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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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04/21/2009	•	
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The Policy and Steering Committee on Ways and Means (Deutch) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment to Amendment (107900) (with title amendment)

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Delete lines 4 - 17
and insert:
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Delete lines 39-43

and insert:

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(30) The administration of any human vaccine used for children under age 4 or a woman the physician knows to be pregnant which contains any organic or inorganic mercury compound in excess of 0.1 microgram per milliliter, except:

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12	(a) If the Governor declares a state of emergency, the
13	Governor may, by executive order, waive this provision of law
14	and permit mercury-containing vaccines as needed.
15	(b) If a child or pregnant woman can only receive a vaccine
16	for which there is not a mercury-free alternative of 0.1
17	microgram per milliliter or less approved by the Food and Drug
18	Administration, this provision of law may be exempted until such
19	time as a mercury-free alternative becomes available.
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22	And the title is amended as follows:
23	Delete lines 21 - 29
24	and insert:
25	Delete lines 3-7
26	and insert:
27	499.005, F.S.; prohibiting the administration of
28	certain vaccines containing organic or inorganic
29	mercury compounds in excess of a certain amount;
30	providing exceptions; amending s. 1003.22, F.S.;
31	revising