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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

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The Committee on Health Policy (Grimsley) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 47 - 70

and insert:

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Study Task Force. Workforce Florida, Inc., shall provide administrative and staff support services relating to the functions of the task force. The task force shall organize by September 1, 2013. The task force shall be composed of 11 members. The Director of Workforce Florida, Inc., shall serve as a member and chair of the task force. The Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint one member who is an economist with a background in business economics. The President of the

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Senate shall appoint one member who is a physician licensed under chapter 458 or chapter 459 with at least 5 years of experience in the active practice of medicine. In addition, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall each appoint four additional members to the task force. The four appointments from the President of the Senate and the four appointments from the Speaker of the House of Representatives must each include:

- 1. A member of the Legislature.
- 2. An owner of a business in this state which employs fewer than 50 people.
- 3. An owner or representative of a business in this state which employs more than 50 people.
- 4. A representative of an organization who represents the nonmanagement employees of a business.
- (b) Members of the task force shall serve without compensation, but are entitled to reimbursement for per diem and travel expenses in accordance with s. 112.061.
- (c) The purpose of the task force is to analyze employersponsored family or medical leave benefits and the impact of state preemption of the regulation of such benefits. The task force shall develop a report that includes its findings and recommendations for legislative action regarding the regulation of family or medical leave benefits. The task force shall submit the report to the Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by January 15, 2014.
 - (d) This subsection is repealed June 30, 2014.

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42 And the title is amended as follows: 43 Delete lines 9 - 10 and insert: 44 directing Workforce Florida, Inc., to provide 45 46 administrative and staff support services for the task 47 force; establishing the purpose and composition of the task force; providing for reimbursement for per diem 48 and travel expenses; requiring the task force to 49 submit a report to 50