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CHAMBER ACTION

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Representative Wood offered the following:

Amendment to Amendment (381087) (with title amendment)

Between lines 4 and 5, insert:

Section 1. Subsection (2) of section 402.82, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

402.82 Electronic benefits transfer program.—

(2) The department shall, in accordance with applicable federal laws and regulations, develop minimum program requirements and other policy initiatives, including enforcement procedures, for the electronic benefits transfer program. The department shall contract with a third-party vendor for a system to verify the income, asset, cellular telephone usage, and identity information of applicants to prevent fraud,

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15 misrepresentation, and inadequate documentation when determining
16 an applicant's eligibility for assistance during the initial
17 application process before the distribution of benefits and
18 during eligibility redeterminations.

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Remove line 329 and insert:

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An act relating to public assistance fraud; amending s. 402.82,
24 F.S.; providing requirements for development of a system for
25 verification of certain applicant information; amending

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