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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate Comm: UNFAV 04/20/2021 House

The Committee on Rules (Farmer) recommended the following: Senate Amendment (with title amendment) Between lines 64 and 65 insert: Section 3. Paragraph (c) of subsection (8) of section 163.3215, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 163.3215 Standing to enforce local comprehensive plans through development orders.-(8) (c) <u>Upon the motion of any party</u>, the prevailing party in a challenge to a development order filed under subsection (3) is

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12	entitled to recover reasonable attorney fees and costs incurred
13	in challenging or defending the order, including reasonable
14	appellate attorney fees and costs, if the challenge is frivolous
15	in nature and lacks any legal or factual merit. This paragraph
16	does not apply to an intervening party as provided under Rule
17	1.230, Florida Rules of Civil Procedure.
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20	And the title is amended as follows:
21	Delete line 10
22	and insert:
23	amendment may be adopted; amending s. 163.3215, F.S.;
24	specifying conditions under which the prevailing party
25	in a challenge to a development order is entitled to
26	recover certain fees and costs; providing
27	applicability; providing an effective date.