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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WITHDRAWN _____ (Y/N)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 _____

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Transportation & Tourism
2 Appropriations Subcommittee

3 Representative Fine offered the following:

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5 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

6 Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

7 Section 1. Section 316.0756, Florida Statutes, is created
8 to read:

9 316.0756 Traffic control devices at crosswalks.-

10 (1) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, only a
11 pedestrian crosswalk that is located on a public highway,
12 street, or road that has no more than two lanes and for which
13 the speed limit is 35 miles per hour or less may be controlled
14 by yellow rectangular rapid flashing beacon traffic control
15 devices.

16 (2) The Legislature shall request that the Federal

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17 Government allow existing yellow rectangular rapid flashing
18 beacon traffic control devices at each crosswalk described in
19 subsection (1) to be replaced by red rectangular rapid flashing
20 beacon traffic control devices. If the Federal Government grants
21 such request, all yellow rectangular rapid flashing beacon
22 traffic control devices at each such crosswalk shall be replaced
23 by red rectangular rapid flashing beacon traffic control devices
24 within 12 months. If the Federal Government does not grant such
25 request, the entity with jurisdiction over a public highway,
26 street, or road with a crosswalk that does not meet the
27 requirements of subsection (1) which is in existence on July 1,
28 2020, shall ensure that, by October 1, 2024, all rectangular
29 rapid flashing beacon traffic control devices are removed from
30 such crosswalk. The entity with jurisdiction may alternatively
31 completely remove such crosswalk or retrofit the crosswalk with
32 legally acceptable equipment.

33 Section 2. The Legislature finds and declares that this
34 act fulfills an important state interest.

35 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2020.

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38 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

39 Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert:

40 A bill to be entitled

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41 An act relating to traffic and pedestrian safety;
42 creating s. 316.0756, F.S.; specifying pedestrian
43 crosswalks that may be controlled by yellow
44 rectangular rapid flashing beacon traffic control
45 devices; requiring the Legislature to request that the
46 Federal Government allow replacement of yellow
47 rectangular rapid flashing beacon traffic control
48 devices with red rectangular rapid flashing beacon
49 traffic control devices; providing requirements for
50 replacement or removal of rectangular rapid flashing
51 beacon traffic control devices based on the decision
52 of the Federal Government regarding such request;
53 providing a declaration of important state interest;
54 providing an effective date.