Florida Senate - 2011 Bill No. SB 2042

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Committee on Budget Subcommittee on Finance and Tax (Bogdanoff) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

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Delete lines 674 - 696
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and insert:

homestead exemptions shall be applied <u>in the order that results</u> in the lowest taxable value. as follows:

(a) The exemption in paragraph (1)(a) shall apply to the first \$25,000 of assessed value;

9 (b) The second \$25,000 of assessed value shall be taxable 10 unless other exemptions, as listed in paragraph (d), are 11 applicable in the order listed;

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(c) The additional homestead exemption in paragraph (1) (b),

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13	for levies other than school district levies, shall be applied
14	to the assessed value greater than \$50,000 before any other
15	exemptions are applied to that assessed value; and
16	(d) Other exemptions include and shall be applied in the
17	following order: widows, widowers, blind persons, and disabled
18	persons, as provided in s. 196.202; disabled ex-servicemembers
19	and surviving spouses, as provided in s. 196.24, applicable to
20	all levies; the local option low-income senior exemption up to
21	\$50,000, applicable to county levies or municipal levies, as
22	provided in s. 196.075; and the veterans percentage discount, as
23	provided in s. 196.082.
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26	And the title is amended as follows:
27	Delete lines 64 - 66
28	and insert:
29	196.031, F.S.; providing for ad valorem tax exemptions
30	to be applied in the order that results in the lowest
31	taxable value of a homestead; amending s. 196.081,
32	F.S.; authorizing an