

Amendment No.1

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

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| WITHDRAWN | 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

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Civil Justice & Property
2 Rights Subcommittee
3 Representative Gottlieb offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Section 222.25, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

222.25 Other individual property of natural persons exempt from legal process.—

(1) The following property is exempt from attachment, garnishment, or other legal process:

(a)~~(1)~~ A debtor's interest, not to exceed \$1,000 in value, in a single motor vehicle as defined in s. 320.01.

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15 (b)(2) A debtor's interest in any professionally
16 prescribed health aids for the debtor or a dependent of the
17 debtor.

18 (c)(3) A debtor's interest in a refund or a credit
19 received or to be received, or the traceable deposits in a
20 financial institution of a debtor's interest in a refund or
21 credit, pursuant to s. 32 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986,
22 as amended. This exemption does not apply to a debt owed for
23 child support or spousal support.

24 (d)(4) A debtor's interest in personal property, not to
25 exceed \$4,000, if the debtor does not claim or receive the
26 benefits of a homestead exemption under s. 4, Art. X of the
27 State Constitution. This exemption does not apply to a debt owed
28 for child support or spousal support.

29 (2) Notwithstanding paragraph (1)(a), an individual debtor
30 under the federal Bankruptcy Code may exempt a debtor's
31 interest, not to exceed \$5,000 in value, in a single motor
32 vehicle as defined in s. 320.01. This subsection applies to any
33 bankruptcy action that is filed on or after July 1, 2022.

34 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2022.

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

38 Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert:

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Bill No. HB 265 (2022)

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39 | An act relating to value of motor vehicles exempt from legal
40 | process; amending s. 222.25, F.S.; revising upward the value of
41 | a motor vehicle owned by a natural person that is exempt from
42 | certain legal process; providing an effective date.