

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House Comm: RCS

04/02/2013

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability (Smith) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Paragraph (c) is added to subsection (1) of section 760.10, Florida Statutes, to read:

760.10 Unlawful employment practices.-

- (1) It is an unlawful employment practice for an employer:
- (c) To discharge or to fail or refuse to hire an individual, or otherwise to discriminate against an individual with respect to compensation, terms, conditions, or privileges of employment, because of or on the basis of pregnancy,

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childbirth, or a related medical condition. A woman affected by pregnancy, childbirth, or a related medical condition shall be treated the same for all employment-related purposes, including receipt of benefits under fringe benefit programs, as other persons not so affected but similar in their ability or inability to work. This paragraph does not require an employer to pay health insurance benefits for abortion.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.

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Delete everything before the enacting clause and insert:

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to discrimination; amending s. 760.10, F.S.; prohibiting employment discrimination on the basis of pregnancy, childbirth, or a related medical condition; providing an exception for certain benefits; providing an effective date.