

THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE



May 5, 2011

The Honorable Mike Haridopolos
President of the Senate

The Honorable Dean Cannon
Speaker, House of Representatives

Dear Mr. President and Mr. Speaker:

Your Conference Committee on the disagreeing votes of the two houses on SB 2160, same being:

An act relating to the Department of Highway Safety and
Motor Vehicles.

having met, and after full and free conference, do recommend to their respective houses as follows:

1. That the House of Representatives recede from its Amendment 1.
2. That the Senate and House of Representatives adopt the Conference Committee Amendment attached hereto, and by reference made a part of this report.

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The Conference Committee Amendment for SB 2160, relating to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, provides for the following:

- Creates the Division of Motorist Services within the department;
- Transfers the Office of Motor Carrier Compliance sworn law enforcement officers and administrative personnel from the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT);
- Allows the department to contract with a vendor to outsource the online sale of crash records;
- Authorizes revenue sharing with county tax collectors on the issuance of driver's license replacement and identification cards, beginning July 1, 2015, when the those services are provided by the tax collector;
- Creates a Law Enforcement Consolidation Task Force to evaluate the duplication of law enforcement functions throughout state government;
- Directs the department to contract with providers for online traffic law and substance abuse education courses to serve as third party provider for online examinations for Class E learner's driver's license; and
- Provides an effective date of July 1, 2011.