

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

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Senator Evers moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 1324 - 1348 and insert:

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Section 15. Subsections (1) and (2) of section 526.203, Florida Statutes, are amended, and subsections (5) and (6) are added to that section, to read:

526.203 Renewable fuel standard.

- (1) DEFINITIONS.—As used in this act, the term:
- (a) "Alternative fuel" means a fuel produced from biomass, as defined in s. 366.91, which is used to replace or reduce the quantity of fossil fuel present in a petroleum fuel that meets the specifications as adopted by the department.



(b) (a) "Blender," "importer," "terminal supplier," and "wholesaler" are defined as provided in s. 206.01.

- (c) (b) "Blended gasoline" means a mixture of 90 to 91 percent gasoline and 9 to 10 percent fuel ethanol or other alternative fuel, by volume, which that meets the specifications as adopted by the department. The fuel ethanol or other alternative fuel portion may be derived from any agricultural source.
- (d) (e) "Fuel ethanol" means an anhydrous denatured alcohol produced by the conversion of carbohydrates which that meets the specifications as adopted by the department.
- (e) (d) "Unblended gasoline" means gasoline that has not been blended with fuel ethanol or other alternative fuel and that meets the specifications as adopted by the department.
- (2) FUEL STANDARD.—Beginning December 31, 2010, all gasoline sold or offered for sale in Florida by a terminal supplier, importer, blender must, or wholesaler shall be blended gasoline.
- (5) This section does not prohibit a terminal supplier, importer, wholesaler, or retail dealer, as defined in s. 206.01, from selling or offering to sell unblended gasoline.

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41 42 the term "alternative fuel"; removing the requirement that a terminal supplier, importer, or wholesaler sell or offer for sale exclusively blended gasoline;



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