SENATE STAFF ANALYSIS AND ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT

(This document is based only on the provisions contained in the legislation as of the latest date listed below.)

BILL:	SB 844			
SPONSOR	Senator McKay			
SUBJECT: General Reviser's B		ill-Volume 4, F.S.		
DATE:	February 10, 1999	REVISED: <u>2/18/99</u>		
2.	ANALYST tz (Stat. Rev.)	STAFF DIRECTOR Kassack	REFERENCE RC	ACTION Fav/1 amendment
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I. Summary:

The Division of Statutory 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clarity and facilitate correct interpretation; correct grammatical and typographical errors; and delete obsolete, repealed, or superseded provisions.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.

This is a general reviser's bill, covering volume 4 of the Florida Statutes, to delete expired or obsolete language; correct cross-references and grammatical or typographical errors; remove inconsistencies and redundancies from the statutes; improve the clarity of the statutes and facilitate their correct interpretation; and confirm the restoration of provisions unintentionally omitted from republication in the acts of the Legislature during the amendatory process. A reviser's bill cannot be amended except to delete a bill section.

II. Present Situation:

The Division of Statutory Revision, under the authority and requirements of s. 11.242, Florida Statutes, submits reviser's bills to the rules committees of both houses as needed. General reviser's bills to clean up obsolete language, update cross-references, and correct grammatical and typographical errors and the like are submitted every 2 years in odd-numbered years.

III. Effect of Proposed Changes:

The effect of this bill is of a technical nature only; reviser's bills do not contain substantive changes. The bill will clean up grammatical and similar errors in volume 4 of the Florida Statutes.

IV. Constitutional Issues:

A. Municipality/County Mandates Restrictions:

None.

B. Public Records/Open Meetings Issues:

None.

C. Trust Funds Restrictions:

None.

V. Economic Impact and Fiscal Note:

A. Tax/Fee Issues:

None.

B. Private Sector Impact:

None.

C. Government Sector Impact:

None.

VI. Technical Deficiencies:

None.

VII. Related Issues:

None.

VIII. Amendments:

#1 by Rules and Calendar:

Deletes a revision to s. 663.02 that would strike a reference to repealed s. 658.77 because of the possibility that a reference to similar language in s. 655.0322 to that in repealed s. 658.77 should be substituted instead of simply deleting the cite to s. 658.77.

This Senate staff analysis does not reflect the intent or official position of the bill's sponsor or the Florida Senate.