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| COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE | ACTION |
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| ADOPTED | (Y/N) |
| ADOPTED AS AMENDED | (Y/N) |
| ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION | (Y/N) |
| FAILED TO ADOPT | (Y/N) |
| WITHDRAWN | (Y/N) |
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Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Health Quality Subcommittee

Representative Roberson, K. offered the following:

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Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert: Section 1. Subsection (5) of section 483.181, Florida

8 Statutes, is amended to read:

9 483.181 Acceptance, collection, identification, and 10 examination of specimens.-

11 A clinical laboratory licensed under this part must (5) 12 make its services available to accept a human specimen submitted for examination by a practitioner licensed under chapter 458, 13 chapter 459, chapter 460, chapter 461, chapter 462, chapter 463, 14 15 s. 464.012, or chapter 466, if the specimen and test are the 16 type performed by the clinical laboratory. A clinical laboratory may only refuse a specimen based upon a history of nonpayment 17 911741 - h0655-strike.docx

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18 for services by the practitioner. A clinical laboratory shall 19 not charge different prices for <u>its services</u> tests based upon 20 the chapter under which a practitioner submitting a specimen for 21 testing is licensed.

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- Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.
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TITLE AMENDMENT

Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert: An act relating to clinical laboratories; amending s. 483.181, F.S.; requiring clinical laboratories to make their services available to specified licensed practitioners; prohibiting such clinical laboratories from charging different prices for its services based on the type of license a practitioner has; making a technical change; providing an effective date.

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