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COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	_____	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	_____	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	_____	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	_____	(Y/N)
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1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Local Administration,  
 2 Federal Affairs & Special Districts Subcommittee  
 3 Representative Altman offered the following:  
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**Amendment (with title amendment)**

6 Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:  
 7 Section 1. Subsection (9) is added to section 286.011,  
 8 Florida Statutes, to read:

9 286.011 Public meetings and records; public inspection;  
 10 criminal and civil penalties.—

11 (9) (a) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, a regional  
 12 advisory committee, created to provide technical expertise and  
 13 support to the National Estuary Program established by Congress  
 14 under s. 320 of the Clean Water Act, whose membership is  
 15 composed of representatives from four or more counties may  
 16 conduct public meetings and workshops by means of communications

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17 media technology as defined in s. 120.54(5)(b)2. An advisory  
18 committee member who participates in a public meeting or  
19 workshop by communications media technology is deemed to be  
20 present at the meeting or workshop. The use of communications  
21 media technology must allow for all persons attending the  
22 meeting or workshop to audibly communicate as if the person is  
23 physically present.

24 (b) The notice for a public meeting or workshop must state  
25 whether the meeting or workshop will be conducted using  
26 communications media technology, how an interested person may  
27 participate, and the location of facilities where communications  
28 media technology will be available during the meeting or  
29 workshop.

30 Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

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

34 Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert:

35 An act relating to public meetings and workshops for  
36 regional advisory committees; amending s. 286.011, F.S. ;  
37 authorizing certain regional advisory committees to conduct  
38 public meetings and workshops by means of communications media  
39 technology; providing that an advisory committee member who  
40 participates in a meeting or workshop using such technology is  
41 deemed present; providing requirements for the communications

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42 | media technology; providing notice requirements for such  
43 | meetings and workshops; providing construction; providing an  
44 | effective date.