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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate	.	House
Comm: RCS	.	
04/17/2013	.	
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Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax (Gardiner)
recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete everything after the enacting clause
and insert:

Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 197.502, Florida
Statutes, is amended to read:

197.502 Application for obtaining tax deed by holder of tax
sale certificate; fees.—

(1) The holder of a tax certificate at any time after 2
years have elapsed since April 1 of the year of issuance of the
tax certificate and before the cancellation of the certificate,
may file the certificate and an application for a tax deed with



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13 the tax collector of the county where the property described in
14 the certificate is located. The tax collector may charge a tax
15 deed application fee of \$75 and for reimbursement of the costs
16 for providing online tax deed application services. If the tax
17 collector charges a combined fee in excess of \$75, applicants
18 shall have the option of using the electronic tax deed
19 application process or filing applications without using such
20 service.

21 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.

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

24 And the title is amended as follows:

25 Delete everything before the enacting clause
26 and insert:

27 A bill to be entitled
28 An act relating to tax deeds; amending s. 197.502,
29 F.S.; authorizing the tax collector to charge for
30 reimbursement of the costs for providing online tax
31 deed application services; providing that an
32 applicant's use of such online application services is
33 optional under certain circumstances; providing an
34 effective date.