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The Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation (Dean) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with directory and title amendments)

Delete lines 42 - 51

and insert:

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(5) "Flowback Fluid" means a water based solution that flows back to the surface during and after completion of well

7 stimulation.

<u>(6)</u> "Gas" means all natural gas, including casinghead gas, and all other hydrocarbons not defined as oil in subsection (16)  $\frac{(15)}{(15)}$ .

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| 11 | (8) "Well stimulation" means a well intervention performed       |
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| 12 | by injecting fluids into a rock formation in order to increase   |
| 13 | production at an oil or gas well by improving flow of            |
| 14 | hydrocarbons from the formation into the wellbore. Well          |
| 15 | stimulation does not include routine well cleaning that does not |
| 16 | affect the integrity of the well or formation.                   |
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| 18 | ===== DIRECTORY CLAUSE AMENDMENT ======                          |
| 19 | And the directory clause is amended as follows:                  |
| 20 | Delete lines 35 - 39   |
| 21 | and insert:  |
| 22 | Section 1. Present subsection (5) of section 377.19,             |
| 23 | Florida Statutes, is amended and redesignated as subsection (6), |
| 24 | present subsections (6) through (32) of that section are         |
| 25 | redesignated as subsections (8) through (34), respectively, and  |
| 26 | new subsections (5) and (7) are added to that section, to read:  |
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| 28 | ======================================                           |
| 29 | And the title is amended as follows:                             |
| 30 | Delete line 6  |
| 31 | and insert:  |
| 32 | the terms "flowback fluid" and "well stimulation;"               |
| 33 | amending s.  |
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