CHAPTER 2014-21

Senate Bill No. 942

An act relating to the Florida Statutes; amending ss. 319.30, 379.2495, 408.9091, 961.05, and 1003.451, F.S.; to conform to the directive of the Legislature in section 9 of chapter 2012-116, Laws of Florida, codified as section 11.242(5)(j), Florida Statutes, to prepare a reviser's bill to omit all statutes and laws, or parts thereof, which grant duplicative, redundant, or unused rulemaking authority; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (8) and subsection (10) of section 319.30, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

319.30 Definitions; dismantling, destruction, change of identity of motor vehicle or mobile home; salvage.—

(8)(a) Secondary metals recyclers and salvage motor vehicle dealers shall return to the department on a monthly basis all certificates of title and salvage certificates of title that are required by this section to be obtained. Secondary metals recyclers and salvage motor vehicle dealers may elect to notify the department electronically through procedures established by the department when they receive each motor vehicle or mobile home, salvage motor vehicle or mobile home, or derelict motor vehicle with a certificate of title or salvage certificate of title through procedures established by the department. The department may adopt rules and establish fees as it deems necessary or proper for the administration of the electronic notification service.

(10) The department may adopt rules to implement an electronic system for issuing salvage certificates of title and certificates of destruction.

Section 2. Subsection (5) of section 379.2495, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

379.2495 Florida Ships-2-Reefs Program; matching grant requirements.

(5) The commission is authorized to adopt rules pursuant to ss. 120.536(1) and 120.54 to address procedures necessary to administer the matching grants provided in this section.

Section 3. Subsection (11) of section 408.9091, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

408.9091 Cover Florida Health Care Access Program.—

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(11) RULEMAKING AUTHORITY.—The agency and the Financial Services Commission may adopt rules pursuant to ss. 120.536(1) and 120.54 as needed to administer this section.

Section 4. Section 961.05, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

961.05 Application for compensation for wrongful incarceration; administrative expunction; determination of entitlement to compensation.—

(1) A wrongfully incarcerated person who is eligible for compensation as defined in this act must initiate his or her application for compensation as required in this section no more than 2 years after the original sentencing court enters its order finding that the person meets the definition of wrongfully incarcerated person and is eligible for compensation as defined in this act.

(2) A wrongfully incarcerated person who is eligible for compensation under the act must apply to the Department of Legal Affairs. No estate of, or personal representative for, a decedent is entitled to apply on behalf of the decedent for compensation for wrongful incarceration.

(3) The Department of Legal Affairs may adopt rules regarding the forms and procedures related to applications for compensation under the Victims of Wrongful Incarceration Compensation Act.

(4) The application must include:

(a) A certified copy of the order vacating the conviction and sentence;

(b) A certified copy of the original sentencing court's order finding the claimant to be a wrongfully incarcerated person who is eligible for compensation under this act;

(c) Certified copies of the original judgment and sentence;

(d) Documentation demonstrating the length of the sentence served, including documentation from the Department of Corrections regarding the person's admission into and release from the custody of the Department of Corrections;

(e) Positive proof of identification, including two full sets of fingerprints administered by a law enforcement agency and a current form of photo identification, demonstrating that the person seeking compensation is the same individual who was wrongfully incarcerated;

(f) All supporting documentation of any fine, penalty, or court costs imposed and paid by the wrongfully incarcerated person as described in s. 961.06(1)(c); and

(g) All supporting documentation of any reasonable attorney's fees and expenses as described in s. 961.06(1)(d); and

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(h) Any other documentation, evidence, or information required by rules adopted by the department.

 $(\underline{4})(\underline{5})$ The department shall forward one full set of fingerprints of the applicant to the Department of Law Enforcement for statewide criminal records checks. The Department of Law Enforcement shall forward the second set of fingerprints to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for national criminal records checks. The results of the state and national records checks shall be submitted to the department.

(5)(6) Upon receipt of an application, the department shall examine the application and notify the claimant within 30 calendar days of any errors or omissions, and request any additional information relevant to the review of the application. The claimant shall have 15 days after proper notification of any existing errors or omissions to supplement the application. The department may not deny an application for failure of the claimant to correct an error or omission or supply additional information unless the department timely notified the claimant of such errors or omissions or requested the additional information within the 30-day period specified in this subsection. The department shall process and review each completed application within 90 calendar days. Once the department determines whether a claim for compensation meets the requirements of this act, the department shall notify the claimant within 5 business days of that determination.

 $(\underline{6})(7)$ If the department determines that a claimant meets the requirements of this act, the wrongfully incarcerated person who is the subject of the claim becomes entitled to compensation, subject to the provisions in s. 961.06.

Section 5. Subsection (5) of section 1003.451, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

1003.451 Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps; military recruiters; access to public school campuses.—

(5) The State Board of Education may adopt rules under ss. 120.536(1) and 120.54 to administer this section.

Reviser's note.—Amends or repeals provisions of the Florida Statutes pursuant to the directive of the Legislature in s. 9, ch. 2012-116, Laws of Florida, codified as section 11.242(5)(j), Florida Statutes, to prepare a reviser's bill to omit all statutes and laws, or parts thereof, which grant duplicative, redundant, or unused rulemaking authority.

Section 6. This act shall take effect on the 60th day after adjournment sine die of the session of the Legislature in which enacted.

Approved by the Governor May 12, 2014.

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