

**The Florida Senate**  
**BILL ANALYSIS AND FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

(This document is based on the provisions contained in the legislation as of the latest date listed below.)

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BILL: CS/SB 1032

INTRODUCER: Senator Simmons

SUBJECT: Florida Statutes

DATE: January 19, 2016

REVISED: \_\_\_\_\_

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ANALYST	STAFF DIRECTOR	REFERENCE	ACTION
1. <u>Pollitz (DLRI)</u>	<u>Phelps</u>	<u>RC</u>	<u>Fav/CS</u>

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**Please see Section IX. for Additional Information:**

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE - Technical Changes

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**I. Summary:**

The Division of Law Revision and Information of the Office of Legislative Services is required, by statute, to conduct a systematic and continuing study of the Florida Statutes. The purpose of this study is to recommend to the Legislature changes that will remove inconsistencies, redundancies, and unnecessary repetition from the statutes; improve clarity and facilitate correct interpretation; correct grammatical and typographical errors; and delete obsolete, repealed, or superseded provisions. These recommendations are submitted to the Legislature in the form of technical, nonsubstantive reviser's bills. Responses to directives from the Legislature to make specific changes in the statutes, such as renaming a department, are also submitted to the Legislature via reviser's bills.

Section 9, ch. 2012-116, Laws of Florida, created s. 11.242(5)(j), Florida Statutes, requiring the Division of Law Revision and Information to omit statutory provisions granting duplicative, redundant, or unused rulemaking authority from the Florida Statutes as part of the reviser's bill process for each regular session.

This bill substantially amends, creates, or repeals the following sections of the Florida Statutes: amends ss. 487.064, 487.071, 493.6113, 493.6115, 570.921, 573.1201, 583.181, and 593.107, F.S.

**II. Present Situation:**

Section 9, ch. 2012-116, Laws of Florida, created s. 11.242(5)(j), Florida Statutes, requiring the Division of Law Revision and Information to prepare reviser's bills each regular session to omit

all statutory provisions granting duplicative, redundant, or unused rulemaking authority from the Florida Statutes. Rulemaking authority is deemed unused if the statutory provision “has been in effect for more than 5 years and no rule has been promulgated in reliance thereon.”

### **III. Effect of Proposed Changes:**

The bill revises Florida Statutes text to conform to the directive in s. 9, ch. 2012-116, Laws of Florida, codified as s. 11.242(5)(j), Florida Statutes, to omit statutory provisions granting duplicative, redundant, or unused rulemaking authority from the Florida Statutes.

### **IV. Constitutional Issues:**

#### **A. Municipality/County Mandates Restrictions:**

None.

#### **B. Public Records/Open Meetings Issues:**

None.

#### **C. Trust Funds Restrictions:**

None.

### **V. Fiscal Impact Statement:**

#### **A. Tax/Fee Issues:**

None.

#### **B. Private Sector Impact:**

None.

#### **C. Government Sector Impact:**

None.

### **VI. Technical Deficiencies:**

None.

### **VII. Related Issues:**

None.

### **VIII. Statutes Affected:**

This bill substantially amends the following sections of the Florida Statutes: ss. 487.064, 487.071, 493.6113, 493.6115, 570.921, 573.1201, 583.181, 593.107.

This bill creates the following sections of the Florida Statutes: None.

This bill repeals the following sections of the Florida Statutes: None.

**IX. Additional Information:**

**A. Committee Substitute – Statement of Changes:**

(Summarizing differences between the Committee Substitute and the prior version of the bill.)

**CS by Rules on January 20, 2016:**

The committee substitute removes sections 3 and 4 of the bill that amended ss. 493.6113 and 493.6115, Florida Statutes.

**B. Amendments:**

None.