Bill No. CS for SB 1610 Amendment No. ____ Barcode 303074 CHAMBER ACTION Senate House 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Senator Garcia moved the following amendment: 11 12 13 Senate Amendment (with title amendment) On page 18, line 18, through 14 page 19, line 6, delete those lines 15 16 17 and insert: 18 Section 10. Paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section 19 497.425, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 20 497.425 Alternatives to deposits under s. 497.417.--(1)(a) As an alternative to the requirements of s. 21 22 497.417 that relate to trust funds, a certificateholder may 23 purchase a surety bond in an amount not less than the 24 aggregate value of outstanding liabilities on undelivered 25 preneed contracts for merchandise and services, so long as the 26 amount secured by the surety bond does not exceed 50 percent 27 of the sum of the amount maintained in trust pursuant to ss. 497.417 and 497.429 and the amount secured pursuant to this 28 29 section. For the purpose of this section, the term 30 "outstanding liabilities" means the gross replacement or wholesale value of the preneed merchandise and services. 31 The 1 4:20 PM 04/24/01 s1610c1c-39r1z

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bond shall be made payable to the State of Florida for the benefit of the board and all purchasers of preneed cemetery merchandise or services. The bond must be approved by the board. ====== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ========== And the title is amended as follows: On page 2, lines 8-10, delete those lines and insert: amending s. 497.425, F.S.; revising provisions relating to surety bonds;

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