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Representative Nelson offered the following:

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Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove lines 133-355 and insert:

Section 5. Section 192.048, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

192.048 Electronic transmission.—

- (1) Subject to subsection (2), the following documents may be transmitted electronically rather than by regular mail:
- (a) The notice of proposed property taxes required under s. 200.069.
- (b) The tax exemption renewal application required under s. 196.011(6)(a).
- (c) The tax exemption renewal application required under s. 196.011(6)(b).

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- (d) A notification of intent to deny a tax exemption required under s. 196.011(9)(e).
- (e) The decision of the value adjustment board required under s. 194.034(2).
- (2) Electronic transmission pursuant to this section is authorized only under the following conditions:
- (a) The recipient consents in writing to receiving the document electronically.
- (b) On the form used to obtain the recipient's written consent, the sender must include a statement in substantially the following form and in a font equal to or greater than the font used for the text requesting the recipient's consent:

 "Notice: Under Florida law, e-mail addresses are public records.

 By consenting to communicate with this office electronically, your e-mail address will be released in response to any applicable public records request."
- (c) Before sending a document, the sender verifies the recipient's address by sending an electronic transmission to the recipient and receiving an affirmative response from the recipient verifying that the recipient's address is correct.
- (d) If a document is returned as undeliverable, the sender must send the document by regular mail, as required by law.
- (e) Documents sent pursuant to this section must comply with the same timing and form requirements as if the documents were sent by regular mail.
- (f) The sender renews the consent and verification requirements every 5 years.

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45	TITLE AMENDMENT
46	Remove lines 17-27 and insert:
47	creating s. 192.048, F.S.; allowing certain ad valorem
48	communications to be sent electronically in lieu of
49	regular mail; providing requirements and conditions
50	applicable to such electronic communications;
51	providing an effective