

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to Hillsborough County; amending chapter
 3 2001-299, Laws of Florida, relating to the Public
 4 Transportation Commission; revising definitions; revising
 5 requirements of the director; providing an effective date.

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 7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 9 Section 1. Subsections (1), (30), (33), and (34) of
 10 section 3 and subsection (1) of section 6 of chapter 2001-299,
 11 Laws of Florida, are amended to read:

12 Section 3. Definitions.--As used in this act:

13 (1) "Basic life support ambulance" means any privately or
 14 publicly owned vehicle, except those operated by any
 15 municipality, that is designed, constructed, reconstructed,
 16 maintained, equipped, or operated for and is used for or
 17 intended to be used for transportation of a sick or injured
 18 person ~~persons~~ requiring or likely to require medical attention
 19 during transport by a qualified person ~~persons~~ through the use
 20 of techniques such as patient assessment, cardiopulmonary
 21 resuscitation, splinting, obstetrical assistance, bandaging,
 22 administration of oxygen, application of medical anti-shock
 23 trousers, administration of a subcutaneous injection using a
 24 premeasured autoinjector of epinephrine to a person suffering an
 25 anaphylactic ~~analyphylactic~~ reaction, and other techniques
 26 described in the Emergency Medical Technician Basic Training
 27 Course Curriculum of the United States Department of

28 Transportation or the Florida Department of Health and the
 29 requirements of chapter 401, Florida Statutes.

30 (30) "Taxicab" means any motor-driven vehicle, equipped
 31 with a taximeter, with a capacity for 9 or fewer ~~less~~
 32 passengers, including the driver, for the transportation of for
 33 hire passengers, which operates within Hillsborough County, but
 34 does not include sight-seeing cars or buses, streetcars, or
 35 motor buses operated pursuant to a public franchise.

36 (33) "Van" means any motor-driven vehicle with a capacity
 37 for ~~of~~ 10 to 15 passengers, including the driver, for the
 38 transportation of for hire passengers, which operates within the
 39 county but does not include sight-seeing cars and buses,
 40 streetcars, motor buses operated pursuant to a public franchise,
 41 or courtesy vans, ~~and limousines not for hire.~~

42 (34) "Wrecker" means any truck or other ~~privately owned~~
 43 ~~motor driven~~ vehicle that is used to tow, carry, or otherwise
 44 transport motor vehicles or vessels upon the streets and
 45 highways of this state and that is equipped for that purpose
 46 with a boom, winch, car carrier, or other similar equipment and
 47 is in the recovery, towing, or removal of wrecked, disabled,
 48 ~~stolen, and abandoned motor vehicles and~~ contracted for use by,
 49 through, or for any unit of local, county, or state government,
 50 and not authorized to transport passengers for hire or any
 51 person regularly engaged in towing or storing vehicles or
 52 vessels in Hillsborough County pursuant to section 715.07,
 53 Florida Statutes.

54 Section 6. Commission staff.--

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55 | (1) The commission may employ a director who shall, at ~~as~~
56 | a minimum, hold a bachelor's degree in public administration,
57 | management, criminal justice, or a related field or ~~and~~ have 5
58 | years of executive, law enforcement, or management experience.

59 | Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.