107(1), the filing of a timely and proper
54 notice of appeal shall operate to stay the revocation until the
55 department's action is upheld.

56 Section 11. Subsection (2) of section 479.11, Florida
57 Statutes, is amended to read:

58 479.11 Specified signs prohibited.--No sign shall be
59 erected, used, operated, or maintained:

60 (2) Beyond 660 feet of the nearest edge of the right-of-way
61 of any portion of the interstate highway system or the federal-
62 aid primary highway system outside an urban area, which sign is
63 erected for the purpose of its message being read from the main-
64 traveled way of such system, except as provided in ss. 479.111(1)
65 and 479.16.