

The Florida Senate
BILL ANALYSIS AND FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

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Prepared By: The Professional Staff of the Committee on Rules

BILL: SB 82

INTRODUCER: Senator Mayfield

SUBJECT: Florida Statutes

DATE: December 12, 2023

REVISED: _____

ANALYST	STAFF DIRECTOR	REFERENCE	ACTION
1. Pollitz (DLR)	Twogood	RC	Favorable

I. Summary:

The Division of Law Revision of the Office of Legislative Services is required, by statute, to conduct a systematic and continuing study of the Florida Statutes. The purpose of this study is to recommend to the Legislature changes that will remove inconsistencies, redundancies, and unnecessary repetition from the statutes; improve clarity and facilitate correct interpretation; correct grammatical and typographical errors; and delete obsolete, repealed, or superseded provisions. These recommendations are submitted to the Legislature in the form of technical, nonsubstantive reviser's bills. Responses to directives from the Legislature to make specific changes in the statutes are also submitted to the Legislature via reviser's bills.

Section 147(1), ch. 2023-173, Laws of Florida, directs the Division of Law Revision "to prepare a reviser's bill for the 2024 Regular Session of the Legislature to change the terms 'Department of Economic Opportunity' and 'Secretary of Economic Opportunity' to 'Department of Commerce' and 'Secretary of Commerce,' respectively, wherever the terms appear in the Florida Statutes and to make such further changes as are necessary to conform the Florida Statutes to the organizational changes effected by this act."

SB 82 substantially amends the following sections of the Florida Statutes: ss. 11.40, 11.45, 14.20195, 14.36, 16.615, 17.61, 20.04, 20.166, 20.181, 20.605, 45.031, 69.041, 110.112, 112.63, 112.665, 119.071, 120.80, 125.045, 155.40, 159.8081, 159.8083, 159.809, 159.81, 161.142, 161.54, 163.3164, 163.3221, 163.3251, 163.3756, 163.503, 163.5055, 163.506, 163.508, 163.511, 163.512, 166.021, 171.204, 186.504, 189.012, 190.009, 190.047, 191.009, 191.015, 201.15, 212.08, 212.096, 212.097, 212.098, 213.053, 215.5588, 216.292, 218.32, 218.37, 218.411, 220.03, 220.153, 220.183, 220.1895, 220.191, 222.15, 252.85, 253.025, 255.099, 258.501, 259.042, 267.0625, 288.005, 288.061, 288.075, 288.1201, 288.1226, 288.8012, 288.8014, 288.9604, 288.9610, 288.987, 288.9961, 290.004, 290.0065, 290.00729, 290.042, 290.0455, 290.0491, 290.06561, 311.07, 311.09, 311.10, 311.101, 311.105, 311.11, 311.22, 320.08058, 322.142, 327.803, 331.3051, 331.3081, 331.324, 332.115, 334.065, 334.066, 339.135, 339.175, 339.2821, 342.201, 369.303, 369.318, 369.321, 369.322, 369.323, 369.324, 373.199, 373.4149, 373.453, 373.461, 375.021, 377.809, 378.411, 379.2291, 380.031, 380.093,

381.0086, 397.754, 403.0752, 403.0891, 403.507, 403.508, 403.524, 403.526, 403.527, 403.757, 403.941, 403.9411, 403.973, 404.0617, 409.1451, 409.2576, 409.25996, 409.508, 409.509, 410.502, 413.80, 413.801, 414.24, 414.40, 420.0004, 420.0005, 420.0006, 420.101, 420.111, 420.36, 420.424, 420.503, 420.504, 420.506, 420.507, 420.511, 420.602, 420.606, 420.609, 420.622, 420.631, 420.635, 421.001, 422.001, 423.001, 427.012, 440.12, 440.15, 440.381, 443.012, 443.036, 443.041, 443.051, 443.071, 443.101, 443.111, 443.1113, 443.1115, 443.1116, 443.1118, 443.1215, 443.1216, 443.1217, 443.131, 443.1312, 443.1313, 443.1315, 443.1316, 443.1317, 443.141, 443.151, 443.163, 443.171, 443.1715, 443.17161, 443.181, 443.191, 443.211, 443.221, 445.002, 445.003, 445.004, 445.009, 445.016, 445.024, 445.0325, 445.038, 445.045, 445.056, 445.06, 445.07, 446.41, 446.53, 446.71, 448.09, 448.095, 448.109, 448.110, 450.161, 450.191, 450.261, 450.31, 468.529, 551.104, 553.79, 570.71, 624.5105, 627.42397, 641.514, 692.203, 692.204, 720.403, 720.404, 720.406, 943.0311, 944.801, 945.10, 985.601, 1001.02, 1001.03, 1001.706, 1002.20, 1002.395, 1002.895, 1003.4156, 1003.491, 1003.493, 1004.015, 1004.46, 1008.39, 1008.40, 1008.41, 1011.76, 1011.80, and 1011.802, F.S.

II. Present Situation:

Currently, the Florida Statutes contain a number of references to the Department of Economic Opportunity and the Secretary of Economic Opportunity, which were redesignated as the Department of Commerce and the Secretary of Commerce, respectively, by ch. 2023-173, Laws of Florida.

III. Effect of Proposed Changes:

The bill revises Florida Statutes text to conform to the directive in s. 147, ch. 2023-173, Laws of Florida, by changing the terms “Department of Economic Opportunity” to “Department of Commerce” and “Secretary of Economic Opportunity” to “Secretary of Commerce,” respectively, wherever the terms appear in the Florida Statutes.

IV. Constitutional Issues:

A. Municipality/County Mandates Restrictions:

None.

B. Public Records/Open Meetings Issues:

None.

C. Trust Funds Restrictions:

None.

D. State Tax or Fee Increases:

None.

E. Other Constitutional Issues:

None.

V. Fiscal Impact Statement:

A. Tax/Fee Issues:

None.

B. Private Sector Impact:

None.

C. Government Sector Impact:

None.

VI. Technical Deficiencies:

None.

VII. Related Issues:

None.

VIII. Statutes Affected:

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443.211, 443.221, 445.002, 445.003, 445.004, 445.009, 445.016, 445.024, 445.0325, 445.038, 445.045, 445.056, 445.06, 445.07, 446.41, 446.53, 446.71, 448.09, 448.095, 448.109, 448.110, 450.161, 450.191, 450.261, 450.31, 468.529, 551.104, 553.79, 570.71, 624.5105, 627.42397, 641.514, 692.203, 692.204, 720.403, 720.404, 720.406, 943.0311, 944.801, 945.10, 985.601, 1001.02, 1001.03, 1001.706, 1002.20, 1002.395, 1002.895, 1003.4156, 1003.491, 1003.493, 1004.015, 1004.46, 1008.39, 1008.40, 1008.41, 1011.76, 1011.80, and 1011.802, F.S.

IX. Additional Information:

A. Committee Substitute – Statement of Changes:

(Summarizing differences between the Committee Substitute and the prior version of the bill.)

None.

B. Amendments:

None.

This Senate Bill Analysis does not reflect the intent or official position of the bill's introducer or the Florida Senate.
