HOUSE AMENDMENT

Bill No. HB 249

Amendment No. 01 (for drafter's use only) CHAMBER ACTION Senate House 1 2 3 4 5 ORIGINAL STAMP BELOW 6 7 8 9 10 The Committee on Transportation offered the following: 11 12 13 Amendment (with title amendment) 14 On page 5, between lines 19 and 20 of the bill, 15 16 insert: 17 Section 3. Subsection (3) is added to section 316.061, Florida Statutes to read: 18 19 316.061 Crashes involving damage to vehicle or 20 property.--(3) Employees or authorized agents of the Department 21 22 of Transportation, law enforcement with proper jurisdiction 23 and an Expressway Authority created pursuant to Chapter 348, 24 Florida Statutes, in the exercise, management, control, and 25 maintenance of its highway system, may undertake the removal from the main traveled way of roads on its highway system of 26 all vehicles incapacitated as a result of a motor vehicle 27 crash and of debris caused thereby. Such removal is 28 29 applicable when such a motor vehicle crash results only in 30 damage to a vehicle or other property, and where such removal can be accomplished safely and will result in the improved 31 1 File original & 9 copies htr0002 12/19/01 10:55 am 00249-tr -251035 Amendment No. 01 (for drafter's use only)

safety or convenience of travel upon the road. The driver or any other person who has removed a motor vehicle from the main traveled way of the road as provided in this section shall not be considered liable or at fault regarding the cause of the accident solely by reason of moving the vehicle. And the title is amended as follows: On page 1, line 12, after the first semicolon: insert: amending s. 316.061, F.S.; authorizing entities to remove crashed motor vehicles from roadways under their jurisdiction in certain circumstances; limiting liability of persons solely for removing crashed motor vehicles; 

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