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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs
(Yarborough) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 48 - 95
and insert:

(1) A private cause of action exists to recover damages for personal injury or death resulting from the provision of sex-reassignment prescriptions or procedures, as defined in s. 456.001, to a person younger than 18 years of age which are prohibited by s. 456.52(1). An individual may recover all economic and non-economic damages for injuries he or she



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sustained before or after age 18 that are the result of sex-reassignment prescriptions or procedures provided in violation of s. 456.52(1).

(2) The Attorney General may conduct investigations of alleged violations of s. 456.52(1) and, if the Attorney General determines that such a violation has occurred, may commence a civil action under this subsection for damages, injunctive relief, and civil penalties of up to \$100,000 for each violation. Any damages recovered pursuant to a civil action brought under this subsection must accrue to the benefit of the individual injured as the result of sex-reassignment prescriptions or procedures provided in violation of s. 456.52(1).

(3)~~(2)~~ The limitations on punitive damages in s. 768.73(1) do not apply to actions brought under this section.

(4)~~(3)~~ An action brought under this section:

(a) May be commenced within 20 years after the cessation or completion of the sex-reassignment prescription or procedure.

(b) Is in addition to any other remedy authorized by law.

(5)~~(4)~~ The cause of action created by this section does not apply to:

(a) Treatment with sex-reassignment prescriptions if such treatment is consistent with s. 456.001(9)(a)1. or 2. and was commenced on or before, and is still active on, May 17, 2023.

(b) Sex-reassignment prescriptions or procedures that were ceased or completed on or before May 17, 2023.

Section 3. Section 1014.07, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

1014.07 Civil liability.—



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(1) A private cause of action exists against an employee of the state, any of its political subdivisions, or any other governmental entity who violates any of the parental rights specified in s. 1014.04 or against a health care practitioner who provides, solicits or arranges to provide, or aids or abets another to provide, health care services or prescription of medicinal drugs to a minor child without parental consent in violation of s. 1014.06. An individual may recover all economic and non-economic damages resulting from a violation of s. 1014.04 or s. 1014.06. All damages recovered pursuant to a civil action brought under this subsection must accrue to the benefit of the affected minor.

(2) The Attorney General may conduct investigations of alleged violations of s. 1014.04 or s. 1014.06 and, if the Attorney General determines that such a violation has occurred, may commence a civil action under this subsection for damages, injunctive relief, and civil penalties of up to \$100,000 for each violation. All damages recovered pursuant to a civil action brought under this subsection must accrue to the benefit of the affected minor.

(3) The limitations on punitive damages in s. 768.73(1) do not apply to actions brought under this section.

(4) An action brought under this section:

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And the title is amended as follows:

Delete lines 7 - 23

and insert:

clarifying that a private cause of action exists to



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recover damages for personal injury or death resulting from a violation of a specified provision; providing that an individual may recover economic and non-economic damages for injuries sustained before or after age 18 that result from such violation; authorizing the Attorney General to conduct investigations of alleged violations of a specified provision and commence a separate civil action for damages, injunctive relief, and civil penalties upon determining a violation has occurred; providing that damages recovered pursuant to such civil actions accrue to the benefit of the injured individual; creating s. 1014.07, F.S.; creating a private cause of action to recover damages against certain public employees and health care practitioners for violations of specified provisions; providing that an individual may recover economic and non-economic damages that result from such violations; providing that damages recovered pursuant to such civil actions accrue to the benefit of the affected minor; authorizing the Attorney General to conduct investigations of alleged violations of specified provisions and commence a civil action for damages, injunctive relief, and civil penalties upon determining a violation has occurred; providing that damages recovered pursuant to such civil actions accrue to the benefit of the affected minor; providing