

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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Representative Adkins offered the following:

**Amendment**

Remove lines 3751-3770 and insert:

(1) In order for a firefighter to retain his or her

Firefighter Certificate of Compliance:

(a) He or she must maintain a body mass index that does not exceed BMI 25. The firefighter's body mass index shall be evaluated during the regularly scheduled fitness tests as required under this part and shall be consistent with nationally accepted standards for measuring body mass index; and

(b) Every 4 years he or she must:

1. Be ~~Any certified firefighter who has not been active as a firefighter, or as a volunteer firefighter with an organized fire department, for a period of 3 years shall be required to retake the practical portion of the minimum standards state~~

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17 ~~examination specified in rule 69A-37.056(6)(b), Florida~~  
18 ~~Administrative Code, in order to maintain her or his~~  
19 ~~certification as a firefighter;~~

20 2. Maintain a current and valid fire service instructor  
21 certificate, instruct at least 40 hours during the 4-year  
22 period, and provide proof of such instruction to the division,  
23 which proof must be registered in an electronic database  
24 designated by the division;

25 3. Successfully complete a refresher course consisting of a  
26 minimum of 40 hours of training to be prescribed by rule; or

27 4. Within 6 months before the 4-year period expires,  
28 successfully retake and pass the Minimum Standards Course  
29 examination.