

## HOUSE MESSAGE SUMMARY

Date: April 22, 1998

Bill Subject: Coastal Construction Rule Authorization Bill

Prepared By: Senate Committee on Natural Resources

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### I. Amendments Contained in Message

**House Amendment -- 441589** (body)

**House Amendment -- 331211** (body)

### II. Summary of Amendments Contained in Message

**House Amendment 1** provides clarification of the specific areas that the Department of Environmental Protection can adopt rules relating to coastal construction under s. 161.053, F.S. These areas include:

- establishment of coastal construction control lines
- activities seaward of the control line
- exemptions
- property owners agreements
- delegation of the program

**House Amendment 2** provides clarification of the specific areas that the Department of Environmental Protection can adopt rules relating to coastal construction and excavation under s. 161.052, F.S. These areas include:

- excavation and construction
- setback requirements
- waivers or variances
- exemptions
- removal of unauthorized structures