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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Committee on Rules (Simmons) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Before line 64
insert:

Section 1. Subsection (15) is added to section 626.621,
Florida Statutes, to read:

626.621 Grounds for discretionary refusal, suspension, or
revocation of agent's, adjuster's, customer representative's,
service representative's, or managing general agent's license or
appointment.—The department may, in its discretion, deny an
application for, suspend, revoke, or refuse to renew or continue



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12 the license or appointment of any applicant, agent, adjuster,
13 customer representative, service representative, or managing
14 general agent, and it may suspend or revoke the eligibility to
15 hold a license or appointment of any such person, if it finds
16 that as to the applicant, licensee, or appointee any one or more
17 of the following applicable grounds exist under circumstances
18 for which such denial, suspension, revocation, or refusal is not
19 mandatory under s. 626.611:

20 (15) Directly or indirectly accepting any compensation,
21 inducement, or reward from an inspector for the referral of the
22 owner of the inspected property to the inspector or inspection
23 company. This prohibition applies to an inspection intended for
24 submission to a carrier in order to obtain insurance coverage or
25 establish the applicable insurance premium.

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27 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

28 And the title is amended as follows:

29 Between lines 2 and 3

30 insert:

31 626.621, F.S.; providing additional grounds for
32 refusing, suspending, or revoking a license or
33 appointment of an insurance agent, adjuster, customer
34 representative, or managing general agent based on the
35 acceptance of payment for certain referrals; amending
36 s.