

The Florida Senate  
**HOUSE MESSAGE SUMMARY**

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BILL: CS/HB 1205, 1st Eng. (CS/SB 7016)

INTRODUCER: State Affairs Committee and Rep. Persons-Mulicka (Fiscal Policy Committee, Ethics and Elections Committee, and Senators Gaetz and Grall)

SUBJECT: Amendments to the State Constitution

DATE: May 1, 2025

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**I. Amendments Contained in Message:**

**House Amendment – 258567 to Senate Amendment – 476344** (body with title)

**II. Summary of Amendments Contained in Message:**

**House Amendment – *Barcode 258567*** revises the Senate amendment to increase the number of completed petition forms a person may possess without having to register as a petition circulator. Specifically, the Senate amendment allows a person to collect or possess his or her own completed petition form, those of immediate family members, plus five more, before having to register as a petition circulator. The House amendment increases the number of additional completed petition forms a person may possess to 25 from five.