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CHAMBER ACTION

<u>Senate</u>	.	<u>House</u>
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3/25/2008	.	
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1 The Committee on Commerce (Oelrich) recommended the following  
 2 **amendment:**

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 4 **Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

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 6 On line 13  
 7 insert:

8 Section 1. Section 257.192, Florida Statutes, is amended to  
 9 read:

10 257.192 Program grants.--The Division of Library and  
 11 Information Services is authorized to accept and administer  
 12 appropriations for library program grants and to make such grants  
 13 in accordance with the Florida long-range plan for library  
 14 services. All public libraries are encouraged to adopt an  
 15 Internet safety education program, including the implementation  
 16 of a computer-based educational program, which has been endorsed  
 17 by a United States government-sanctioned law enforcement agency



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18 or other reputable organization and is designed for children and  
 19 adults. The purpose of the Internet safety education program is  
 20 to promote the use of prudent online deoportment and broaden  
 21 awareness of online predators. The program shall be interactive  
 22 and age appropriate. Each library shall annually report to the  
 23 division the annual number of users who complete the education  
 24 program. By January 1, 2009, the division shall adopt rules for  
 25 rewarding each library in the program grant application process  
 26 for which 1 percent or more of its annual number of users, based  
 27 on the total number of registered borrowers from the preceding  
 28 year, have completed the education program adopted by the  
 29 library. Users completing the program as a result of strategic  
 30 partnerships or collaboration between the library and other  
 31 entities shall be integrated into the library's annual report.  
 32 The division shall adopt rules to allocate 10 percent of the  
 33 total points available in the library services and technology  
 34 grant application evaluation process to public libraries that are  
 35 in compliance with this section, beginning with the grant  
 36 application cycle for the 2010-2011 fiscal year.

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 38 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

39 And the title is amended as follows:

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 41 On line 3, after the first semicolon,  
 42 insert:  
 43 amending s. 257.192, F.S.; encouraging all public  
 44 libraries to implement an Internet safety education  
 45 program for children and adults; providing minimum  
 46 requirements for the program; requiring libraries to  
 47 annually report to the Division of Library and Information



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48 | Services of the Department of State the number of users  
49 | who complete the program; requiring the division adopt  
50 | rules to award additional points to grant applicants  
51 | implementing such a program;