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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Senator Latvala moved the following:

Senate Amendment to Amendment (639620) (with title amendment)

Delete lines 1859 - 1895

and insert:

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6 (1) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, 7 the Department of Economic Opportunity Agency for Workforce 8 Innovation shall, using the competitive procurement process, 9 contract with one but not more than three or more consumer 10 reporting agencies to provide users with secured electronic 11 access to employer-provided information relating to the quarterly wages report submitted in accordance with the state's 12 reemployment assistance unemployment compensation law. The 13

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14 access is limited to the wage reports for the appropriate amount 15 of time for the purpose the information is requested.

(2) Users must obtain consent in writing or by electronic signature from an applicant for credit, employment, or other permitted purposes. Any Written or electronic signature consent from an applicant must be signed and must include the following:

(c) Notice that the files of the <u>Department of Economic</u> <u>Opportunity</u> Agency for Workforce Innovation or its tax collection service provider containing information concerning wage and employment history which is submitted by the applicant or his or her employers may be accessed; and

25 (4) If a consumer reporting agency or user violates this section, the Department of Economic Opportunity Agency for 26 27 Workforce Innovation shall, upon 30 days' written notice to the 28 consumer reporting agency, terminate the contract established between the department Agency for Workforce Innovation and the 29 30 consumer reporting agency or require the consumer reporting agency to terminate the contract established between the 31 32 consumer reporting agency and the user under this section.

(5) The Department of Economic Opportunity Agency for 33 34 Workforce Innovation shall establish minimum audit, security, 35 net worth, and liability insurance standards, technical requirements, and any other terms and conditions considered 36 37 necessary in the discretion of the state agency to safeguard the 38 confidentiality of the information released under this section 39 and to otherwise serve the public interest. The department 40 Agency for Workforce Innovation shall also include, in 41 coordination with any necessary state agencies, shall also 42 include a data security audit conducted by a data security firm,

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43	the results of which shall be audited by a certified public
44	accountancy firm necessary audit procedures to ensure that these
45	rules are followed. The department shall take all reasonable
46	precautions to ensure that department data:
47	(a) Resides behind the department's existing
48	hardware/software data security systems;
49	(b) Not be transferred in batch or bulk to a consumer
50	reporting agency, and may only be accessed upon an individual
51	<pre>query-by-query basis;</pre>
52	(c) Not be captured or stored in a consumer reporting
53	agency or third-party databases, except as necessary to fulfill
54	a consumer initiated transaction;
55	(d) Not be comingled with a consumer report by a consumer
56	reporting agency as defined in 15 U.S.C. 1681a(p); and
57	(e) Not be used for purposes of marketing, including, but
58	not limited to, prescreened firm offers of credit.
59	(6) In contracting with one or more consumer reporting
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62	And the title is amended as follows:
63	Delete lines 4224 - 4234
64	and insert:
65	to conform to changes made by the act; amending s.
66	443.17161, F.S.; limiting the Department of Economic
67	Opportunity to contract with one to three consumer
68	reporting agencies for access to wage reports;
69	requiring a data security audit; prescribing
70	precautions for the department to take related to the
71	data; revising references to conform to changes made

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72	by the act; amending ss. 20.60, 27.52, 40.24, 45.031,
73	55.204, 57.082, 61.046, 61.1824, 61.30, 69.041,
74	77.041, 110.205, 110.502, 120.80, 125.9502, 212.096,
75	213.053, 216.292, 220.03, 220.181, 220.191, 220.194,
76	222.15, 222.16, 255.20, 288.075, 288.1045, 288.106,
77	288.1081, 288.1089, 334.30, 408.809, 409.2563,
78	409.2576, 414.295, 435.06, 440.12, 440.15, 440.381,
79	440.42, 443.051, 443.111, 443.1113, 443.1116,
80	443.1215, 443.1312, 443.1313, 443.1315, 443.1316,
81	443.1317, 443.141, 443.163, 443.181, 443.191, 443.221,
82	445.009,
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