

Amendment No. 2

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
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WITHDRAWN	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
OTHER	<u> </u>	

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Tourism, Infrastructure &
 2 Energy Subcommittee

3 Representative Hunschofsky offered the following:

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5 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

6 Remove lines 207-257 and insert:

7 edge or within a bicycle lane. On roads that contain a
 8 substandard width lane, persons operating a bicycle must ride
 9 single file to maintain the minimum 3 feet of space for motor
 10 vehicles to pass persons operating a bicycle, as provided for in
 11 s. 316.083. For the purposes of this subsection, a "substandard-
 12 width lane" is a lane that is too narrow for a bicycle and
 13 another vehicle to travel safely side by side within the lane.

14 (b) A ~~Any~~ person operating a bicycle upon a one-way
 15 highway with two or more marked traffic lanes may ride as near
 16 the left-hand curb or edge of such roadway as practicable.

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17 (6) (a) Persons riding bicycles upon a roadway or in a
18 bicycle lane may not ride more than two abreast except on a
19 bicycle path ~~paths or parts of roadways set aside for the~~
20 ~~exclusive use of bicycles~~. Persons riding two abreast may not
21 impede traffic when traveling at less than the normal speed of
22 traffic at the time and place and under the conditions then
23 existing and must ~~shall~~ ride within a single lane. Where bicycle
24 lanes exist, persons operating a bicycle may ride two abreast if
25 both can stay within the bicycle lane. If the bicycle lane is
26 too narrow to allow two persons operating a bicycle to ride two
27 abreast, the persons operating a bicycle must ride single file
28 and within the bicycle lane. On roads that contain a substandard
29 width lane as defined in subparagraph(5) (a)3., persons operating
30 a bicycle may temporarily ride two abreast only to avoid hazards
31 in the roadway or to overtake another person operating a
32 bicycle.

33 (b) When stopping at a stop sign, persons riding bicycles
34 in groups, after coming to a full stop and obeying all traffic
35 laws, may proceed through the stop sign in a group of 10 or
36 fewer at a time. Motor vehicle operators must allow each such
37 group to travel through the intersection before moving forward.

38 (19) Except as otherwise provided in this section, a
39 person who violates ~~violation of~~ this section commits ~~is~~ a
40 noncriminal traffic infraction, punishable as a pedestrian
41 violation as provided in chapter 318. A law enforcement officer

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42 may issue traffic citations for a violation of subsection (3) or
43 subsection (15) only if the violation occurs on a bicycle path
44 or road, as defined in s. 334.03. However, a law enforcement
45 officer may not issue citations to persons on private property,
46 except any part thereof which is open to the use of the public
47 for purposes of vehicular traffic.

48 Section 6. Subsection (3) of section 322.12, Florida
49 Statutes, is amended to read:

50 322.12 Examination of applicants.—

51 (3) For an applicant for a Class E driver license, such
52 examination shall include all of the following:

53 (a) A test of the applicant's eyesight given by the driver
54 license examiner designated by the department or by a licensed
55 ophthalmologist, optometrist, or physician.

56 (b) ~~and~~ A test of the applicant's hearing given by a
57 driver license examiner or a licensed physician.

58 (c) ~~The examination shall also include~~ A test of the
59 applicant's ability to read and understand highway signs
60 regulating, warning, and directing traffic; his or her knowledge
61 of the traffic laws of this state, including laws regulating
62 driving under the influence of alcohol or controlled substances,
63 driving with an unlawful blood-alcohol level, and driving while
64 intoxicated; and his or her knowledge of the effects of alcohol
65 and controlled substances upon persons and the dangers of
66 driving a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol or

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67 | controlled substances. At least 25 questions within the bank of
68 | test questions must address bicycle and pedestrian safety.

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71 | **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

72 | Remove lines 22-27 and insert:
73 | 316.2065, F.S.; providing requirements for persons riding
74 | bicycles on a substandard width lane; prohibiting persons riding
75 | bicycles in a bicycle lane from riding more than two abreast;
76 | providing requirements for riding in a bicycle lane; providing
77 | requirements for persons riding bicycles in groups when stopping
78 | at a stop sign; making a technical change; amending s. 322.12,
79 | F.S.; requiring a minimum number of questions in the test bank
80 | for a Class E