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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate

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Senator Bennett moved the following:

Senate Amendment to Amendment (298476)

Delete lines 21 - 54

and insert:

in the English language, in which 25 percent of the content is news and editorial in nature, and whose total minimum circulation of greater than 2,500 is biannually audited and certified in an affidavit by an independent third-party auditor approved by the Community Papers of Florida, the Florida Community Paper Advertising Network, the Florida Press Association, or a similarly sanctioned organization recognized by the newspaper industry or entered or qualified to be admitted and entered as periodicals matter at a post office in the county



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14 where published, ~~for sale to the public generally, available to~~
15 ~~the public generally~~ for the publication of official or other
16 notices and customarily containing information of a public
17 character or of interest or of value to the residents or owners
18 of property in the county where published, or of interest or of
19 value to the general public.

20 Section 2. Section 50.031, Florida Statutes, is amended to
21 read:

22 50.031 Newspapers in which legal notices and process may be
23 published.—No notice or publication required to be published in
24 a newspaper in the nature of or in lieu of process of any kind,
25 nature, character or description provided for under any law of
26 the state, whether heretofore or hereafter enacted, and whether
27 pertaining to constructive service, or the initiating, assuming,
28 reviewing, exercising or enforcing jurisdiction or power, by any
29 court in this state, or any notice of sale of property, real or
30 personal, for taxes, state, county or municipal, or sheriff's,
31 guardian's or administrator's or any sale made pursuant to any
32 judicial order, decree or statute or any other publication or
33 notice pertaining to any affairs of the state, or any county,
34 municipality or other political subdivision thereof, shall be
35 deemed to have been published in accordance with the statutes
36 providing for such publication, unless the same shall have been
37 published for the prescribed period of time required for such
38 publication, in a newspaper which at the time of such
39 publication shall have been in existence for 1 year, in which 25
40 percent of the content is news and editorial in nature, and
41 whose total minimum circulation of greater than 2,500 is
42 biannually audited and certified in an affidavit