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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate	.	House
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03/26/2025	.	
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The Committee on Rules (Burton) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Before line 17
insert:

Section 1. Subsection (14) is added to section 766.102,
Florida Statutes, to read:

766.102 Medical negligence; standards of recovery; expert
witness.—

(14) In an action alleging the medical negligence of a
health care provider, a final order or other findings adopted by
a board, as defined in s. 456.001, within the Department of



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Health pertaining to a complaint against the health care provider are discoverable and admissible as evidence in the action. If a party to the action failed to comply with or unreasonably delayed in responding to a request made by the department during the investigation of or a proceeding relating to the subject of the action, the party's failure or unreasonable delay is also discoverable and admissible in the action.

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And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 3

and insert:

wrongful death; amending s. 766.102, F.S.; providing for the discoverability and admissibility of final orders by a board of the Department of Health in medical malpractice actions; providing for the discoverability and admissibility of a party's noncompliance or unreasonable delays in complying with certain requests by the Department of Health; amending s. 768.21, F.S.; deleting a