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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate

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Senator Legg moved the following:

Senate Substitute for Amendment (922604)

Delete lines 44 - 81

and insert:

guidelines prescribed by the division, three prominent Florida
citizens, who may include, but are not limited to, persons of
distinguished civil or military service, to be commemorated in
the National Statuary Hall Collection of the United States
Capitol. The ad hoc committee shall submit its recommendations
to the Legislature by January 1, 2017. From the ad hoc
committee's recommendations, the Legislature shall select one



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12 prominent Florida citizen to replace the statue of General
13 Edmund Kirby Smith in the National Statuary Hall Collection.

14 (2) At its first meeting following the effective date of
15 this act, the Florida Council on Arts and Culture, as
16 established under s. 265.285, Florida Statutes, shall select a
17 sculptor, according to the guidelines prescribed by the
18 Department of State and 2 U.S.C. s. 2131, with preference given
19 to a sculptor from this state, to design a statue of the
20 prominent Florida citizen selected pursuant to subsection (1)
21 for replacement of the statue of General Edmund Kirby Smith.

22 (3) The Florida Council on Arts and Culture and the
23 Department of State shall estimate the costs associated with the
24 replacement of the statue, including the costs to design,
25 construct, transport, and place the new statue; the removal and
26 transfer of the current statue; and any unveiling ceremony for
27 the new statue. The Florida Council on Arts and Culture may
28 raise funds from private sources to fund the costs associated
29 with the replacement of the statue. Funds raised must be placed
30 in the Grants and Donations Trust Fund of the Department of
31 State and may be used only for the limited purposes associated
32 with statue replacement described in this subsection.

33 (4) Based on the findings of the Florida Council on Arts
34 and Culture, the Department of State shall submit a report, by
35 January 1, 2017, to the Governor, the President of the Senate,
36 and the Speaker of the House of Representatives. The report must
37 include, but is not limited to, the following:

38 (a) The name of the sculptor and the process used to select
39 the sculptor.

40 (b) An estimate of the total costs associated with