

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

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

Senate Amendment

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Delete lines 1875 - 1901 and insert:

Section 40. Subsection (9) of section 489.115, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

489.115 Certification and registration; endorsement; reciprocity; renewals; continuing education.-

(9) An initial applicant shall submit, along with the application, a complete set of fingerprints to in a form and manner required by the department. The fingerprints shall be submitted to the Department of Law Enforcement for state

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processing, and the Department of Law Enforcement shall forward them to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for national processing for the purpose of determining if the applicant has a criminal history record conducting a level 2 background check pursuant to s. 435.04. The department shall and the board may review the background results to determine if an applicant meets licensure requirements. The cost for the fingerprint processing shall be borne by the person subject to the background screening. These fees are to be collected by the authorized agencies or vendors. The authorized agencies or vendors are responsible for paying the processing costs to the Department of Law Enforcement.

Section 41. Paragraphs (g) and (h) of subsection (2) of section 943.05, Florida Statutes, are amended, and subsection (4) is added to that section, to read:

943.05 Criminal Justice Information Program; duties; crime reports.-

- (2) The program shall:
- (g) Upon official written request, and subject to the department having sufficient funds and equipment to participate in such a request, from the agency executive