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COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION (37 /37)

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WITHDRAWN	 (Y/N)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

Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Judiciary Committee Representative Grant, J. offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove lines 117-228 and insert:

Except as provided in subsection (3), whoever: (1)

7 Intentionally accesses without authorization a (a) 8 facility through which an electronic communication service is

9 provided, or

10 (b) Intentionally exceeds an authorization to access such 11 facility,

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13 and thereby obtains, alters, or prevents authorized access to a wire or electronic communication while it is in electronic 14 storage in such system shall be punished as provided in 15 subsection (2). 16

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17 (2) The punishment for an offense under subsection (1) is 18 as follows:

(a) If the offense is committed for purposes of commercial
advantage, malicious destruction or damage, or private
commercial gain, the person is:

In the case of a first offense under this subsection,
 <u>commits</u> guilty of a misdemeanor of the first degree, punishable
 as provided in s. 775.082, s. 775.083, or s. 934.41.

2. In the case of any subsequent offense under this
subsection, <u>commits</u> <del>guilty of</del> a felony of the third degree,</del>
punishable as provided in s. 775.082, s. 775.083, s. 775.084, or
s. 934.41.

(b) In any other case, the person <u>commits</u> is guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083.

32 (3) Subsection (1) does not apply with respect to conduct 33 authorized:

34 (a) By the person or entity providing a wire, oral, or
35 electronic communications service, including through cellular
36 phones, portable electronic communication devices, or

37 microphone-enabled household devices;

38 (b) By a user of a wire<u>, oral</u>, or electronic

39 communications service, including through cellular phones,

40 portable electronic communication devices, or microphone-enabled

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41	household devices, with respect to a communication of or
42	intended for that user; <del>or</del>
43	(c) In s. 934.09, s. 934.23, or s. 934.24 <u>;</u>
44	(d) In chapter 933; or
45	(e) For accessing for a legitimate business purpose
46	information that is not personally identifiable or that has been
47	collected in a way that prevents identification of the user of
48	the device.
49	Section 4. Section 934.42, Florida Statutes, is amended to
50	read:
51	934.42 Mobile tracking device and location tracking
52	authorization
53	(1) An investigative or law enforcement officer may make
54	application to a judge of competent jurisdiction for <u>a warrant</u>
55	an order authorizing or approving the installation and use of a
56	mobile tracking device.
57	(2) An application under subsection (1) <del>of this section</del>
58	must include:
59	(a) A statement of the identity of the applicant and the
60	identity of the law enforcement agency conducting the
61	investigation.
62	(b) A statement setting forth a reasonable period of time
63	that the tracking device may be used or the location data may be
64	obtained in real-time, not to exceed 45 days from the date the
65	warrant is issued. The court may, for good cause, grant one or
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66 more extensions for a reasonable period of time, not to exceed 67 <u>45 days each</u> certification by the applicant that the information 68 likely to be obtained is relevant to an ongoing criminal 69 investigation being conducted by the investigating agency.

70 (c) A statement of the offense to which the information71 likely to be obtained relates.

72 (d) A statement <u>as to</u> whether it may be necessary to use 73 and monitor the mobile tracking device outside the jurisdiction 74 of the court from which authorization is being sought.

75 Upon application made as provided under subsection (3) 76 (2), the court, if it finds probable cause, that the 77 certification and finds that the statements required by 78 subsection (2) have been made in the application, shall grant a 79 warrant enter an ex parte order authorizing the installation and 80 use of a mobile tracking device. Such warrant order may authorize the use of the device within the jurisdiction of the 81 court and outside that jurisdiction but within the State of 82 Florida if the device is installed within the jurisdiction of 83 84 the court. The warrant must command the officer to complete any 85 installation authorized by the warrant within a specified period 86 of time not to exceed 10 calendar days.

87 (4) A court may not require greater specificity or
88 additional information beyond that which is required by <u>law and</u>
89 this section as a requisite for issuing a warrant <del>an order</del>.

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90 (5) Within 10 days after the time period specified in 91 paragraph (2) (b) has ended, the officer executing a warrant must 92 return the warrant to the issuing judge. When the warrant is authorizing historical global positioning satellite location 93 94 data, the officer executing the warrant must return the warrant 95 to the issuing judge within 10 days after receipt of the records. The officer may do so by reliable electronic means. 96 97 (6) Within 10 days after the time period specified in paragraph (2) (b) has ended, the officer executing a warrant must 98 99 serve a copy of the warrant on the person who, or whose 100 property, was tracked. Service may be accomplished by delivering 101 a copy to the person who, or whose property, was tracked or by 102 leaving a copy at the person's residence or usual place of abode 103 with an individual of suitable age and discretion who resides at 104 that location and by mailing a copy to the person's last known 105 address. Upon a showing of good cause to a court of competent 106 jurisdiction, the court may grant one or more postponements of 107 this notice for a period of 90 days each. 108 (7) (7) (5) The standards established by Florida courts and the 109 United States Supreme Court for the installation, use, or and 110 monitoring of mobile tracking devices shall apply to the 111 installation, use, or monitoring and use of any device as authorized by this section. 112 (8) (6) As used in this section, the term "mobile tracking 113 device" or a "tracking device" means an electronic or mechanical 114 713463 - h1249-line117.docx Published On: 2/26/2018 7:49:02 PM

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115	device that allows which permits the tracking of the movement of
116	a person or object, including a cellular phone or a portable
117	electronic communication device, and may be used to obtain real-
118	time cellular-site location data, precise global positioning
119	satellite location data, or historical global positioning
120	satellite location data.
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123	TITLE AMENDMENT
124	Remove lines 9-10 and insert:
125	the act; prohibiting unlawful access to communications
126	stored in specified devices; providing penalties;
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