

The Florida Senate
HOUSE MESSAGE SUMMARY

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BILL: SB 1412
INTRODUCER: Senator Simmons
SUBJECT: Conditions of Pretrial Release
DATE: March 8, 2016

I. Amendments Contained in Message:

House Amendment – 179103 (body with title)

II. Summary of Amendments Contained in Message:

House Amendment 1 makes organizational changes to the bill which clarify that the duty of a defendant to avoid contact with a victim is contingent upon the issuance of a “no contact” order. As in the bill, the amendment allows, but does not require, a court to issue a no contact order to a defendant who is released on pretrial release.