

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative Fetterman offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Remove lines 158-213 and insert:

5 Section 1. The facts stated in the preamble to this act
6 are found and declared to be true.

7 Section 2. The Sheriff of Broward County is authorized and
8 directed to appropriate from funds of the Broward County
9 Sheriff's Office not otherwise appropriated and to draw a
10 warrant payable to Eric Brody and his legal guardians in the sum
11 of \$7,000,000 as compensation for injuries and damages
12 sustained.

13 Section 3. Any amount awarded under this act pursuant to
14 the waiver of sovereign immunity permitted under s. 768.28,
15 Florida Statutes, is intended to provide the sole compensation
16 for all claims against the Broward County Sheriff's Office

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17 arising out of the facts described in the preamble to this act
18 which resulted in the injuries to Eric Brody. Upon payment by
19 the Broward County Sheriff's Office of the sum specified in
20 section 2, the legal guardians of Eric Brody shall execute a
21 complete satisfaction and release of their final judgment and
22 costs judgment against the Broward County Sheriff's Office.

23 Section 4. The total amount of attorney's fees, lobbying
24 fees, costs, and other similar expenses relating to this claim
25 is to be paid only to the claimant's currently retained
26 attorneys and lobbyists and may not exceed 25 percent of the
27 total amount awarded under section 2.

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33 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

34 Remove lines 151-154 and insert:

35 WHEREAS, it is in the interest of Eric Brody, his legal
36 guardians, and the Broward County Sheriff's Office to reach a
37 final resolution of all claims arising out of Eric Brody's
38 injury, and

39 WHEREAS, the Broward County Sheriff's Office's insurer,
40 Ranger Insurance Company, has agreed to pay \$7,000,000 on behalf
41 of the Broward County Sheriff's Office to Eric Brody and his
42 legal guardians as the sole compensation for all claims against
43 the Broward County Sheriff's Office arising out of the facts

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44 described in the preamble to this act which resulted in the
45 injuries to Eric Brody, and

46 WHEREAS, the Broward County Sheriff's Office requests that
47 the Legislature authorize the payment of \$7,000,000 to Eric
48 Brody and his legal guardians through the submission of a claim
49 bill to the Legislature, NOW, THEREFORE,

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