

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative Santiago offered the following:

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3 **Amendment to Amendment (217229) (with title amendment)**

4 Between lines 337 and 338 of the amendment, insert:

5 Section 3. Section 255.61, Florida Statutes, is created to
6 read:

7 255.61 Solicitation of payment.—An owner of a public
8 building or their employee may not seek, accept, or solicit any
9 payment or other form of consideration for providing the written
10 allocation letter as described in section 179D(d)(4) of the US
11 Tax Code and IRS Notice 2008-40. Allocation letters must be
12 signed and returned to the architect, engineer or contractor
13 within 15 days after written request. This section shall remain

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14 in effect until the Internal Revenue Service supersedes Section
15 3 of IRS Notice 2008-40 and materially modifies the allocation
16 process therein.

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

21 Remove lines 382-398 of the amendment and insert:
22 An act relating to public construction; amending s.
23 218.80, F.S.; revising disclosure requirements for
24 bidding documents and other requests for proposals
25 issued for bids by a local governmental entity and
26 public contracts entered into between local
27 governmental entities and contractors; amending s.
28 255.20, F.S.; revising the term cost to include
29 specified information; requiring the governing board
30 of a local government to consider estimated costs of
31 certain projects that account for specified costs when
32 the board is making a specified determination;
33 requiring that a local government that performs
34 projects using its own services, employees, and
35 equipment provide a report to the local governing
36 board with certain information; requiring that the
37 Auditor General review the report as part of his or
38 her audits of local governments; creating s. 255.61,

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39 F.S.; providing that certain persons may not seek,
40 accept, of solicit payment or other form of
41 consideration for providing a certain written
42 allocation letter; providing construction; amending s.
43 336.41,

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