

	LEGISLATIVE ACTION	
Senate		House
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The Committee on Rules (Collins) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment

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Delete lines 22 - 51

and insert:

- a. Fifty hours of training in business or public administration, business or public management, or emergency management or preparedness. A bachelor's degree may be substituted for this requirement.
- b. Four years of verifiable experience in comprehensive emergency management services, which includes improving preparedness for emergency and disaster protection, prevention,

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mitigation, response, and recovery, with direct supervisory responsibility for responding to at least one emergency or disaster.

- (I) A master's degree in emergency preparedness or management, business or public administration, communications, finance, homeland security, public health, criminal justice, meteorology, or environmental science may be substituted for 2 years of experience required under this sub-subparagraph but not for the required supervisory experience.
- (II) A valid accreditation as a Certified Master Exercise Practitioner through the Federal Emergency Management Agency, as a Certified Emergency Manager through the International Association of Emergency Managers, or as a Florida Professional Emergency Manager through the Florida Professional Emergency Preparedness Association may be substituted for the requirements of this sub-subparagraph. A certification used as substitution for the requirements of this sub-subparagraph must be currently maintained in good standing at all times until the actual time and experience requirements satisfying this sub-subparagraph are met by the appointee.
- c. One hundred fifty hours in comprehensive emergency management training provided through or approved by the Federal Emergency Management Agency or its successor, including completion of the following National Incident Management System courses, or equivalent courses established by the Federal Emergency Management Agency through the Emergency Management Institute:
 - (I) ICS-100: Introduction to the Incident Command System; (II) ICS-200: Basic Incident Command System for Initial



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42	(III) ICS-300: Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents;	
43	(IV) ICS-400: Advanced ICS for Command and General Staff;	
44	(V) IS-700: National Incident Management System, An	
45	Introduction; and	
46	(VI) IS-800: National Response Framework (NRF), An	
47	Introduction.	
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49	All training required by this sub-subparagraph must have been	
50	completed no earlier than 10 years preceding the date of	
51	appointment, regardless of whether it is an initial appointment	
52	or reappointment.	
53	d. A valid driver license. If the license is not a Florida	

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