

The Florida Senate
HOUSE MESSAGE SUMMARY

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BILL: CS/CS/HB 911 (CS/CS/CS/ for SB 958)

INTRODUCER: Hlth&FamPC; HFPC; and Rep. Hudson (HA; JU; HR; and Senator Ring)

SUBJECT: Electronic Health Information

DATE: April 30, 2010

I. Amendments Contained in Message:

Senate Amendment 1 – 591356 (body with title)
Amendment to Amendment 428238
Amendment to Amendment 354276
Amendment to Amendment 974198

II. Summary of Amendments Contained in Message:

Senate Amendment 1 – 591356 Replaced the House bill with CS/CS/CS/ for SB 958, without the WHEREAS clauses.

Amendment to Amendment 428238 eliminates language in law concerning General Revenue funding for the Florida Center for Health Information and Policy Analysis.

Amendment to Amendment 354276 substitutes the definition of the term “health care provider” for “health care practitioner” or “health care provider.”

Amendment to Amendment 974198 clarifies that the civil immunity for accessing or releasing an identifiable health record under the Florida HIE Participation Agreement attaches if the exchange of an identifiable health record comports with the requirements of the HIPAA privacy rule and state law.