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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate

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House

The Committee on Appropriations (Bradley) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Before line 64

insert:

Section 1. Section 559.715, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

559.715 Assignment of consumer debts.—This part does not prohibit the assignment, by a creditor, of the right to bill and collect a consumer debt. However, the assignee must give the debtor written notice of such assignment as soon as practical



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11 after the assignment is made, but at least 30 days before
12 bringing any legal action to collect the debt. The assignee is a
13 real party in interest and may bring an action to collect a debt
14 that has been assigned to the assignee and is in default.

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16 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

17 And the title is amended as follows:

18 Delete line 2

19 and insert:

20 An act relating to consumer finance; amending s.
21 559.715, F.S.; revising a requirement for an assignee
22 of the right to bill and collect a consumer debt to
23 give the debtor written notice of the assignment;