

Amendment No. 2

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
OTHER	<u> </u>	

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Economic Development &
 2 Tourism Subcommittee
 3 Representative Drake offered the following:
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Amendment (with title amendment)

6 Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

7 Section 1. Paragraph (c) of subsection (5) of section
 8 125.0104, Florida Statutes, is redesignated as paragraph (d),
 9 present paragraph (d) is amended, and a new paragraph (c) is
 10 added to that subsection, to read:

11 125.0104 Tourist development tax; procedure for levying;
 12 authorized uses; referendum; enforcement.—

13 (5) AUTHORIZED USES OF REVENUE.—

14 (c) A coastal county, except those that receive revenues
 15 from taxes levied pursuant to s. 125.0108, that generates a
 16 minimum of \$10 million in annual proceeds from any taxes, or any
 17 combination of taxes, authorized to be levied pursuant to this

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18 section, and with at least three municipalities and an estimated
19 population of less than 225,000 according to the most recent
20 population estimate prepared pursuant to s. 186.901, excluding
21 the inmate population, may also use up to 10 percent of the tax
22 revenues received pursuant to this section to reimburse expenses
23 incurred for the provision of public safety services including,
24 but not limited to, emergency medical services, as defined in s.
25 401.107(2), or law enforcement services that are needed to
26 address impacts related to increased tourism and visitors to an
27 area. Reimbursements made pursuant to this paragraph must be
28 approved by the board of county commissioners. The board of
29 county commissioners must establish requirements for requesting
30 reimbursement, and specify procedures for the approval or denial
31 of such requests for reimbursement.

32 (e) (d) Any use of the local option tourist development tax
33 revenues collected pursuant to this section for a purpose not
34 expressly authorized by paragraph (3) (l) or paragraph (3) (n) or
35 paragraph (a), paragraph (b), or paragraph (d) (c) of this
36 subsection is expressly prohibited.

37 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2016.

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40 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

41 Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert:
42 An act relating to tourist development taxes; amending
43 s. 125.0104, F.S.; specifying additional uses for revenues

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44 received from tourist development taxes for certain coastal
45 counties; requiring procedures be established for approval of
46 reimbursements; conforming a cross-reference; providing an
47 effective date.