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Senator Burgess moved the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Between lines 974 and 975  
insert:

Section 16. Subsection (4) is added to section 373.423,  
Florida Statutes, to read:

373.423 Inspection.—

(4) (a) For purposes of this subsection the term:

1. "MS4" means a municipal separate storm sewer system as  
defined in 40 C.F.R. s. 122.26(b).

2. "MS4 entity" means an MS4 permittee.



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(b) Each MS4 entity shall conduct an inspection of all permitted stormwater management systems owned or operated by the MS4 entity in accordance with the inspection schedule required by the MS4 permit. As part of such inspection, the MS4 entity shall identify any infrastructure within the MS4, or any component thereof, which:

1. Has a significant vulnerability to obstruction, blockage, deterioration, failure, or other deficiencies; and

2. Upon operational failure, would result in flooding and property damage.

(c) Any infrastructure identified in the inspection that satisfies the conditions in subparagraph (b)1. or subparagraph (b)2. must be observed and reviewed by the MS4 entity annually by June 1 thereafter.

(d) The MS4 entity shall complete the stormwater facility inspection checklist developed by the department each time an MS4 inspection is conducted pursuant to this subsection. Following each inspection, a completed checklist must be submitted to the department and the Division of Emergency Management.

(e) This subsection does not apply to the Department of Transportation or to any entity that operates a toll facility in this state.

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And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 126

and insert:

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373.423, F.S.; defining the terms "MS4" and "MS4 entity"; requiring each MS4 entity to conduct an inspection of certain stormwater management systems in accordance with the MS4 permit; specifying requirements for such inspection; requiring certain structures be observed and reviewed annually; requiring each MS4 entity to complete a stormwater facility inspection checklist for inspections of such systems; requiring that such checklist be submitted to specified entities; providing applicability; amending s.