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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate	.	House
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03/17/2014	.	
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The Committee on Regulated Industries (Flores) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment

Delete lines 19 - 25

and insert:

(j) A cemetery, including all associated mausoleums and columbaria, which is larger than 5 acres but does not exceed 60 acres and which is owned by a religious institution, if the religious institution:

1. Limits burial rights in the cemetery to members of the religious institution and their families; and



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11 2. Provides an annual certification to the department that
12 it maintains funds in a separate account which are sufficient to
13 cover maintenance costs and preneed agreements. The separate
14 account must be maintained with a financial institution, as
15 defined in s. 280.02, and may only be used for such purposes.
16 The annual certification must be made under oath and identify
17 the financial institution and the account number where the funds
18 are maintained. The account must maintain the following minimum
19 balance:
20 a. For cemeteries that are larger than 5 acres but do not
21 exceed 30 acres, \$1 million.
22 b. For cemeteries that are larger than 30 acres but do not
23 exceed 60 acres, \$2 million.