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Proposed Committee Substitute by the Committee on General Government Appropriations

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to recreational licenses; amending ss. 379.3511 and 379.352, F.S.; exempting the shoreline fishing license from a charge imposed to compensate the subagent or tax collector issuing the license; authorizing the subagent or tax collector to retain a portion of certain other license proceeds; amending s. 379.354, F.S.; removing the fee for an annual resident shoreline fishing license; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Paragraph (e) of subsection (1) of section
379.3511, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

.6 379.3511 Appointment of subagents for the sale of hunting, .7 fishing, and trapping licenses and permits.-

(1) Subagents shall serve at the pleasure of the commission. The commission may establish, by rule, procedures for the selection and appointment of subagents. The following are requirements for subagents so appointed:

(e) A subagent may charge and receive as his or her compensation 50 cents for each license or permit sold. This charge is in addition to the sum required by law to be collected for the sale and issuance of each license or permit. <u>This charge</u> <u>does not apply to the shoreline fishing license; however, for</u> <u>each shoreline fishing license issued, the subagent may retain</u>

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## 28 <u>50 cents from other license proceeds otherwise due the</u>

29 commission.

30 Section 2. Subsection (5) of section 379.352, Florida 31 Statutes, is amended to read:

32 379.352 Recreational licenses, permits, and authorization 33 numbers to take wild animal life, freshwater aquatic life, and 34 marine life; issuance; costs; reporting.-

(5) In addition to any license or permit fee, the sum of \$1.50 shall be charged for each license or management area permit, except for replacement licenses, to cover the cost of issuing such license or permit. This charge does not apply to the shoreline fishing license; however, for each shoreline fishing license issued, the tax collector may retain 50 cents from other license proceeds otherwise due the commission.

42 Section 3. Paragraph (k) of subsection (4) of section43 379.354, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

44 379.354 Recreational licenses, permits, and authorization 45 numbers; fees established.—

46 (4) RESIDENT HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES.—The licenses and
47 fees for residents participating in hunting and fishing
48 activities in this state are as follows:

(k) Annual resident shoreline fishing license, \$7.50. An
The annual resident shoreline fishing license shall be issued
without fee to allow allows any resident to saltwater fish from
land or from a structure fixed to the land. This license is not
required for any resident issued any other license identified in
this section which that allows the taking of saltwater fish.
Section 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010.