

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

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The Committee on Commerce and Tourism (Hukill) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 65 - 90

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11 12 and insert:

(3) (a) In order to receive an incentive under s. 288.1088 or s. 288.1089, an applicant must provide the department with a surety bond, issued by an insurer authorized to do business in this state, for the amount of the award under the incentive contract or agreement. Funds may not be paid to an applicant until the department certifies compliance with this subsection.

1. The contract or agreement must provide that the bond remain in effect until all performance conditions in the



contract or agreement have been satisfied. The department may require the bond to cover the entire amount of the contract or agreement or allow for a bond to be renewed upon the completion of scheduled performance measurements specified in the contract or agreement. The contract or agreement must provide that the release of any funds is contingent upon receipt by the department of the surety bond.

- 2. The contract or agreement must provide that up to half of the premium payment on the surety bond may be paid from the award amount, not to exceed 3 percent of the award.
- 3. The applicant shall notify the department at least 10 days before each premium payment is due.
- 4. Any notice of cancellation or nonrenewal issued by an insurer must comply with the notice requirements of s. 626.9201. If the applicant receives a notice of cancellation or nonrenewal, the applicant must immediately notify the department.

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33 And the title is amended as follows:

Delete lines 21 - 22 34 35

and insert:

upon cancellation or nonrenewal by an insurer; providing that the cancellation of