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Proposed Committee Substitute by the Committee on Governmental
Oversight and Accountability

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to county employees; amending s.
125.01, F.S.; providing that the governing body of a
county has authority to determine available benefits
of county employees; specifying the applicability of
ch. 121, F.S., to such employees; providing an
effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (3) of section
125.01, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

125.01 Powers and duties.—

(3) (a) The enumeration of powers herein may ~~shall~~ not be
deemed exclusive or restrictive, but is ~~shall be~~ deemed to
incorporate all implied powers necessary or incident to carrying
out such powers enumerated, including, specifically, authority
to employ personnel, expend funds, enter into contractual
obligations, and purchase or lease and sell or exchange real or
personal property. The authority to employ personnel includes
the authority to determine available benefits for different
types of positions, if any, including, but not limited to,
insurance coverage and paid leave. The provisions of chapter
121, which include compulsory membership in the Florida
Retirement System of employees meeting certain criteria, govern
the retirement benefits available to such employees under the
Florida Retirement System.



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Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.