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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate	.	House
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03/26/2025	.	
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The Committee on Rules (Burton) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

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3 Before line 17
4 insert:

5 Section 1. Subsection (14) is added to section 766.102,
6 Florida Statutes, to read:

7 766.102 Medical negligence; standards of recovery; expert
8 witness.—

9 (14) In an action alleging the medical negligence of a
10 health care provider, a final order or other findings adopted by
11 a board, as defined in s. 456.001, within the Department of



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12 Health pertaining to a complaint against the health care
13 provider are discoverable and admissible as evidence in the
14 action. If a party to the action failed to comply with or
15 unreasonably delayed in responding to a request made by the
16 department during the investigation of or a proceeding relating
17 to the subject of the action, the party's failure or
18 unreasonable delay is also discoverable and admissible in the
19 action.

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22 And the title is amended as follows:

23 Delete line 3

24 and insert:

25 wrongful death; amending s. 766.102, F.S.; providing
26 for the discoverability and admissibility of final
27 orders by a board of the Department of Health in
28 medical malpractice actions; providing for the
29 discoverability and admissibility of a party's
30 noncompliance or unreasonable delays in complying with
31 certain requests by the Department of Health; amending
32 s. 768.21, F.S.; deleting a