CHAMBER ACTION

1 The Criminal Justice Committee recommends the following: 2 Council/Committee Substitute 3 Remove the entire bill and insert: 4 5 A bill to be entitled 6 An act relating to driving and boating under the 7 influence; amending s. 316.193, F.S.; providing for 8 applicability of sanctions; requiring a specified period 9 of imprisonment for a fourth or subsequent conviction of driving under the influence; prohibiting substitution of 10 treatment alternatives in certain circumstances; requiring 11 12 impoundment or immobilization of all vehicles owned by the defendant for a specified period; providing for dismissal 13 of an impoundment order; requiring records of judgments of 14 guilty to include fingerprints and social security 15 numbers; amending s. 327.35, F.S.; requiring a specified 16 period of imprisonment for a fourth or subsequent 17 conviction of boating under the influence; prohibiting 18 19 substitution of treatment alternatives in certain circumstances; requiring impoundment or immobilization of 20 21 the vessel operated by or in the actual control of the 22 defendant or any one vehicle registered in the defendant's name at the time of impoundment or immobilization for a 23 Page 1 of 13

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specified period; providing for dismissal of an order of impoundment or immobilization under certain circumstances upon request of an owner who was not operating the vessel; providing for dismissal of an impoundment order; requiring records of judgments of guilty to include fingerprints and social security numbers; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

32 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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34 Section 1. Subsection (6) of section 316.193, Florida 35 Statutes, is amended, and subsection (13) is added to that 36 section, to read:

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316.193 Driving under the influence; penalties.--

38 (6) With respect to any person convicted of a violation of 39 <u>this section</u> subsection (1), regardless of any penalty imposed 40 pursuant to subsection (2), subsection (3), or subsection (4):

For the first conviction, the court shall place the 41 (a) 42 defendant on probation for a period not to exceed 1 year and, as 43 a condition of such probation, shall order the defendant to 44 participate in public service or a community work project for a 45 minimum of 50 hours; or the court may order instead, that any defendant pay an additional fine of \$10 for each hour of public 46 47 service or community work otherwise required, if, after consideration of the residence or location of the defendant at 48 the time public service or community work is required, payment 49 of the fine is in the best interests of the state. However, the 50 total period of probation and incarceration may not exceed 1 51 Page 2 of 13

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52 year. The court must also, as a condition of probation, order 53 the impoundment or immobilization of the vehicle that was 54 operated by or in the actual control of the defendant or any one 55 vehicle registered in the defendant's name at the time of impoundment or immobilization, for a period of 10 days or for 56 57 the unexpired term of any lease or rental agreement that expires within 10 days. The impoundment or immobilization must not occur 58 59 concurrently with the incarceration of the defendant. The 60 impoundment or immobilization order may be dismissed in 61 accordance with paragraph (e), paragraph (f), paragraph (g), or 62 paragraph (h).

For the second conviction for an offense that occurs 63 (b) 64 within a period of 5 years after the date of a prior conviction for violation of this section, the court shall order 65 imprisonment for not less than 10 days. The court must also, as 66 a condition of probation, order the impoundment or 67 68 immobilization of all vehicles owned by the defendant at the time of impoundment or immobilization, for a period of 30 days 69 70 or for the unexpired term of any lease or rental agreement that 71 expires within 30 days. The impoundment or immobilization must 72 not occur concurrently with the incarceration of the defendant 73 and must occur concurrently with the driver's license revocation 74 imposed under s. 322.28(2)(a)2. The impoundment or 75 immobilization order may be dismissed in accordance with 76 paragraph (e), paragraph (f), paragraph (g), or paragraph (h). 77 At least 48 hours of confinement must be consecutive. 78 (C) For the third or subsequent conviction for an offense 79 that occurs within a period of 10 years after the date of a

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prior conviction for violation of this section, the court shall 80 81 order imprisonment for not less than 30 days. The court must 82 also, as a condition of probation, order the impoundment or 83 immobilization of all vehicles owned by the defendant at the time of impoundment or immobilization, for a period of 90 days 84 85 or for the unexpired term of any lease or rental agreement that expires within 90 days. The impoundment or immobilization shall 86 87 must not occur concurrently with the incarceration of the 88 defendant and shall must occur concurrently with the driver's 89 license revocation imposed under s. 322.28(2)(a)3. The 90 impoundment or immobilization order may be dismissed in 91 accordance with paragraph (e), paragraph (f), paragraph (g), or 92 paragraph (h). At least 48 hours of confinement must be consecutive. 93

(d) The court must at the time of sentencing the defendant 94 95 issue an order for the impoundment or immobilization of a 96 vehicle. Within 7 business days after the date that the court issues the order of impoundment or immobilization, the clerk of 97 the court must send notice by certified mail, return receipt 98 99 requested, to the registered owner of each vehicle, if the 100 registered owner is a person other than the defendant, and to 101 each person of record claiming a lien against the vehicle.

(e) A person who owns but was not operating the vehicle when the offense occurred may submit to the court a police report indicating that the vehicle was stolen at the time of the offense or documentation of having purchased the vehicle after the offense was committed from an entity other than the defendant or the defendant's agent. If the court finds that the Page 4 of 13

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vehicle was stolen or that the sale was not made to circumvent the order and allow the defendant continued access to the vehicle, the order must be dismissed and the owner of the vehicle will incur no costs. If the court denies the request to dismiss the order of impoundment or immobilization, the petitioner may request an evidentiary hearing.

A person who owns but was not operating the vehicle 114 (f) 115 when the offense occurred, and whose vehicle was stolen or who purchased the vehicle after the offense was committed directly 116 117 from the defendant or the defendant's agent, may request an 118 evidentiary hearing to determine whether the impoundment or immobilization should occur. If the court finds that either the 119 120 vehicle was stolen or the purchase was made without knowledge of the offense, that the purchaser had no relationship to the 121 122 defendant other than through the transaction, and that such purchase would not circumvent the order and allow the defendant 123 124 continued access to the vehicle, the order must be dismissed and the owner of the vehicle will incur no costs. 125

(g) The court shall also dismiss the order of impoundment or immobilization of the vehicle if the court finds that the family of the owner of the vehicle has no other private or public means of transportation.

(h) The court may also dismiss the order of impoundment or
immobilization of any vehicles that are owned by the defendant
but that are operated solely by the employees of the defendant
or any business owned by the defendant.

(i) All costs and fees for the impoundment or
 immobilization, including the cost of notification, must be paid
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by the owner of the vehicle or, if the vehicle is leased or rented, by the person leasing or renting the vehicle, unless the impoundment or immobilization order is dismissed. All provisions of s. 713.78 shall apply.

140 The person who owns a vehicle that is impounded or (i) 141 immobilized under this paragraph, or a person who has a lien of record against such a vehicle and who has not requested a review 142 143 of the impoundment pursuant to paragraph (e), paragraph (f), or 144 paragraph (g), may, within 10 days after the date that person 145 has knowledge of the location of the vehicle, file a complaint 146 in the county in which the owner resides to determine whether the vehicle was wrongfully taken or withheld from the owner or 147 148 lienholder. Upon the filing of a complaint, the owner or lienholder may have the vehicle released by posting with the 149 150 court a bond or other adequate security equal to the amount of 151 the costs and fees for impoundment or immobilization, including 152 towing or storage, to ensure the payment of such costs and fees if the owner or lienholder does not prevail. When the bond is 153 posted and the fee is paid as set forth in s. 28.24, the clerk 154 155 of the court shall issue a certificate releasing the vehicle. At 156 the time of release, after reasonable inspection, the owner or 157 lienholder must give a receipt to the towing or storage company 158 indicating any loss or damage to the vehicle or to the contents 159 of the vehicle.

(k) A defendant, in the court's discretion, may be
required to serve all or any portion of a term of imprisonment
to which the defendant has been sentenced pursuant to this
section in a residential alcoholism treatment program or a
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164 residential drug abuse treatment program. Any time spent in such 165 a program must be credited by the court toward the term of 166 imprisonment.

167 (1) For the fourth or subsequent conviction under 168 subparagraph (2)(b)3., the court shall order imprisonment for 169 not less than 2 years. There shall be no substitution of this 170 minimum mandatory term of imprisonment with treatment 171 alternatives. However, the court may, with the consent of the state, order the defendant to serve a minimum mandatory sentence 172 173 of 1 year of incarceration followed by a period of probation 174 during which the defendant must attend and successfully complete a residential alcohol treatment program, a residential drug 175 176 abuse treatment program, or be placed on community control. The court must also, as a condition of probation, order the 177 178 impoundment or immobilization of all vehicles owned by the 179 defendant at the time of impoundment or immobilization for a 180 period of 120 days or for the unexpired term of any lease or 181 rental agreement that expires within 120 days. The impoundment or immobilization shall not occur concurrently with the 182 183 incarceration of the defendant and shall occur concurrently with 184 the driver's license revocation imposed under s. 322.28. The 185 impoundment or immobilization order may be dismissed in accordance with paragraph (e), paragraph (f), paragraph (g), or 186 187 paragraph (h). At least 48 hours of confinement must be 188 consecutive. 189 For the purposes of this section, any conviction for a violation 190 of s. 327.35; a previous conviction for the violation of former 191

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s. 316.1931, former s. 860.01, or former s. 316.028; or a 192 previous conviction outside this state for driving under the 193 194 influence, driving while intoxicated, driving with an unlawful blood-alcohol level, driving with an unlawful breath-alcohol 195 196 level, or any other similar alcohol-related or drug-related 197 traffic offense, is also considered a previous conviction for violation of this section. However, in satisfaction of the fine 198 199 imposed pursuant to this section, the court may, upon a finding 200 that the defendant is financially unable to pay either all or 201 part of the fine, order that the defendant participate for a 202 specified additional period of time in public service or a community work project in lieu of payment of that portion of the 203 204 fine which the court determines the defendant is unable to pay. In determining such additional sentence, the court shall 205 206 consider the amount of the unpaid portion of the fine and the reasonable value of the services to be ordered; however, the 207 208 court may not compute the reasonable value of services at a rate less than the federal minimum wage at the time of sentencing. 209 Notwithstanding s. 921.241, every judgment of 210 (13) (a) 211 guilty with respect to any offense governed by this section 212 shall comply with this subsection. Each judgment shall be in

writing, signed by the judge, and recorded by the clerk of the circuit court. The judge shall cause to be affixed to every such written judgment of guilty, in open court and in the presence of such judge, the fingerprints of the defendant against whom such judgment is rendered. Such fingerprints shall be affixed beneath the judge's signature to any such judgment. Beneath such

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219	fingerprints shall be appended a certificate in substantially
220	the following form:
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222	"I hereby certify that the above and foregoing fingerprints are
223	of the defendant, (name) , and that they were placed thereon by
224	said defendant in my presence, in open court, this the day
225	of (month) (year) ."
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227	Such certificate shall be signed by the judge, whose signature
228	thereto shall be followed by the word "Judge."
229	(b) Any such written judgment of guilty, or a certified
230	copy thereof, shall be admissible in evidence in the courts of
231	this state as prima facie evidence that the fingerprints
232	appearing thereon and certified by the judge are the
233	fingerprints of the defendant against whom such judgment of
234	guilty was rendered.
235	(c) At the time the defendant's fingerprints are taken,
236	the judge shall also cause the defendant's social security
237	number to be taken. The defendant's social security number shall
238	be affixed to every written judgment of guilty, in open court,
239	in the presence of such judge, and at the time the judgment is
240	rendered. If the defendant is unable or unwilling to provide his
241	or her social security number, the reason for its absence shall
242	be indicated on the written judgment.
243	Section 2. Paragraphs (a) and (c) of subsection (6) of
244	section 327.35, Florida Statutes, are amended, paragraphs (j)
245	and (k) are added to that subsection, and subsection (11) is
246	added to that section, to read:

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247 327.35 Boating under the influence; penalties; "designated
248 drivers".--

249 250 (6) With respect to any person convicted of a violation of subsection (1), regardless of any other penalty imposed:

251 For the first conviction, the court shall place the (a) 252 defendant on probation for a period not to exceed 1 year and, as a condition of such probation, shall order the defendant to 253 254 participate in public service or a community work project for a 255 minimum of 50 hours. The court must also, as a condition of 256 probation, order the impoundment or immobilization of the vessel 257 that was operated by or in the actual control of the defendant or any one vehicle registered in the defendant's name at the 258 259 time of impoundment or immobilization, for a period of 10 days or for the unexpired term of any lease or rental agreement that 260 261 expires within 10 days. The impoundment or immobilization must 262 not occur concurrently with the incarceration of the defendant. 263 The impoundment or immobilization order may be dismissed in accordance with paragraph (e) or paragraph (f). The total period 264 265 of probation and incarceration may not exceed 1 year.

266 For the third or subsequent conviction for an offense (C) 267 that occurs within a period of 10 years after the date of a 268 prior conviction for violation of this section, the court shall 269 order imprisonment for not less than 30 days. The court must also, as a condition of probation, order the impoundment or 270 271 immobilization of the vessel that was operated by or in the 272 actual control of the defendant or any one vehicle registered in 273 the defendant's name at the time of impoundment or immobilization, for a period of 90 days or for the unexpired 274 Page 10 of 13

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term of any lease or rental agreement that expires within 90 days. The impoundment or immobilization <u>shall</u> must not occur concurrently with the incarceration of the defendant. The impoundment or immobilization order may be dismissed in accordance with paragraph (e) or paragraph (f). At least 48 hours of confinement must be consecutive.

281 (j) For the fourth or subsequent conviction under 282 subparagraph (2)(b)3., the court shall order imprisonment for 283 not less than 2 years. There shall be no substitution of this 284 minimum mandatory term of imprisonment with treatment alternatives. However, the court may, with the consent of the 285 state, order the defendant to serve a minimum mandatory sentence 286 287 of 1 year of incarceration followed by a period of probation 288 during which the defendant must attend and successfully complete 289 a residential alcohol treatment program, a residential drug 290 abuse treatment program, or be placed on community control. The 291 court must also, as a condition of probation, order the impoundment or immobilization of the vessel that was operated by 292 293 or in the actual control of the defendant or any one vehicle 294 registered in the defendant's name at the time of impoundment or 295 immobilization for a period of 120 days or for the unexpired 296 term of any lease or rental agreement that expires within 120 297 days. The impoundment or immobilization shall not occur concurrently with the incarceration of the defendant. The 298 impoundment or immobilization order may be dismissed in 299 accordance with paragraph (e) or paragraph (f). At least 48 300 301 hours of confinement must be consecutive.

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302	(k) A person who owns but was not operating the vessel
303	when an offense under this section occurred may request an
304	evidentiary hearing to determine whether the impoundment or
305	immobilization should occur. If the court finds that the owner
306	was unaware of the defendant's prior conviction and sentence
307	under paragraph (a), paragraph (b), paragraph (c), or paragraph
308	(j) or if the court finds that there are other mitigating
309	circumstances that should allow the owner of the vessel to
310	secure the release of the vessel to the owner's possession, the
311	court may do so by dismissing the order of impoundment or
312	immobilization with or without cost to the vessel owner.
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314	For the purposes of this section, any conviction for a violation
315	of s. 316.193, a previous conviction for the violation of former
316	s. 316.1931, former s. 860.01, or former s. 316.028, or a
317	previous conviction outside this state for driving under the
318	influence, driving while intoxicated, driving with an unlawful
319	blood-alcohol level, driving with an unlawful breath-alcohol
320	level, or any other similar alcohol-related or drug-related
321	traffic offense, is also considered a previous conviction for
322	violation of this section.
323	(11) (a) Notwithstanding s. 921.241, every judgment of
324	guilty with respect to any offense governed by this section
325	shall comply with this subsection. Each judgment shall be in
326	writing, signed by the judge, and recorded by the clerk of the
327	circuit court. The judge shall cause to be affixed to every such
328	written judgment of guilty, in open court and in the presence of
329	such judge, the fingerprints of the defendant against whom such
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330	judgment is rendered. Such fingerprints shall be affixed beneath
331	the judge's signature to any such judgment. Beneath such
332	fingerprints shall be appended a certificate in substantially
333	the following form:
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335	"I hereby certify that the above and foregoing fingerprints are
336	of the defendant, (name) , and that they were placed thereon by
337	said defendant in my presence, in open court, this the day
338	of _(month) (year) ."
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340	Such certificate shall be signed by the judge, whose signature
341	thereto shall be followed by the word "Judge."
342	(b) Any such written judgment of guilty, or a certified
343	copy thereof, shall be admissible in evidence in the courts of
344	this state as prima facie evidence that the fingerprints
345	appearing thereon and certified by the judge are the
346	fingerprints of the defendant against whom such judgment of
347	guilty was rendered.
348	(c) At the time the defendant's fingerprints are taken,
349	the judge shall also cause the defendant's social security
350	number to be taken. The defendant's social security number shall
351	be affixed to every written judgment of guilty, in open court,
352	in the presence of such judge, and at the time the judgment is
353	rendered. If the defendant is unable or unwilling to provide his
354	or her social security number, the reason for its absence shall
355	be indicated on the written judgment.
356	Section 3. This act shall take effect October 1, 2006, and
357	shall apply to offenses committed on or after that date.
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