Florida Senate - 2018 Bill No. SB 926



LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate Comm: RCS 02/20/2018 House

Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax (Broxson) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 45 - 63

and insert:

determined pursuant to this paragraph. <u>Before January 1, 2024,</u> <u>and each year thereafter</u> Each calendar year, the department shall determine the tax rate applicable to the sale of natural gas fuel for the following 12-month period beginning January 1, rounded to the nearest tenth of a cent, by adjusting the <u>initially established</u> tax rate of 5.8 cents per gallon by the

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11 percentage change in the average of the Consumer Price Index 12 issued by the United States Department of Labor for the most 13 recent 12-month period ending September 30, compared to the base 14 year average, which is the average for the 12-month period 15 ending September 30, 2013.

16 (e)1. An additional tax is imposed on each motor fuel 17 equivalent gallon of natural gas fuel for the privilege of 18 selling natural gas fuel. Before January 1, 2024, and each year 19 thereafter Each calendar year, the department shall determine 20 the tax rate applicable to the sale of natural gas fuel, rounded to the nearest tenth of a cent, for the following 12-month 21 22 period beginning January 1, . The tax rate is calculated by 23 adjusting the initially established tax rate of 9.2 cents per 24 gallon by the percentage change in the average of the Consumer 25 Price Index issued by the United States Department of Labor for 26 the most recent 12-month period ending September 30, compared to 27 the base year average, which is the average for the 12-month 28 period ending September 30, 2013.

30 31 And the title is amended as follows: 32

Between lines 5 and 6

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revising the calculation of certain taxes by the Department of Revenue;