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CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative Nelson offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Between lines 2107 and 2108, insert:

5 Section 63. The Department of Agriculture and Consumer
6 Services shall meet with duly authorized representatives of
7 established organizations representing the state's pest control
8 industry and shall prepare and submit a report to the President
9 of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the
10 chair of the Senate Committee on Agriculture, and the chair of
11 the House Agriculture and Natural Resources Policy Committee by
12 January 1, 2011. The report shall include recommended amendments
13 to chapter 482, Florida Statutes, that provide for disciplinary
14 action to be taken against licensees who violate laws or rules
15 pertaining to the pretreatment of soil to protect newly
16 constructed homes, pest control at sensitive facilities such as
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17 schools and nursing homes, and the fumigation of existing homes
18 for protection against termite damage, thereby providing
19 additional safeguards for consumers. The report may also address
20 other issues of concern to the department and to members of the
21 industry, such as changes to requirements for professional
22 liability insurance coverage or the amount of bond required,
23 duties and responsibilities of a certified operator, issuance of
24 a centralized pest control service center license, and limited
25 certification for commercial wildlife management personnel.
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28 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

29 Remove line 201 and insert:

30 penalties; providing exemptions; requiring the department and
31 representatives of the state pest control industry to submit a
32 report to the Legislature; requiring that the report include
33 recommendations for changes in the law to provide for
34 disciplinary action against licensees of the pest control
35 industry under certain circumstances; providing that the report
36 may also address additional issues of concern to the department
37 and members of the industry; repealing ss. 570.071 and