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Senator Brandes moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 215 and 216

insert:

Section 4. Subsection (14) is added to section 316.302,
Florida Statutes, to read:

316.302 Commercial motor vehicles; safety regulations;
transporters and shippers of hazardous materials; enforcement.-

(14) (a) The deployment, implementation, or use of a motor
carrier safety improvement by or as required by a motor carrier
or its related entity or a third party, including by contract,



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12 may not be considered when evaluating an individual's status as
13 an employee or independent contractor or as a jointly employed
14 employee under any state law.

15 (b) For purposes of this subsection, the term "motor
16 carrier safety improvement" means any device, equipment,
17 software, technology, procedure, training, policy, program, or
18 operational practice intended and primarily used to improve or
19 facilitate:

- 20 1. Compliance with traffic safety or motor carrier safety
21 laws;
22 2. Safety of a motor vehicle;
23 3. Safety of the operator of a motor vehicle; or
24 4. Safety of third-party users of public roadways.

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27 And the title is amended as follows:

28 Delete line 23

29 and insert:

30 flashing lights; amending s. 316.302, F.S.;

31 prohibiting the consideration of the deployment,

32 implementation, or use of a motor carrier safety

33 improvement when evaluating an individual's status as

34 an employee or independent contractor or as a jointly

35 employed employee; defining the term "motor carrier

36 safety improvement"; amending s. 318.18, F.S.;

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