

CHAMBER ACTION

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The Committee on Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations (Webster) recommended the following substitute for amendment (354226):

Senate Amendment

Delete line(s) 2198-2226 and insert:

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- (8) Based on the determination of the hearing officer pursuant to subsection (7) for both informal hearings under subsection (4) and formal hearings under subsection (6), the department shall:
- 14 a first refusal, or permanently if such person has been 15 previously disqualified from operating a commercial motor vehicle
 - as a result of a refusal to submit to such tests. The

Sustain the disqualification for a period of 1 year for



disqualification period commences on the date of the arrest or issuance of the notice of disqualification, whichever is later.

- (b) Sustain the disqualification:
- 1. For a period of 6 months if the person was driving or in actual physical control of a commercial motor vehicle, or any motor vehicle if the driver holds a commercial driver's license, and had an unlawful blood-alcohol level or breath-alcohol level of 0.08 or higher; for a violation of s. 316.193 or
- 2. For for a period of 1 year if the person has been previously disqualified from operating a commercial motor vehicle or his or her driving privilege has been previously suspended for driving or being in actual physical control of a commercial motor vehicle, or any motor vehicle if the driver holds a commercial driver's license, and had an unlawful blood-alcohol level or breath-alcohol level of 0.08 or higher as a result of a violation of s. 316.193.

The disqualification period commences on the date of the arrest or issuance of the notice of disqualification, whichever is later.

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