

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

Comm: RCS 04/06/2009

The Committee on Community Affairs (Altman) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 49 - 68

and insert:

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(3) (a) As used in this subsection, the term "seasonal delivery personnel" means employees of a licensed commercial delivery service, having at least 10,000 persons employed in Florida, when delivering express envelopes and packages in a vehicle having a maximum size of 130 inches for the combined length and girth and weighing not more than 150 pounds for that service during the time period specified in paragraph (b).



(b) Seasonal delivery personnel are authorized to use lowspeed vehicles and utility vehicles as defined in s. 320.01 upon any public road within a residential area that has a speed limit of up to 35 miles per hour for the purpose of delivering goods sent through a delivery service. Such personnel are authorized to use golf carts and modified carts upon a public road within a residential area that has a speed limit of up to 30 miles per hour. Such personnel are also authorized to use golf carts and modified carts within areas that have a speed limit of up to 35 miles per hour unless a municipality having jurisdiction over such public roads enacts an ordinance restricting personnel from driving on roads that have a speed limit of up to 35 miles per hour.

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As used in this subsection, the term "residential area" means areas zoned primarily and exclusively for single-family or multifamily residential use. As used in this subsection, the term "golf cart" means a motor vehicle as defined in s. 320.01(22), including vehicles modified to have a cargo platform or bin to transport parcels or a hitch to tow a trailer. Such vehicles must be marked in some manner with the name of the delivery service. A trailer may be pulled by the vehicle. Vehicles used pursuant to this subsection may be operated after sunset if, in addition to the safety requirements in s. 316.212(6), they are equipped with suitable headlamps and tail lamps. This authorization applies to deliveries made from midnight October 15 until midnight December 31 of each year.

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41	And the title is amended as follows:
42	Delete lines 3 - 4
43	and insert:
44	316.2126, F.S.; defining the terms "seasonal delivery
45	personnel," "residential area," and "golf cart";
46	authorizing the use of golf carts,