

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

Comm: RCS 03/12/2013

The Committee on Education (Benacquisto) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 36 - 68

and insert:

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authorizing state university or Florida College System institution police officers to enforce laws within a specified jurisdictional area as agreed upon in a the voluntary cooperation written agreement, or establishing a joint citycounty traffic enforcement task force.

Section 2. Paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section 316.640, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

316.640 Enforcement.—The enforcement of the traffic laws of



this state is vested as follows:

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- (a) 1.a. The Division of Florida Highway Patrol of the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; the Division of Law Enforcement of the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission; and the agents, inspectors, and officers of the Department of Law Enforcement each have authority to enforce all of the traffic laws of this state on all the streets and highways thereof and elsewhere throughout the state wherever the public has a right to travel by motor vehicle.
- b. University police officers may enforce all of the traffic laws of this state when violations occur on or within 1,000 feet of any property or facilities that are under the guidance, supervision, regulation, or control of a state university, a direct-support organization of such state university, or any other organization controlled by the state university or a direct-support organization of the state university, or when such violations occur within a specified jurisdictional area as agreed upon in a mutual aid agreement entered into with a law enforcement agency pursuant to s. 23.1225(1). Traffic laws may also be enforced off-campus when hot pursuit originates on or within 1,000 feet of any such property or facilities, or as agreed upon in accordance with the mutual aid agreement.
- c. Florida Community College System institution police officers may

====== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ===== And the title is amended as follows:



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An act relating to Florida College System institution police officers; amending s. 23.1225, F.S.; providing for mutual aid agreements involving Florida College System institution police officers; amending s. 316.640, F.S.; providing for enforcement of traffic laws in certain areas by Florida College System institution police officers; amending s. 1012.88, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the jurisdictional authority of Florida College System institution