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

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 573 and 574 insert:

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(h) Meet the minority business enterprise procurement goals set forth in s. 287.042 in the procurement of commodities, contractual services, other services, and vendors in the administration of activities under this section. The goal for minority business enterprise participation in MMTC operations and subcontracting, as defined in s. 288.703(3) is 10 percent;

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however, no more than 35 percent of such minority business enterprises may be owned by any one of the minority persons specified in s. 288.703(4)(a)-(e), respectively.

- 1. This paragraph does not preclude or prohibit a minority person from competing for any MMTC registration or any other procurement of goods or services awarded by the department.
- 2. MMTCs have 12 months from the date of their registration to demonstrate to the department compliance with the minority business participation goal established in this paragraph.
- (i) Implement training programs and other educational programs to enable minority persons to compete for MMTC registration and contracts on an equal basis.

======== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ========== And the title is amended as follows:

Between lines 39 and 40 insert:

> requiring the department to meet a specified minority business enterprise procurement goal; requiring medical marijuana treatment centers to demonstrate to the department its compliance with the goal; requiring the department to implement training programs and other educational programs for minority business enterprises to enable them to compete for medical marijuana treatment center registration and contracts;