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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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

1 **Senate Amendment to Amendment (683622) (with title**
2 **amendment)**

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4 Between lines 4 and 5
5 insert:

6 Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section
7 61.13, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

8 61.13 Support of children; parenting and time-sharing;
9 powers of court.—

10 (1) (a) In a proceeding under this chapter, the court may at
11 any time order either or both parents who owe a duty of support
12 to a child to pay support to the other parent or, in the case of



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13 both parents, to a third party who has ~~the person with~~ custody
14 in accordance with the child support guidelines schedule in s.
15 61.30.

16 1. All child support orders and income deduction orders
17 entered on or after October 1, 2010, must provide:

18 a. For child support to terminate on a child's 18th
19 birthday unless the court finds or previously found that s.
20 743.07(2) applies, or is otherwise agreed to by the parties;

21 b. A schedule, based on the record existing at the time of
22 the order, stating the amount of the monthly child support
23 obligation for all the minor children at the time of the order
24 and the amount of child support that will be owed for any
25 remaining children after one or more of the children is no
26 longer entitled to receive child support; and

27 c. The month, day, and year that the reduction or
28 termination of child support becomes effective.

29 2. The court initially entering an order requiring one or
30 both parents to make child support payments has continuing
31 jurisdiction after the entry of the initial order to modify the
32 amount and terms and conditions of the child support payments if
33 ~~when~~ the modification is found ~~necessary~~ by the court to be in
34 the best interests of the child; if ~~when~~ the child reaches
35 majority; if ~~when~~ there is a substantial change in the
36 circumstances of the parties; if ~~when~~ s. 743.07(2) applies; if ~~when~~
37 when a child is emancipated, marries, joins the armed services,
38 or dies. The court initially entering a child support order has
39 continuing jurisdiction to require the obligee to report to the
40 court on terms prescribed by the court regarding the disposition
41 of the child support payments.



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And the title is amended as follows:

Delete lines 404 - 405

and insert:

An act relating to child support guidelines; amending
s. 61.13, F.S.; requiring all child support orders
after a certain date to contain certain provisions;
creating s. 61.29, F.S.; providing principles for
implementing