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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate	.	House
Comm: RCS	.	
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The Committee on Criminal Justice (Evers) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 35 - 43
and insert:

passengers, and employees. However, until the Governor has either appointed or rejected the appointment of the special officer, a common carrier may temporarily employ a person as a special officer if the person complies with the qualifications for employment as a law enforcement officer in s. 943.13. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a special officer shall be required to have the same training and certification as



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13 a law enforcement officer in accordance with s. 943.13 and s.
14 943.135(1) and a Class I, Class II, or Class III railroad shall
15 be considered an employing agency for purposes of s. 943.13 and
16 s. 943.135(1), and shall pay all costs associated with the
17 certification and continuing education of employed special
18 officers.

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

21 And the title is amended as follows:

22 Delete lines 3 - 11

23 and insert:

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25 s. 354.01, F.S.; requiring the Governor to appoint one
26 or more persons as special officers for a railroad or
27 other common carrier under certain circumstances;
28 authorizing the railroad or common carrier to
29 temporarily employ a person as a special officer;
30 requiring the special officer to have the same
31 training and certification as a law enforcement
32 officer; providing that a Class I, Class II, or Class
33 III railroad is considered an "employing agency" for
34 purposes of ss. 943.13 and 943.135(1), F.S.; providing
35 responsibility of certain