

Amendment No. 6

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED                                        (Y/N)  
ADOPTED AS AMENDED                        (Y/N)  
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION                    (Y/N)  
FAILED TO ADOPT                            (Y/N)  
WITHDRAWN                                   (Y/N)  
OTHER                                           

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1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Health & Human Services  
2 Committee

3 Representative Burton offered the following:

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5            **Amendment (with title amendment)**

6            Between lines 1019 and 1020, insert:

7            Section 1. Section 466.031, Florida Statutes, is amended  
8 to read:

9            466.031    "Dental laboratories laboratory" defined.—

10            (1) As used in this chapter, the term "dental laboratory"  
11 ~~as used in this chapter:~~

12            ~~(1)~~ includes any person, firm, or corporation that ~~who~~  
13 performs for a fee of any kind, gratuitously, or otherwise,  
14 directly or through an agent or an employee, by any means or  
15 method, or ~~who in any way~~ supplies or manufactures artificial  
16 substitutes for the natural teeth; ~~or who~~ furnishes, supplies,

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17 constructs, or reproduces or repairs any prosthetic denture,  
18 bridge, or appliance to be worn in the human mouth; or ~~who~~ in  
19 any way represents ~~holds~~ itself ~~out~~ as a dental laboratory.

20 ~~(2) The term does not include a~~ ~~Excludes any~~ dental  
21 laboratory technician who constructs or repairs dental  
22 prosthetic appliances in the office of a licensed dentist  
23 exclusively for that ~~such~~ dentist ~~only~~ and under her or his  
24 supervision and work order.

25 (2) An employee or independent contractor of a dental  
26 laboratory, acting as an agent of that dental laboratory, may  
27 engage in onsite consultation with a licensed dentist during a  
28 dental procedure.

29 Section 2. Section 466.036, Florida Statutes, is amended  
30 to read:

31 466.036 Information; periodic inspections; equipment and  
32 supplies.—The department may require from the applicant for a  
33 registration certificate to operate a dental laboratory any  
34 information necessary to carry out the purpose of this chapter,  
35 including proof that the applicant has the equipment and  
36 supplies necessary to operate as determined by rule of the  
37 department, and shall require periodic inspection of all dental  
38 laboratories operating in this state at least once each biennial  
39 registration period. Such inspections must ~~shall~~ include, but  
40 need not be limited to, inspection of sanitary conditions,  
41 equipment, supplies, and facilities on the premises. The

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42 department shall specify dental equipment and supplies that are  
43 not allowed ~~permitted~~ in a registered dental laboratory.

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Between lines 36 and 37, insert:

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466.031, F.S.; making technical changes; authorizing an employee

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or an independent contractor of a dental laboratory, acting as

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an agent of that dental laboratory, to engage in onsite

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consultation with a licensed dentist during a dental procedure;

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amending s. 466.036, F.S.; revising the frequency of dental

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laboratory inspections during a specified period; amending s.