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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Committee on Health Policy (Grimsley) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Before line 21

insert:

Section 1. Paragraph (g) of subsection (4) of section 458.347, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

458.347 Physician assistants.—

(4) PERFORMANCE OF PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS.—

(g) A supervisory physician may delegate to a licensed physician assistant the authority to order medications for the



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11 supervisory physician's patient during his or her care in a
12 facility licensed under chapter 395 or chapter 400,
13 notwithstanding any provisions in chapter 465 or chapter 893
14 which may prohibit this delegation. For the purpose of this
15 paragraph, an order is not considered a prescription. A licensed
16 physician assistant working in a facility that is licensed under
17 chapter 395 or chapter 400 may order any medication under the
18 direction of the supervisory physician.

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20 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

21 And the title is amended as follows:

22 Delete line 4

23 and insert:

24 assistants; amending s. 458.347, F.S.; authorizing a
25 supervisory physician to delegate to a licensed
26 physician assistant the authority to order medications
27 for a patient during his or her care at a facility
28 licensed under ch. 400, F.S.; amending s. 464.012,
29 F.S.; authorizing an