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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate

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Senators Crist and Joyner moved the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Delete lines 349 - 364

and insert:

(1) For the purposes of this section, the term "tobacco products" means loose tobacco suitable for smoking; snuff; snuff flour; cavendish; plug and twist tobacco; fine cuts and other chewing tobaccos; shorts; refuse scraps; clippings, cuttings, and sweepings of tobacco, and other kinds and forms of tobacco prepared in such manner as to be suitable for chewing. However, the term does not include cigarettes, as defined by s.



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13 210.01(1), or cigars.

14 (2) A surcharge is levied upon all tobacco products in this  
15 state and upon any person engaged in business as a distributor  
16 thereof at the rate of \$1 for each ounce, with a proportionate  
17 surcharge at the same rate on all fractions of an ounce thereof,  
18 of such tobacco products. The surcharge shall be levied at the  
19 time the distributor:

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

22 And the title is amended as follows:

23 Delete line 25

24 and insert:

25 surcharge on tobacco products other than cigarettes or cigars;