

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative Smith, C. offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Between lines 583 and 584, insert:

5 Section 11. Paragraph (c) of subsection (5) of section  
6 443.111, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

7 443.111 Payment of benefits.—

8 (5) DURATION OF BENEFITS.—

9 (c) For claims submitted during a calendar year, the  
10 duration of benefits is limited to 22 weeks.÷

11 ~~1. Twelve weeks if this state's average unemployment rate~~  
12 ~~is at or below 5 percent.~~

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13           ~~2. An additional week in addition to the 12 weeks for each~~  
14 ~~0.5 percent increment in this state's average unemployment rate~~  
15 ~~above 5 percent.~~

16           ~~3. Up to a maximum of 23 weeks if this state's average~~  
17 ~~unemployment rate equals or exceeds 10.5 percent.~~

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

21           Between lines 40 and 41, insert:  
22           amending s. 443.111, F.S.; revising the maximum number  
23           of weeks of unemployment benefits;