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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate . House

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Senators Sobel and Margolis moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Before line 14

insert:

Section 1. Subsection (2) of section 381.0051, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

381.0051 Family planning.—

(2) ACCESS TO SERVICES; PROHIBITIONS; INFORMED CONSENT.—

(a) Except as otherwise provided in this section, no medical agency or institution of this state or unit of local government shall interfere with the right of any patient or

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physician to use medically acceptable contraceptive procedures, supplies, or information or to restrict the physician-patient relationship.

(b) Except in the case of a medical emergency, consent to a vasectomy is voluntary and informed only if the physician who is to perform the procedure, or the referring physician, has, at a minimum, orally, while physically present in the same room, and at least 24 hours before the procedure informed the man of the nature and risks of undergoing or not undergoing the proposed procedure which a reasonable patient would consider material to making a knowing and willful decision of whether to undergo a vasectomy.

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

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 3

and insert:

s. 381.0051, F.S.; providing conditions for the voluntary and informed consent to a vasectomy; amending s. 390.0111, F.S.; revising conditions for the