

CHAPTER 2018-67

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1177

An act relating to the Joint Task Force on State Agency Law Enforcement Communications; amending s. 282.709, F.S.; providing that a representative of the Florida Sheriffs Association shall be an appointed member of the Joint Task Force on State Agency Law Enforcement Communications; providing that the sheriff's office that employs the representative must pay the per diem and travel expenses incurred by the representative; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Paragraphs (a) and (e) of subsection (2) of section 282.709, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

282.709 State agency law enforcement radio system and interoperability network.—

(2) The Joint Task Force on State Agency Law Enforcement Communications is created adjunct to the department to advise the department of member-agency needs relating to the planning, designing, and establishment of the statewide communication system.

(a) The Joint Task Force on State Agency Law Enforcement Communications shall consist of the following members:

1. A representative of the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation who shall be appointed by the secretary of the department.

2. A representative of the Division of Florida Highway Patrol of the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles who shall be appointed by the executive director of the department.

3. A representative of the Department of Law Enforcement who shall be appointed by the executive director of the department.

4. A representative of the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission who shall be appointed by the executive director of the commission.

5. A representative of the Department of Corrections who shall be appointed by the secretary of the department.

6. A representative of the Department of Financial Services who shall be appointed by the Chief Financial Officer.

7. A representative of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services who shall be appointed by the Commissioner of Agriculture.

8. A representative of the Florida Sheriffs Association who shall be appointed by the president of the Florida Sheriffs Association.

(e) The per diem and travel expenses incurred by a member of the joint task force who represents a state agency in attending task force its meetings and in attending to task force its affairs shall be paid pursuant to s. 112.061, from funds budgeted to the state agency that the member represents. The per diem and travel expenses incurred by the member of the task force who represents the Florida Sheriffs Association in attending task force meetings and in attending to task force affairs shall be paid pursuant to s. 112.061, by the sheriff's office that employs the representative.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2018.

Approved by the Governor March 21, 2018.

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