

1 A bill to be entitled

2 An act relating to local ethics agency or commission
3 procedures; amending s. 112.326, F.S.; requiring the
4 procedures of a local ethics agency or commission to
5 conform to certain procedures governing ethics
6 complaints and investigations; providing an effective
7 date.

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

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11 Section 1. Section 112.326, Florida Statutes, is amended
12 to read:

13 112.326 Additional requirements by political subdivisions
14 and agencies not prohibited.—Nothing in this act shall prohibit
15 the governing body of any political subdivision, by ordinance,
16 or agency, by rule, from imposing upon its own officers and
17 employees additional or more stringent standards of conduct and
18 disclosure requirements than those specified in this part,
19 provided that those standards of conduct and disclosure
20 requirements do not otherwise conflict with the provisions of
21 this part. The procedures of a local ethics agency or commission
22 governing complaints and investigations shall conform to the
23 procedures established under s. 112.324.

24 Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2014.