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CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative Kriseman offered the following:

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3 **Amendment**

4 Remove lines 37-59 and insert:

5 1. A penalty of \$5,000 per violation against any person
6 who violates any provision of ss. 403.9321-403.9333 the
7 contractor or agent of the owner or tenant that conducts
8 mangrove trimming or alteration without a permit as required by
9 s. 403.9328. However, for minor unauthorized trimming that
10 otherwise would have qualified for a general permit under s.
11 403.9327 or that has only minimal or insignificant individual or
12 cumulative adverse impacts on mangrove resources, the department
13 shall assess a penalty of \$1,000 for the first offense. For
14 purposes of this paragraph, the preparation or signing of a
15 permit application by a person currently licensed under chapter
16 471 to practice as a professional engineer does ~~shall~~ not
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17 constitute a violation ~~make that person an agent of the owner or~~
18 ~~tenant.~~

19 2. For major unauthorized trimming or a second or
20 subsequent violation of subparagraph 1., an additional penalty
21 of \$100 for each mangrove illegally trimmed and \$250 for each
22 mangrove illegally altered, not to exceed a total of \$10,000.

23 3. For major unauthorized trimming or a second or
24 subsequent violation of subparagraph 1. by a professional
25 mangrove trimmer, owner, or tenant, an additional penalty of
26 \$250 for each mangrove illegally trimmed or altered, not to