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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Committee on Health Policy (Cruz) recommended the following: Senate Amendment (with title amendment) Between lines 291 and 292 insert: Section 2. Section 390.01114, Florida Statutes, is repealed. Section 3. Section 390.01116, Florida Statutes, is repealed. Section 4. Paragraph (a) of subsection (6) of section 27.511, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 27.511 Offices of criminal conflict and civil regional

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12 counsel; legislative intent; qualifications; appointment; 13 duties.-(6) (a) The office of criminal conflict and civil regional 14 15 counsel has primary responsibility for representing persons 16 entitled to court-appointed counsel under the Federal or State 17 Constitution or as authorized by general law in civil proceedings, including, but not limited to, proceedings under s. 18 393.12 and chapters 39, 392, 397, 415, 743, 744, and 984 and 19 20 proceedings to terminate parental rights under chapter 63. Private court-appointed counsel eligible under s. 27.40 have 21 22 primary responsibility for representing minors who request 23 counsel under s. 390.01114, the Parental Notice of Abortion Act; 24 however, the office of criminal conflict and civil regional 25 counsel may represent a minor under that section if the court 26 finds that no private court-appointed attorney is available. 27 Section 5. Subsection (4) of section 743.067, Florida 28 Statutes, is amended to read: 29 743.067 Certified unaccompanied homeless youths.-30 (4) This section does not affect the requirements of s. 31 390.01114. 32 33 34 And the title is amended as follows: Delete line 44 35 36 and insert: 37 severability; repealing ss. 390.01114 and 390.01116, 38 F.S., relating to the Parental Notice of Abortion Act 39 and public records exemptions for minors seeking waiver of notice requirements, respectively; amending 40

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41 42 ss. 27.511 and 743.067, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.