

Amendment No.

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Senate

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1 Representative Julien offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Between lines 140 and 141, insert:

5 Section 6. Subsection (1) of section 624.423, Florida  
6 Statutes, is amended to read:

7 624.423 Serving process.—

8 (1) Service of process upon the Chief Financial Officer as  
9 process agent of the insurer (under s. 624.422) shall be made by  
10 serving a copy ~~copies in triplicate~~ of the process upon the  
11 Chief Financial Officer or upon her or his assistant, deputy, or  
12 other person in charge of her or his office. Upon receiving such  
13 service, the Chief Financial Officer shall retain a record ~~file~~  
14 ~~one copy in her or his office, return one copy with her or his~~  
15 ~~admission of service,~~ and promptly forward one copy of the  
16 process by registered or certified mail to the person last  
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17 designated by the insurer to receive the same, as provided under  
18 s. 624.422(2). For purposes of this section, records may be  
19 retained as paper or electronic copies.

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Remove line 28 and insert:

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processes served; amending s. 624.423, F.S.; reducing the number  
25 of copies to be served on the Chief Financial Officer or an  
26 assistant as process agent of an insurer; providing that records  
27 may be retained as paper or electronic copies; providing an  
28 effective date.