

Amendment No.

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	_____	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	_____	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	_____	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	_____	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	_____	(Y/N)
OTHER		

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Health Innovation
2 Subcommittee

3 Representative Smith offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

6 Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

7 Section 1. Notwithstanding s. 430.707, Florida Statutes,
8 and subject to federal approval of the application to be a site
9 for the Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE),
10 the Agency for Health Care Administration shall contract with
11 one not-for-profit organization that has more than 30 years'
12 experience as a licensed hospice and is currently a licensed
13 hospice serving individuals and families in Hernando and Pasco
14 Counties. This not-for-profit organization shall provide PACE
15 services to frail elders who reside in Hernando and Pasco
16 Counties. The organization shall be exempt from the requirements
17 of chapter 641, Florida Statutes. The agency, in consultation
18 with the Department of Elderly Affairs and subject to an
19 appropriation, shall approve up to 150 initial enrollees in the

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20 Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly established by
21 this organization to serve frail elders who reside in Hernando
22 and Pasco Counties.

23 Section 2. Notwithstanding s. 430.707, Florida Statutes,
24 and subject to federal approval of the application to be a site
25 for the Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE),
26 the Agency for Health Care Administration shall contract with
27 one private health care organization, the sole member of which
28 is a private, not-for-profit corporation that owns and manages
29 health care organizations licensed in Hernando and Pasco
30 Counties which provide comprehensive services, including hospice
31 and palliative care, to frail elders who reside in those
32 counties. The organization shall be exempt from the requirements
33 of chapter 641, Florida Statutes. The agency, in consultation
34 with the Department of Elderly Affairs and subject to an
35 appropriation, shall approve up to 150 initial enrollees in the
36 Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly established by
37 this organization to serve frail elders who reside in Hernando
38 and Pasco Counties.

39 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.

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

43 Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert:

44 A bill to be entitled

45 An act relating to the Program of All-inclusive Care
46 for the Elderly; authorizing the Agency for Health
47 Care Administration to contract with certain

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48 organizations to provide services under the federal
49 Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly in
50 Hernando and Pasco Counties; providing an exemption
51 from ch. 641, F.S., for the organizations;
52 authorizing, subject to appropriation, enrollment
53 slots for the program in such counties; providing an
54 effective date.