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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Committee on Commerce and Tourism (Detert) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 2531 - 2555

and insert:

Section 81. Section 331.3081, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

331.3081 Board of directors; ~~advisory board.~~

~~(1)~~ Space Florida shall be governed by a 13-member ~~12-~~
~~member~~ independent board of directors that consists of the
members appointed to the board of directors of Enterprise
Florida, Inc., by the Governor, the President of the Senate, and
the Speaker of the House of Representatives pursuant to s.



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13 288.901(5)(a)5. The Governor or the Governor's designee shall be
14 an ex officio voting member and shall serve as the chair of the
15 board.

16 ~~(2) Space Florida shall have a 15-member advisory council,~~
17 ~~appointed by the Governor from a list of nominations submitted~~
18 ~~by the board of directors. The advisory council shall be~~
19 ~~composed of Florida residents with expertise in the space~~
20 ~~industry, and each of the following areas of expertise or~~
21 ~~experience must be represented by at least one advisory council~~
22 ~~member: human space flight programs, commercial launches into~~
23 ~~space, organized labor with experience working in the aerospace~~
24 ~~industry, aerospace-related industries, a commercial company~~
25 ~~working under Federal Government contracts to conduct space-~~
26 ~~related business, an aerospace company whose primary client is~~
27 ~~the United States Department of Defense, and an alternative~~
28 ~~energy enterprise with potential for aerospace applications. The~~
29 ~~advisory council shall elect a member to serve as the chair of~~
30 ~~the council.~~

31 ~~(3) The advisory council shall make recommendations to the~~
32 ~~board of directors of Enterprise Florida, Inc., on the operation~~
33 ~~of Space Florida, including matters pertaining to ways to~~
34 ~~improve or enhance Florida's efforts to expand its existing~~
35 ~~space and aerospace industry, to improve management and use of~~
36 ~~Florida's state-owned real property assets related to space and~~
37 ~~aerospace, how best to retain and, if necessary, retrain~~
38 ~~Florida's highly skilled space and aerospace workforce, and how~~
39 ~~to strengthen bonds between this state, NASA, the Department of~~
40 ~~Defense, and private space and aerospace industries.~~

41 ~~(4) The term for an advisory council member is 4 years. A~~



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42 ~~member may not serve more than two consecutive terms. The~~
43 ~~Governor may remove any member for cause and shall fill all~~
44 ~~vacancies that occur.~~

45 ~~(5) Advisory council members shall serve without~~
46 ~~compensation but may be reimbursed for all reasonable,~~
47 ~~necessary, and actual expenses as determined by the board of~~
48 ~~directors of Enterprise Florida, Inc.~~

49 Section 83. Paragraph (e) is added to subsection (3) of
50 section 20.60, Florida Statutes, to read:

51 20.60 Department of Economic Opportunity; creation; powers
52 and duties.-

53 (3) The following divisions of the Department of Economic
54 Opportunity are established:

55 (e) The Division of Information Technology.

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

58 And the title is amended as follows:

59 Delete lines 37 - 44

60 and insert:

61 amending s. 331.3081, F.S.; adding the Governor or the
62 Governor's designee as a member and chair of the board
63 of directors of Space Florida; deleting provisions
64 establishing the Space Florida advisory council;
65 amending s. 20.60, F.S.; establishing the Division of
66 Information Technology within the Department of
67 Economic Opportunity; repealing s.
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