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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and  
General Government (Broxson) recommended the following:

1           **Senate Amendment to Amendment (178232) (with title**  
2 **amendment)**

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4           Between lines 517 and 518  
5 insert:

6           Section 12. Subsection (18) of section 633.202, Florida  
7 Statutes, is amended to read:

8           633.202 Florida Fire Prevention Code.—

9           (18) The authority having jurisdiction shall determine the  
10 minimum radio signal strength for fire department communications



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11 in all new high-rise and existing high-rise buildings. Existing  
12 buildings are not required to comply with minimum radio strength  
13 for fire department communications and two-way radio system  
14 enhancement communications as required by the Florida Fire  
15 Prevention Code until January 1, 2023 ~~2022~~. However, by January  
16 1, 2022 ~~December 31, 2019~~, an existing building that is not in  
17 compliance with the requirements for minimum radio strength for  
18 fire department communications must have completed a minimum  
19 radio strength assessment ~~apply for an appropriate permit~~ for  
20 the required installation with the local government agency  
21 having jurisdiction and must demonstrate that the building will  
22 become compliant by January 1, 2023 ~~2022~~. Existing apartment  
23 buildings are not required to comply until January 1, 2025.  
24 However, existing apartment buildings are required to apply for  
25 the appropriate permit for the required communications  
26 installation by December 31, 2022.

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

29 And the title is amended as follows:

30 Delete line 964

31 and insert:

32 insurance; amending s. 633.202, F.S.; extending a  
33 deadline for certain buildings to comply with a  
34 minimum radio signal strength requirement under the  
35 Florida Fire Prevention Code; requiring such buildings  
36 to meet certain conditions by a specified date;  
37 creating s. 633.217, F.S.; prohibiting