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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Senator Bennett moved the following:

**Senate Amendment (with directory and title amendments)**

Between lines 265 and 266

insert:

(15) It is the intent of the Legislature to encourage and facilitate the location of businesses in the state which will not only offer job creation and high wages and diversify the economy of the state, but promote the development of energy-saving technologies and other clean technologies, and the usage of those technologies in Florida communities. The Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development shall certify the job creation aspects of a mix-use project within 30 days after the



13 office receives a request from a local government for review if  
14 such project:

15 (a) Produces no fewer than 10,000 jobs upon completion in  
16 development and manufacturing and distribution in the clean  
17 technology industries, including, but not limited to, energy and  
18 fuel saving, alternative energy production, or carbon-reduction  
19 technologies;

20 (b) Provides at least 25 percent of site-wide demand for  
21 electricity by new renewable energy sources and uses building  
22 design, conservation, and construction techniques and materials  
23 to reduce projected project-wide energy demand, potable water  
24 consumption, and per capita carbon emissions by at least 25  
25 percent compared to the 2009 average per capita for the state;  
26 and

27 (c) Contains at least 25,000 acres that are not located in  
28 a coastal high-hazard area and of which at least 50 percent is  
29 dedicated to conservation or open space.

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31 A project that meets the criteria in this subsection meets the  
32 requirements for land use allocation need based on population  
33 projections, discouragement of urban sprawl, and the provisions  
34 of paragraph (6)(a) and subsection (11) and the implementing  
35 rules.

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37 ===== D I R E C T O R Y C L A U S E A M E N D M E N T =====

38 And the directory clause is amended as follows:

39 Delete line 134

40 and insert:

41 are amended, and subsection (15) is added to that section, to



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42 read:

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

45 And the title is amended as follows:

46 Delete line 20

47 and insert:

48 certain percent under certain circumstances; providing  
49 legislative intent; requiring that the Office of  
50 Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development within the  
51 Executive Office of the Governor certify the job  
52 creation aspects of a mix-use project within a  
53 specified period after receiving a request from a  
54 local government for review if such project meets  
55 certain criteria; amending