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

Senate Amendment

Delete line(s) 2198-2246

and insert:

(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:

(a) Sustain the disqualification for a period of 1 year for a first refusal, or permanently if such person has been previously disqualified from operating a commercial motor vehicle as a result of a refusal to submit to such tests. The disqualification period commences on the date of the arrest or issuance of the notice of disqualification, whichever is later.

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(b) Sustain the disqualification:

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18 <u>1.</u> For a period of 6 months <u>if the person was driving or in</u> 19 <u>actual physical control of a commercial motor vehicle, or any</u> 20 <u>motor vehicle if the driver holds a commercial driver's license,</u> 21 <u>and had an unlawful blood-alcohol level or breath-alcohol level</u> 22 of 0.08 or higher; for a violation of s. 316.193 or

23 2. For for a period of 1 year if the person has been 24 previously disqualified from operating a commercial motor vehicle or his or her driving privilege has been previously suspended for 25 26 driving or being in actual physical control of a commercial motor 27 vehicle, or any motor vehicle if the driver holds a commercial driver's license, and had an unlawful blood-alcohol level or 28 29 breath-alcohol level of 0.08 or higher as a result of a violation 30 of s. 316.193.

32 The disqualification period commences on the date of the arrest 33 or issuance of the notice of disqualification, whichever is 34 later.

35 (9) A request for a formal review hearing or an informal 36 review hearing shall not stay the disqualification. If the department fails to schedule the formal review hearing to be held 37 within 30 days after receipt of the request therefor, the 38 department shall invalidate the disqualification. If the 39 40 scheduled hearing is continued at the department's initiative, 41 the department shall issue a temporary driving permit limited to 42 noncommercial vehicles which is shall be valid until the hearing is conducted if the person is otherwise eligible for the driving 43 44 privilege. Such permit shall not be issued to a person who sought 45 and obtained a continuance of the hearing. The permit issued under this subsection shall authorize driving for business 46 47 purposes or employment use only.

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48	(10) A person who is disqualified from operating a
49	commercial motor vehicle under subsection (1) or subsection (3)
50	is eligible for issuance of a license for business or employment
51	purposes only under s. 322.271 if the person is otherwise
52	eligible for the driving privilege. However, such business or
53	employment purposes license shall not authorize the driver to
54	operate a commercial motor vehicle.
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