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Senator Hooper moved the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Before line 19

insert:

Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of section 163.211, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

163.211 Licensing of occupations preempted to state.—

(2) PREEMPTION OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING TO THE STATE.—The licensing of occupations is expressly preempted to the state, and this section supersedes any local government licensing requirement of occupations with the exception of the following:



12 (a) Any local government that imposed licenses on  
13 occupations before January 1, 2021. However, any such local  
14 government licensing of occupations expires on July 1, 2025  
15 ~~2024~~.

16 Section 2. Paragraph (b) of subsection (6) of section  
17 489.113, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

18 489.113 Qualifications for practice; restrictions.—

19 (6)

20 (b) By July 1, 2025 ~~2024~~, the board shall, by rule,  
21 establish certified specialty contractor categories for  
22 voluntary licensure for all of the following:

- 23 1. Structural aluminum or screen enclosures.
- 24 2. Marine seawall work.
- 25 3. Marine bulkhead work.
- 26 4. Marine dock work.
- 27 5. Marine pile driving.
- 28 6. Structural masonry.
- 29 7. Structural prestressed, precast concrete work.
- 30 8. Rooftop solar heating installation.
- 31 9. Structural steel.
- 32 10. Window and door installation, including garage door  
33 installation and hurricane or windstorm protection.
- 34 11. Plaster and lath.
- 35 12. Structural carpentry.

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

38 And the title is amended as follows:

39 Delete lines 3 - 5

40 and insert:



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41 163.211, F.S.; extending the date on which certain  
42 local government occupational licensing requirements  
43 expire; amending s. 489.113, F.S.; extending the date  
44 by which the Construction Industry Licensing Board  
45 within the Department of Business and Professional  
46 Regulation is required to establish by rule specified  
47 certified specialty contractor categories for  
48 voluntary licensure; amending s. 489.117, F.S.;  
49 requiring the board to issue registrations to