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Senate

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1 Representative Albritton offered the following:

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3 **Substitute Amendment for Amendment (931595) (with title**  
4 **amendment)**

5 Between lines 2687 and 2688, insert:

6 Section 72. Paragraph (c) of subsection (2) of section  
7 323.002, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

8 323.002 County and municipal wrecker operator systems;  
9 penalties for operation outside of system.—

10 (2) In any county or municipality that operates a wrecker  
11 operator system:

12 (c) When an unauthorized wrecker operator drives by the  
13 scene of a wrecked or disabled vehicle and the owner or operator  
14 initiates contact by signaling the wrecker operator to stop and  
15 provide towing services, the unauthorized wrecker operator must  
16 disclose to the owner or operator of the vehicle that he or she  
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17 is not the authorized wrecker operator who has been designated  
18 as part of the wrecker operator system and must disclose, in  
19 writing, a fee schedule that includes what charges for towing  
20 and storage will apply before the vehicle is connected to or  
21 disconnected from the towing apparatus, the fee charged per mile  
22 to and from the storage facility, the fee charged per 24 hours  
23 of storage, and, prominently displayed, the consumer hotline for  
24 the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services. Any person  
25 who violates this paragraph is guilty of a misdemeanor of the  
26 second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s.  
27 775.083.

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

33 Remove line 380 and insert:  
34 cross-reference; amending s. 323.002, F.S.; requiring  
35 unauthorized wrecker operators to disclose a fee schedule and  
36 certain information; providing effective dates.