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CHAMBER ACTION

<u>Senate</u>	.	<u>House</u>
Comm: RCS	.	
1/23/2008	.	
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1 The Committee on Judiciary (Gaetz) recommended the following  
2 **amendment:**

**Senate Amendment (with title amendments)**

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4  
5 Between line(s) 102 and 103,  
6 insert:  
7 Section 3. Subsection (2) of section 48.27, Florida Statutes,  
8 is amended to read:

9 48.27 Certified process servers.--

10 (2) (a) The addition of a person's name to the list  
11 authorizes him or her to serve initial nonenforceable civil  
12 process on a person found within the circuit where the process  
13 server is certified when a civil action has been filed against  
14 such person in the circuit court or in a county court in the  
15 state. Upon filing an action in circuit or county court, a  
16 person may select from the list for the circuit where the  
17 process is to be served one or more certified process servers to  
18 serve initial nonenforceable civil process.



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19       (b) The addition of a person's name to the list authorizes  
 20 him or her to serve criminal witness subpoenas and criminal  
 21 summonses on a person found within the circuit where the process  
 22 server is certified. The state in any proceeding or  
 23 investigation by a grand jury or any party in a criminal action,  
 24 prosecution, or proceeding may select from the list for the  
 25 circuit where the process is to be served one or more certified  
 26 process servers to serve the subpoena or summons.

27  
28 (and redesignate subsequent sections)

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

31 And the title is amended as follows:

32       On line 10, after the first semicolon,  
 33 insert:  
 34       amending s. 48.27, F.S., to conform; providing for  
 35       selection of authorized certified process servers to serve  
 36       such subpoenas and summonses;