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COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE	ACTION
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Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Commerce Committee Representative Barnaby offered the following:

4 Substitute Amendment for Amendment (830317) by 5 Representative Botana 6 Remove lines 20-44 and insert: 7 Section 1. Subsection (18) of section 633.202, Florida 8 Statutes, is amended to read: 9 633.202 Florida Fire Prevention Code.-10 (18) The authority having jurisdiction shall determine the 11 minimum radio signal strength for fire department communications 12 in all new high-rise and existing high-rise buildings. Two-way radio communication enhancement systems may be used to comply 13 with minimum radio signal strength requirements. However, two-14 way radio communication enhancement systems and similar systems 15 16 shall not be required in apartments or buildings that are four 370097 - h0415-substitute amendment.docx Published On: 4/6/2021 11:56:18 AM

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17 stories or less in height. Existing buildings are not required to comply with minimum radio strength for fire department 18 19 communications and two-way radio system enhancement 20 communications as required by the Florida Fire Prevention Code 21 until January 1, 2025 2022. However, by January 1 December 31, 22 2024 2019, an existing building that is not in compliance with 23 the requirements for minimum radio strength for fire department 24 communications must apply for an appropriate permit for the required installation with the local government agency having 25 jurisdiction and must demonstrate that the building will become 26 27 compliant by January 1, 2025 2022. Existing apartment buildings 28 are not required to comply until January 1, 2025. However, 29 existing apartment buildings are required to apply for the 30 appropriate permit for the required communications installation by January 1 December 31, 2024 2022. 31

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