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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs (Rich) recommended the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Delete lines 248 - 254  
and insert:

Section 10. Paragraph (e) of subsection (1) of section 985.01, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

985.01 Purposes and intent.—

(1) The purposes of this chapter are:

(e)1. To assure that the adjudication and disposition of a child alleged or found to have committed a violation of Florida



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12 law be exercised with appropriate discretion and in keeping with  
13 the seriousness of the offense and the need for treatment  
14 services, and that all findings made under this chapter be based  
15 upon facts presented at a hearing that meets the constitutional  
16 standards of fundamental fairness and due process.

17 2. To assure that the sentencing and placement of a child  
18 tried as an adult be appropriate and in keeping with the  
19 seriousness of the offense and the child's need for  
20 rehabilitative services, and that the proceedings and procedures  
21 applicable to such sentencing and placement be applied within  
22 the full framework of constitutional standards of fundamental  
23 fairness and due process.

24 3. To provide all children and families with a fully  
25 integrated, comprehensive approach to handling

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27 And the title is amended as follows:

28 Delete line 4

29 and insert:

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31 984.01, and 985.01, F.S., and creating ss. 88.1041