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Don Gaetz

President of the Senate



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*Speaker of the House of
Representatives*

April 30, 2013

The Honorable Don Gaetz
President of the Senate

The Honorable Will Weatherford
Speaker, House of Representatives

Dear Mr. President and Mr. Speaker:

Your Conference Committee on the disagreeing votes of the two houses on HB 5501, same being:

An act relating to weights and measures instruments and devices.

having met, and after full and free conference, do recommend to their respective houses as follows:

1. That the Senate recede from its Amendment 214886.
2. That the Senate and House of Representatives adopt the Conference Committee Amendment attached hereto, and by reference made a part of this report.

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The Conference Committee Amendment for HB 5501, relating to weights and measures instruments and devices, provides for the following:

- Creates section 531.67, F.S., and extends the repeal date of the weights and measures permitting program and associated fees within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services from July 11, 2014 to July 1, 2020.
- Repeals section 40 of chapter 2009-66, Laws of Florida, which establishes a permitting and testing program for commercially operated weights and measures instruments to be administered by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.
- Provides an effective date of July 1, 2013.