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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate

House

The Committee on Finance and Tax (Altman) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment to Amendment (224676) (with title amendment)

Delete lines 897 - 930

and insert:

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(2) The department shall request information and assistance from a financial institution as necessary to enforce the tax laws of the state. (a) Financial institutions doing business in the state and

having deposits of \$50 million or more shall enter into

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12	agreements with the department to develop and operate a data
13	match system, using an automated data exchange to the maximum
14	extent feasible, in which the financial institution must provide
15	for each calendar quarter the name, record address, social
16	security number or other taxpayer identification number, average
17	daily account balance, and other identifying information for:
18	1. Each obligor who maintains an account at the financial
19	institution as identified to the institution by the department
20	by name and social security number or other taxpayer
21	identification number; or
22	2. At the financial institution's option, each person who
23	maintains an account at the institution.
24	(b) The department may pursue agreements described in
25	paragraph (a) with financial institutions doing business in this
26	state which have less than \$50 million in deposits.
27	(3) The department may use the information received
28	pursuant to this section only for the purpose of enforcing the
29	collection of taxes and fees administered by the department.
30	(4) The department shall, to the extent possible and in
31	compliance with state and federal law, administer this section
32	in conjunction with s. 409.25657 in order to avoid duplication
33	and reduce the burden on financial institutions.
34	(5) The department shall pay a reasonable fee to the
35	financial institution for conducting the data match provided for
36	in this section, which may not exceed actual costs incurred by
37	the financial institution.
38	(6) A financial institution is not required to provide
39	notice to its customers and is not liable to any person for:
40	(a) Disclosing to the department any information required

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41	under this section.
42	(b) Encumbering or surrendering any assets held by the
43	financial institution in response to a notice of lien or levy
44	issued by the department.
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47	And the title is amended as follows:
48	Delete line 1938
49	and insert:
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51	enter into information-sharing agreement with certain