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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Senator Aronberg moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 20 - 32

and insert:

(1) A person whose commission of a noncriminal traffic infraction or any violation of this chapter causes or results in the serious bodily injury, as defined in s. 316.1933(1), of a motorcyclist, bicyclist, pedestrian, or person of other means of conveyance shall be fined \$1,000 and have his or her license suspended for a minimum of 90 days. If the infraction or violation causes the death of a motorcyclist, bicyclist, pedestrian, or person of other means of conveyance, the person shall pay a fine of \$2,500 and have his or her license revoked



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14 for a minimum of 2 years. The person shall also be required by
15 the court to complete a 12-hour driver improvement course and
16 may be ordered by the court to serve 120 community service hours
17 under s. 316.027(4), plus an additional 120 community service
18 hours as required by the court.

19 (2) Any victim of a crash that causes death or serious
20 bodily injury or the victim's lawful representative, including
21 the next of kin if the victim is deceased, is entitled to be
22 informed, to be present, and to be heard, when relevant, at all
23 crucial stages of a judicial hearing, to the extent that such
24 rights do not interfere with the constitutional rights of the
25 accused. The state attorney, if applicable, shall consult the
26 victim or the victim's lawful representative about the
27 disposition of such case.

28 (3) This section does not prohibit a person from being
29 charged with, convicted of, or punished for any other violation
30 of law.

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32 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

33 And the title is amended as follows:

34 Delete line 9

35 and insert:

36 such person; providing that the victim of a crash that
37 causes death or serious bodily injury or the victim's
38 representative is entitled to certain rights regarding
39 any judicial proceeding relating to the crash;
40 requiring the state attorney to consult the victim or
41 the victim's representative about the disposition of
42 any such case; providing that the act does not



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prohibit