

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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04/22/2013	•	
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The Committee on Appropriations (Hays) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 47 - 77

and insert:

Section 2. Subsection (1) of section 328.72, Florida Statutes, is amended to read

328.72 Classification; registration; fees and charges; surcharge; disposition of fees; fines; marine turtle stickers.-

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(1) VESSEL REGISTRATION FEE.-

10 (a) Vessels that are required to be registered shall be 11 classified for registration purposes according to the following 12 schedule, and the registration certificate fee shall be in the

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13	following amounts:
14	Class A-1-Less than 12 feet in length, and all canoes to
15	which propulsion motors have been attached, regardless of
16	length: \$5.50 for each 12-month period registered.
17	Class A-2-12 feet or more and less than 16 feet in length:
18	\$16.25 for each 12-month period registered.
19	(To county): 2.85 for each 12-month period registered.
20	Class 1-16 feet or more and less than 26 feet in length:
21	\$28.75 for each 12-month period registered.
22	(To county): 8.85 for each 12-month period registered.
23	Class 2-26 feet or more and less than 40 feet in length:
24	\$78.25 for each 12-month period registered.
25	(To county): 32.85 for each 12-month period registered.
26	Class 3-40 feet or more and less than 65 feet in length:
27	\$127.75 for each 12-month period registered.
28	(To county): 56.85 for each 12-month period registered.
29	Class 4-65 feet or more and less than 110 feet in length:
30	\$152.75 for each 12-month period registered.
31	(To county): 68.85 for each 12-month period registered.
32	Class 5—110 feet or more in length: \$189.75 for each 12-
33	month period registered.
34	(To county): 86.85 for each 12-month period registered.
35	Dealer registration certificate: \$25.50 for each 12-month
36	period registered.
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38	The county portion of the vessel registration fee is derived
39	from recreational vessels only.
40	(b) In 2013 and every 5 years thereafter, vessel
41	registration fees shall be adjusted by the percentage change in

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42	the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers since the fees
43	were last adjusted, unless otherwise provided by general law. By
44	February 1 of each year in which an adjustment is scheduled to
45	occur, the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission shall
46	submit a report to the President of the Senate and the Speaker
47	of the House of Representatives detailing how the increase in
48	vessel registration fees will be used within the agency. The
49	vessel registration fee increases shall take effect July 1 of
50	each adjustment year.
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53	And the title is amended as follows:
54	Delete lines 5 - 8
55	and insert:
56	of provisions relating to vessels; amending s. 328.72,
57	F.S.; deleting the automatic adjustment of vessel
58	registration fees every 5 years; amending s. 379.101,
59	F.S.; revising