

## LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

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Senator Richter moved the following:

## Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 3939 and 3940 insert:

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Section 61. Subsection (1) and paragraphs (a) and (b) of subsection (2) of section 627.744, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

- 627.744 Required preinsurance inspection of private passenger motor vehicles.-
- (1) A private passenger motor vehicle insurance policy providing physical damage coverage, including collision or comprehensive coverage, may not be issued in this state unless the insurer has inspected the motor vehicle in accordance with

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this section. The physical damage coverage on the motor vehicle may not be suspended during the term of the policy due to the applicant's failure to provide the required documents. However, payment of a claim may be conditioned upon the receipt by the insurer of the required documents, and no physical damage loss occurring after the effective date of the coverage is payable until the documents are provided to the insurer.

- (2) This section does not apply:
- (a) To a policy for a policyholder who has been insured for 2 years or longer, without interruption, under a private passenger motor vehicle policy which provides physical damage coverage on any vehicle, if the agent of the insurer verifies the previous coverage.
- (b) To a new, unused motor vehicle purchased or leased from a licensed motor vehicle dealer or leasing company, if the insurer is provided with:
- 1. A bill of sale or buyer's order or lease agreement which contains a full description of the motor vehicle, including all options and accessories; or
- 2. A copy of the title or registration which establishes transfer of ownership from the dealer or leasing company to the customer and a copy of the window sticker or the dealer invoice showing the itemized options and equipment and the total retail price of the vehicle.

For the purposes of this paragraph, the physical damage coverage on the motor vehicle may not be suspended during the term of the policy due to the applicant's failure to provide the required documents. However, payment of a claim is conditioned upon the

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receipt by the insurer of the required documents, and no physical damage loss occurring after the effective date of the coverage is payable until the documents are provided to the insurer. ======= T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ========= And the title is amended as follows: Delete line 311 and insert: Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund; amending s. 627.744, F.S.; revising and clarifying provisions relating to required preinsurance inspections of private passenger motor vehicles; revising provisions

for exceptions to required inspections by insurers;

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amending s.