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The Committee on Commerce (Garcia) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 95 and 96

4 insert:

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8 9 (3) RENEWAL OF CONTRACTS BY COMMERCIAL MOBILE RADIO SERVICE PROVIDERS.-

(a) A commercial mobile radio service provider, as defined
in s. 364.02(3), is subject to subsection (2) if a service
contract contains an automatic renewal provision.
(b) A commercial mobile radio service provider must provide

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12 accept in writing the renewal of a service contract if the

13 <u>contract is renewed for more than one month by any of the</u>

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14	following actions:
15	1. A consumer is offered, accepts, or requests a good,
16	service, or promotion.
17	2. A change is made to the consumer's contract terms.
18	3. A change is made to the consumer's subscription
19	services.
20	4. A consumer buys new service equipment or his or her
21	service equipment is repaired or replaced.
22	(c) If a commercial mobile radio service provider does not
23	provide the notice and receive written acceptance from the
24	consumer as required in paragraph (b), the service contract
25	becomes voidable at the election of the consumer. If the service
26	contract is voided by the consumer, the commercial mobile radio
27	service provider may not continue to seek payment for services
28	under the contract and the commercial mobile radio service
29	provider may not assess a fee or charge against a consumer
30	electing to void the contract.
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34	And the title is amended as follows:
35	Between lines 10 and 11
36	insert:
37	requiring a commercial mobile radio service provider to
38	provide conspicuous notice to consumers if a contract is renewed
39	for more than one month by certain actions taken; requiring a
40	consumer to accept in writing the renewal of a contract;
41	providing for the voidability of a contract if notice is not
42	provided to a consumer and the consumer has not accepted in

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43 writing the renewal of a contract; prohibiting a commercial 44 mobile radio service provider from charging a fee when a 45 consumer is permitted by law to void a contract;

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