MEETING OF THE GOVERNOR AND CABINET
AS HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAY SAFETY
AND MOTOR VEHICLES
November 14, 2007

CORRECTED AGENDA

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1. Respectfully recommend appointment of Dr. Gurusami Lakshmin, Internal Medicine, Tallahassee, for a four-year appointment to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles' Medical Advisory Board provided for by Section 322.125(1), Florida Statutes.

   Dr. Lakshmin is in good standing with the Florida Medical Association.

   Attachment #1.
   Recommend.

2. Respectfully recommend a four year extension of the following physicians currently on the Department's Medical Advisory Board.

   Dr. Jack B. Shumate, Neurologist, Panama City
   Dr. Carl A. Salvati, Neurologist, Delray Beach

   Dr. Shumate and Dr. Salvati are in good standing with the Florida Medical Association.

   Attachment #2.
   Recommend.

3. Respectfully submit the Department's Substantive Legislative Proposal for 2008.

   Attachment #3.
   Recommend.

4. Respectfully submit the 1st Quarter Performance Report Fiscal Year 2007-2008.

   Attachment #4.
   Recommend.

5. Respectfully submit the new state of Florida license plate, Trees Are Cool.

   Attachment #5.
   For Information.

http://www.flhsmv.gov/html/safety.html

ATTACHMENT 1

Gurusami Lakshmin, M.D., F.A.C.P.

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Education

1961 to 1968	Jawaharlal Institute for Postgraduate Medical Education and Research, Pondicherry, University of Madras, India *Graduation included one year of rotating internship in Medicine, Surgery, Pediatrics and Ob/Gyn*

Internship

June 1970 to June 1971	Brooklyn-Cumberland Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY *Straight Medical Internship*

Residency

July 1971 to June 1972 *First Year Medical Residency*	Brooklyn-Cumberland Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY
July 1972 to June 1973 *Second Year Medical Residency*	Brooklyn-Cumberland Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY
July 1973 to June 1974 *Chief Medical Resident*	Brooklyn-Cumberland Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY *I served as a consultant in Internal Medicine for patients in the other medical services. I also took classes for medical students and physician associates. I gave bi-weekly lectures to the house staff on various subjects of clinical importance and recent advanced in Internal Medicine. The following are some of the topics on which I gave lectures: Hypoglycemia, Immunoglobulins, Hyperlipoproteinemia, Fever of Unknown Origin, and Antimicrobials.*

Fellowship

1991	American College of Physicians *Award Fellowship for maintaining outstanding clinical knowledge and clinical practice in community*

Hospital Staff Membership

August 1991 to Present	Capital Regional Medial Center, Tallahassee, FL
February 1997 to Present	Tallahassee Memorial Hospital
July 2006 to Present	Healthsouth Rehabilitation Hospital, Tallahassee, FL

Professional Experience

August 1991 to Present *Internal Medicine*	Medical Group of North Florida, Tallahassee, FL
1976 to 1994	Private Practice, Perry, FL
October 1975 to October 1976 *Internist Staff Physician cum Trainee*	West Roxbury VA Hospital, Boston, MA *Affiliated with Harvard Medical School as an Internist in the Spinal Cord Injury Services getting hands-on knowledge on other aspects of SCI management which included autonomic dysreflexia, pulmonary and cardia hemodynamics, neurology and rehabilitation aspects.*
July 1974 to October 1975 *Associates Attending-Internal Medicine*	Greenpoing Hospital, Brooklyn, NY *Affiliated with the Brooklyn Jewish Medical Center. As a full-time Associate at this hospital, I had direct patient care under the "Home Care" program. During this time, I gave CC to the medical staff and residents in one of the weekly conferences.*
1968 to 1970 *Tutor in Microbiology*	JIPMER, Pondicherry, India *During this time, I was in charge of Serology and Diagnostic Bacteriology of the Microbiology Lab serving the 400 bed hospital. I also took many classes in Bacteriology, Serology and Parasitology for the 3rd and 4th year medical students. I was actively involved in the following research projects: Bedside Agglutination Test for Salmonellosis, Serological Test for Thyroid Autoantibody, Immunoelectrophoresis, Study on Gentamicin in Urinary Tract Infection, Typing of Pseudomonas Pyocyanin and its Pathologenicity.*

Committee Memberships and other Activities

1979 to 2000 *Medical Director*	Perry Health Facility (N.H.), Perry, FL
1980 to 1981 *Chief of Medical Staff*	Doctors Memorial Hospital, Perry, FL
1985 to 1990 *Chairperson Respiratory Department*	Doctor Memorial Hospital, Perry, FL
1985 to 1990 *Chairperson*	The Doctor's Memorial Hospital, Perry, FL *Pharmacy/Therapeutic Committee & Infection Control*
1988 to 1990 *Chairperson*	The Doctor's Memorial Hospital, Perry, FL *Critical Care Committee*
1989 to 1990 *Chairperson*	The Doctor's Memorial Hospital, Perry, FL *Q/A Utiliazation Committee*
1989 to 1990 *Member*	Doctor's Memorial Hospital, Perry, FL *Executive Committee*

1992 to 1996 *Member*	Tallahassee Community Hospital *Critical Care Committee*
1996 to 1997 *Member*	Tallahassee Community Hospital *Resource Management Committee*
1996 to 1997 *CEO*	Medical Group of North Florida, Tallahassee, FL
1997 to 2001 *Member*	Tallahassee Community Hospital *Performance Improvement Committeee*
1999 to 2000 *Pincipal Investigator*	Medical Group of North Florida, Tallahassee, FL *Investigator in Clinical Trials*
1999 to Present	Mentor for medical students, for shadowing in the office
2002 to 2003 *Chairperson*	Tallahassee Community Hospital *Medical Care Review Committee*
2002 to 2003 *Member*	Tallahassee Community Hospital *Medical Executive Committee*
2002 to 2003 *Chief of Medical Staff*	Tallahassee Community Hospital

Professional Associations

American College of Physicians

Capital Medical Society

Florida Medical Association

Qualifications and Certifications

June 1974 to Present	American Board of Internal Medicine *Recertified in October 1980 having demonstrated continued scholarship in Internal Medicine*

Awards and Recognition

1987 to 1988 *Executive Club Award*	Taylor Association for Retarded Citizens, Perry, FL
2004 *Distinguished Physician Award*	Florida Medical Association

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ATTACHMENT 2

CURRICULUM VITAE

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DATE OF BIRTH:	September 27, 1947 Meridian, MS
SOCIAL SECURITY #:	
ACADEMIC EDUCATION:	University of Florida, 1966-68 B.S. Chemistry University of Florida, 1968-72 M.D.
TRAINING:	University of Florida, College of Medicine, Shands Teaching Hospital 1972-75, Resident in Neurology Washington University, School of Medicine, St. Louis, 1977-78 Neuromuscular Diseases Fellowship
MILITARY:	Major, U.S. Air Force, ASAF Medical Center, Keesler AFB, July 1975-77 Staff Neurologist
LISCENSURE:	National Board of Medical Examiners State of Florida ME# 21390
SPECIALTY BOARDS:	Diplomate in Neurology, American Board of Psychiatry & Neurology, October, 1976
FACULTY APPOINTMENTS:	University of S. Alabama, College of Medicine, July 76-June 77 Asst. Professor (Visitant)

Gulf Coast Community Hospital, Biloxi, Miss., July 76-June 77, Consulting Neurologist

Department of Medicine, USAF Medical
Center, Keesler AFB, July 75-July 77, Staff Neurologist

Washington University School of Medicine, July 78-June 79, Research Associate

Washington University School of Medicine, July 79-June 81, Asst. Professor of Neurology

Washington University, Irene Walter
Johnson Rehabilitation Institute, October 79-June 81, Assistant Director

Barnes Hospital, St. Louis, MO, July 78-June 81, Assistant Neurologist

St. Louis Children's Hospital, October 80-June 81, Neurologist

Case Western Reserve University, School of Medicine, July 81-June 83, Assistant Professor of Neurology and Pediatrics

Case Western Reserve University, School of Medicine, July 81-June 83, Chief, Division of Neuro-muscular Diseases

University Hospitals, Cleveland, OH, July 81-June 83, Assistant Neurologist

Bay Medical Center, Panama City, FL
1983-2000, Consulting Neurologist

Gulf Coast Hospital, Panama City, FL.
1983 to present, Consulting Neurologist.

Medical Advisory Committee, Florida State Dept. of Transportation, Division of Driver Improvement

Board of Directors, Southern Clinical Neurological Association 1992-2000.

MEMBERSHIP IN MEDICAL & SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES:

American Academy of Neurology, Fellow
Society for Neuroscience
American Medical Association
Southern Clinical Neurological Association

HONORS & AWARDS

Alpha Epsilon Delta, Honorary Society University of Florida.
Phi Kappa Phi, Honorary Society, University of Florida
Phi Beta Kappa, Honorary Society, University of Florida
Neurology Book Award, University of Florida College of Medicine
Fellow, American Academy of Neurology

MAJOR LOCAL COMMITTEES:

Director, George H. Bishop Memorial Library, Departments of Neurology and Neurosurgery, Washington University, July 79-81

Residency Evaluation Committee, Dept. of Neurology, Case Western Reserve, School of Medicine, 1981-1983

Chairman, ICU Committee, Bay Medical Center, Panama City, FL. 1986-1987.

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FACULTY APPOINTMENT:	Associate Clinical Professor of Neurology University of Medicine and Dentistry Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, New Brunswick, New Jersey (through 1990)
CERTIFICATION:	American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology (Neurology), 1983 American Board of Electroencephalography and Neurophysiology, 1987
ORGANIZATIONS:	American Medical Association American Academy of Neurology American Medical EEG Association American EEG Society American College of Physicians American Epilepsy Society New York Academy of Medicine
AWARDS:	American Academy of Family Physicians Recognition Award as an instructor of Family Practice Residents AMA Physicians Recognition Award for continuing Medical Education (current)
INTERNSHIP:	1976 - 1977 PGY-I Internal Medicine New Brunswick affiliated hospitals of Rutgers Medical School
RESIDENCY:	1977 - 1979 Albany Medical College of Union University, Albany, New York Assistant Resident Physician in Neurology 1979 - 1980 New York Medical College Chief Resident Physician in Neurology

MEDICAL SCHOOL:	1970 - 1976 University of Saragossa, Faculty of Medicine (Doctor of Medicine) 1966 - 1970 University of Vermont (Bachelor of Arts)
UNDERGRADUATE:	1982 University of the State of New York at Albany (Bachelor of Science)
PUBLICATIONS:	1981 "Metastatic Meningioma", Journal of Clinical Neurology and Neurosurgery "Cerebral Vein Thrombosis by MRI", Journal of Headache Disorders, accepted for publication 9/90
TEACHING EXPERIENCE:	Fourth year medical student Neurology rotation, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, New Brunswick, New Jersey (since 1980) Internal Medicine Residency Program of Raritan Bay Medical Center, Perth Amboy, New Jersey Family Practice Residency Program of John F. Kennedy Medical Center, Edison, New Jersey
STATE MEDICAL LICENSES:	New York #135300, 1978 New Jersey #37078, 1980 Florida #ME0050473, 1988
PERSONAL:	Born: Manhattan, New York October 27, 1948 Married: Lisa Marie (Physician) Children: 2 Languages: primary - English secondary - Spanish
INTERESTS:	Science Fiction Scuba Diving Backpacking/Camping Golf
PREVIOUS AFFILIATIONS:	Attending - Raritan Bay Medical Center Perth Amboy, New Jersey Attending - Muhlenberg Regional Medical Center, Plainfield, New Jersey Attending - John F. Kennedy Medical Center, Edison, New Jersey

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ATTACHMENT 3

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAY SAFETY AND MOTOR VEHICLES

SUBSTANTIVE LEGISLATIVE PROPOSAL 2008

Electra Theodorides-Bustle, Executive Director

Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles
2008 Substantive Legislative Proposals

Issue	Current Situation	Proposed Change	Justification	Fiscal Impact	Statutes to be Amended
Commercial Motor Vehicle Operators	A Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration review of Florida law pertaining to commercial motor vehicles finds that 49 CFR 383.51 is not adequately addressed in a number of areas.	These changes will create new and specific language addressing commercial motor vehicle operator's responsibilities as it relates to railroad crossings. Amend the statutory definitions for conviction, hazardous materials and out-of-service order. Remove the limitation on disqualifications for specified major offenses to those committed in a commercial motor vehicle.	The department is seeking to remedy the inconsistencies between Florida law and federal motor carrier requirements. Failure to meet these requirements could result in sanctions by the federal government.	A reduction in federal funding for the Department of Transportation could occur should these changes not be enacted.	ss. 316.1575, 316.159, 322.01, 322.61 and 322.64.
Driver License	Driver licenses are issued for 6 and 4 year terms with two convenience renewals permitted between each in-office visit.	The term of a driver license or identification card would be extended to 8 years.	Modifying the term of the driver license will adjust the renewal cycles to better align Florida with the Real ID Act suggestions as well as reduce the number of years between office visits.	A reduction in revenue collections in years seven and eight will occur with this proposal.	ss. 322.051 and 322.18
Seatbelt and Child Restraint Exemptions	At this time, Florida law exempts trucks with a net weight of more than 5,000 pounds from the seat belt provisions. This exemption allows occupants of these vehicles to lawfully ride without using their seatbelt or child restraint devices.	This modification would change the exemption to apply only to vehicles with a gross vehicle weight rating of 26,001 pounds.	The exemption for trucks has been in statute since the seat belt law was first enacted in 1986. At that time trucks driven by the general public were typically less than 5,000 lbs., therefore the exemption targeted what was then considered to be "heavy trucks" used commercially. Since 1986 the purchasing habits of the general public have changed dramatically. Today trucks exceeding the 5,000 pound threshold are commonly promoted in the general population by the vehicle manufacturers and purchases of these types of vehicles have risen dramatically.	None.	ss. 316.613 and 316.614

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Issue	Current Situation	Proposed Change	Justification	Fiscal Impact	Statutes to be Amended
Florida Rider Training Program (FRTP)	The Florida Rider Training Program (FRTP) was established in 1989, the intent of the reimbursement process was to support program sponsors in setting up and running their programs until they became self-supporting. The FRTP sponsors charge students to attend their course.	The proposed change would only provide for a reimbursement to sponsors for the first 12 months they are in business.	In the last eighteen years the State has subsidized the motorcycle training industry. Law changes requiring all persons to complete the course will greatly increase the potential customer base for these organizations beginning July 1, 2008.	Currently, these reimbursements total approximately $500,000 annually. The department is seeking to redirect these funds to create four FTE in this program for monitoring in anticipation of an influx of students and sponsors within the next several months.	s. 322.0255
Arrest Authority	Chapter 316, Florida Statutes, provides authority for law enforcement to make arrest at the scene of a crash for violations of chapters 316 and 322.	This change would allow law enforcement to make arrest at the scene of a crash for a violation of chapter 320, Florida Statutes.	Chapter 320, Florida Statutes, provides for the lawful issuance of vehicle license plates and registrations. Vehicle license plates and registrations are required for the lawful use of a vehicle on Florida roadways therefore, providing this authority for chapter 320 would prove to be consistent.	None.	s. 316.645
Blood Draws	Current law requires officers to establish probable cause for both driving under the influence and causation of an accident involving death or serious bodily injury, prior to requiring a driver to submit to a mandatory blood test under s. 316.1933(1), Florida Statutes.	This change would provide that officers are to use “reasonable suspicion” when determining if a driver was both in physical control of a vehicle and under the influence when he/she is involved in a crash which resulted in death or serious bodily injury.	These amendments will allow law enforcement officers to secure additional evidence of blood alcohol content that should assists prosecutors in filing appropriate criminal charges in those crashes involving death or serious bodily injury.	None.	s. 316.1933

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Issue	Current Situation	Proposed Change	Justification	Fiscal Impact	Statutes to be Amended
Ignition Interlock Devices	If a driver is convicted of a DUI in Florida the driver can be mandated to install an ignition interlock device (IID) on all motor vehicles that they would regularly be driving. This mandate can either be a judicial requirement by the court or an administrative requirement by the department.	The proposed changes would lower the cut point of the IID to a BAC of .025, require mandatory treatment completion as required by the treatment agency following a third or subsequent IID lockout, and increase by one month the required IID time for a third or subsequent violation.	The proposed changes are necessary to tighten up the loop holes that were in the initial IID laws and process. The BAC cut off of .05 still allows the person to continue drinking but at a low level, the change to .025 eliminates the possibility of the IID driver having even one drink and being able to attempt to start their motor vehicle. The treatment requirement for multiple violations of the IID is in response to a problem drinker still drinking and then driving or attempting to drive. The increase in time that the IID is required will protect the general driving population from a recovering drug abuser during the recovery period.	None.	ss. 316.1937, 322.2715, and 322.291
Traffic Citations	Currently, Florida law provides for the collection of a fingerprint on a uniform traffic citation by law enforcement when making a traffic stop when the individual does not posses proof of their identity.	This change would allow for the electronic collection of more than one print as needed to determine the identity of the driver.	Clarification is needed to allow for the electronic collection of more than a single print.	None.	s. 322.15
Victim Assistance	Current law provides access to funds for victims of certain crimes through the Victim Compensation Act. While the list of crimes does include vehicular homicide in the first degree, it excludes vehicular homicide of the second degree.	This proposal would allow all families who are victims of vehicular homicide to seek compensation regardless of whether the offender is charged with a crime of the first degree or second degree.	This change would provide consistency for those families who are affected by vehicular homicide. In 2006 there were 35 citations issued for vehicular homicide in total.	Indeterminate.	s. 960.03

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Issue	Current Situation	Proposed Change	Justification	Fiscal Impact	Statutes to be Amended
Motor Carrier Compliance	Florida based motor carriers operating in interstate commerce currently register under the International Registration Plan (IRP). While various documents, including insurance and proof of paying the Heavy Vehicle Use Tax, are reviewed as part of the registration process, the carrier's safety fitness record is not checked prior to issuing the registration credentials. This could allow motor carriers currently under Out of Service orders for safety issues to continue to receive valid registrations	This proposal would provide authority for the department to participate in the Performance and Registration Information System management Program whereby carriers under an Out of Service order will have their vehicle registrations cancelled.	Participation in this program will allow the department in conjunction with our partners in highway safety, to assist in removing unsafe motor carriers from our roadways by suspending their vehicle registrations.	A federal grant request for $750,000 has been approved for programmatic changes pending enactment of this proposal.	s. 320.0715
Definitions	Currently, Florida law does not recognize the term "electronic title," nor does it encompass new vehicles in the market place.	Create a new definition for electronic title, modify the definition of motorcycle and make a technical correction to the definition of judgment.	Terms defined in Florida law associated with motor vehicle titling and registration have not kept pace with changes in technology and the market place.	None.	ss. 319.001, 320.01, and 324.021

ATTACHMENT 4

Florida
Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles

1st Quarter Performance Report
Fiscal Year 2007- 2008

PROVIDING HIGHWAY SAFETY AND SECURITY
THROUGH EXCELLENCE IN SERVICE, EDUCATION, AND ENFORCEMENT

Electra Theodorides-Bustle, Executive Director

Our Vision is… A Safer Florida!

Miami Aggressive Driving Campaign Successful - From July 10 - 12, members of the FHP conducted an aggressive driving crackdown in Miami-Dade and Hillsborough Counties. The campaign was launched due to a growing concern over aggressive drivers in the Miami and Tampa areas. This effort was part of a long-term traffic safety campaign that focuses on traffic themes to help reduce deaths and injuries on Florida's roadways. The FHP used unmarked and marked vehicles to conduct the two unannounced operations. Enforcement totals from the 3-day operations in Miami-Dade and Hillsborough Counties included nearly 1,000 arrests and over 200 aggressive driving citations.

Labor Day Crack Down - FHP was out in force during the Labor Day holiday weekend. Each year, thousands of lives are cut short or changed forever in alcohol-related crashes. In an effort to prevent such tragedies, Florida Troopers conducted enhanced patrols throughout the state during Labor Day weekend, specifically targeting DUI violators. During this year's 96-hour holiday period, 23 people were killed in 20 accidents investigated by FHP. During this period, troopers charged 178 people with driving under the influence; issued 7,742 speeding citations; issued 1,301 seatbelt and child restraint citations; and assisted 3,165 motorists on Florida's highways.

New Teen Driving Guide Now Available - On July 17th, the Coral Reef Driver License Office hosted a community outreach and media event to promote safe teen driving. The new Driving Guide for Teens and Parents was unveiled at the event and safety demonstrations were conducted emphasizing seat belt use and the dangers of impaired driving. The new Guide, which is provided to all teens when they receive their learner's permit, contains important information about the state's traffic laws and restrictions, as well as a special skills mastery checklist and driving log. The Guide is also available online. Since traffic fatalities are the number one cause of death for teens nationwide, the Department continues to stress the importance of developing good driving skills and observing traffic laws and common sense safety techniques among Florida's teen drivers.

E-Titles Cut Costs and Help Prevent Fraud - The initial phase of the electronic title process (E-Title) was implemented August 15, and is expected to greatly simplify the auto titling process while providing a cost savings. The new E-Titles will: eliminate duplicate titles where instances of fraud are more common; reduce the number of lost and returned unclaimed titles; and reduce fraud associated with stolen title certificates, forged signatures, and alteration of odometer miles. The new process will still allow a customer to request a paper title be printed at any time at no charge through the Department's website. Through this electronic process the Department will continue to reduce costs associated with form usage and mailings and improve customer protection in the sale of vehicles.

5 Star FLOW Mobile Tour - The Florida Licensing On Wheels (FLOW) mobile units continue to be present at community and special events around the state. The vehicles are equipped with the technology to bring valuable Department services right to the customers. These units not only bring a convenient method for customers to obtain driver license and tag services, but offer information on the newest safety initiatives and campaigns. On August 13, five FLOW mobiles traveled in different directions throughout the state over the week and ended in five different locations. The FLOW Five Star Tour was a cooperative effort between the Department, the American Automobile Association (AAA), and law enforcement. Stops included city and county agencies, hospitals, libraries, assisted living centers, and businesses. During the first quarter nearly 13,000 customers were provided direct driver license services through the FLOW Mobiles.

FHP Receives High Marks From On-Site Accreditation Team - FHP was originally accredited by the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA) in November 1996. Since then, a team of assessors from CALEA has visited the agency to conduct assessments that verify continued compliance in order to maintain certification. On August 23, the CALEA team concluded their assessment, once again giving FHP high marks in a number of areas. Following the examination of the agency's policies and procedures, management, operations, and support services, the team of assessors reconfirmed that FHP continues to comply with all applicable standards. Verification by the team that FHP meets the Commission's state-of-the-art standards is part of a voluntary accreditation process – a highly prized recognition of law enforcement professional excellence.

Fiscal Year 2007 - 2008	Annual Standard	1st Quarter Actual
Executive Direction and Support Services		
Office of Executive Director and the Division of Administrative Services		
• Agency administration and support costs as a percent of total agency costs / agency administration and support positions as a percent of total agency positions	5% / 6.42%	Annual Calculation
Florida Highway Patrol		
Highway Safety Services		
• Florida death rate on patrolled highways per 100 million vehicle miles of travel	1.70	Annual Calculation
• National average death rate on highways per 100 million vehicle miles of travel	1.5	Annual Calculation
• Alcohol-related death rate per 100 million vehicle miles of travel	0.64	Annual Calculation
• Number of crashes investigated by FHP	200,361	57,647
• Percent change in number of crashes investigated by FHP	1%	Annual Calculation
• Annual crash rate per 100 million vehicle miles of travel on all Florida roads	131	Annual Calculation
• Number of hours spent on traffic homicide investigations	156,284	41,565
• Number of cases resolved as a result of traffic homicide investigations	1,728	446
• Average time (hours) spent per traffic homicide investigation	90.44	97.57
• Percent of recruits retained by FHP for 3 years after the completion of training	90%	Annual Calculation
• Actual average response time (minutes) to calls for crashes or assistance	26.00	26.24
• Number/percent of duty hours spent on preventive patrol by law enforcement officers	1,006,389 / 41%	245,698 / 40%
• Number/percent of flight hours spent on aerial traffic enforcement by law enforcement pilots	1,195 / 50%	479 / 59%
• Number/percent of duty hours spent on crash investigations by law enforcement officers	326,447 / 14%	91,976 / 15%
• Number/percent of duty hours spent on crash investigations by community service officers	10,707 / 29%	4,877 / 42%
• Number/percent of duty hours spent on non-patrol support activities (law enforcement)	654,577 / 29%	182,074 / 29%
• Average time (hours) to investigate crashes (long form)	2.17	2.30
• Average time (hours) to investigate crashes (short form)	1.35	1.35
• Average time (hours) to investigate crashes (non-reportable)	0.65	0.73
• Number/percent of duty hours spent on law enforcement officer assistance to motorists	111,635 / 5%	28,777 / 5%
• Number of motorists assisted by law enforcement officers	313,277	71,027
• Number of training courses offered to FHP recruits and personnel	45	24
• Number of students successfully completing training	1,224	331
• State seat belt compliance rate	67.50%	Annual Calculation
• Percent change in seat belt use	1%	Annual Calculation
• Percent of closed criminal investigations which are resolved	80%	88%
• Number/percent of duty hours spent on criminal investigations	56,199 / 60%	11,337 / 52%
• Number/percent of duty hours spent on professional compliance investigations (1)	5,293 / 6%	2,644 / 12%
• Number/percent of duty hours spent on polygraph examinations	5,885 / 5%	1,204 / 5%
• Number/percent of duty hours spent on non-investigative support activities	25,250 / 29%	6,710 / 31%
Executive Direction and Support Services		
• Program administration and support costs as a percent of total program costs / program administration and support positions as a percent of total program positions	1.41% / 1.18%	Annual Calculation

Fiscal Year 2007 - 2008	Annual Standard	1st Quarter Actual
Licenses, Titles, and Regulations (Motorist Services)		
Driver Licensure		
• Percent of customers waiting 15 minutes or less for driver license service	50%	Annual Calculation
• Percent of customers waiting 30 minutes or more for driver license service	35%	Annual Calculation
• Average number of corrections per 1,000 driver records maintained	4.00	5.37
• Number of driver licenses issued	5,418,344	1,298,449
• Number of identification cards issued	852,315	251,789
• Number of written driver license examinations conducted	1,561,590	404,844
• Number of road tests conducted	492,055	134,815
Motorist Financial Responsibility Services		
• Percent of motorists complying with financial responsibility	96%	93%
• Number of insured motorists	12,180,000	11,623,792
Identification and Control of Problem Drivers		
• Percent of DUI course graduates who do not recidivate within 3 years of graduation	86%	86%
• Number of driver licenses / identification cards suspended, cancelled, and invalidated as a result of fraudulent activity (with annual percent change shown)	2,356 / -27%	560 / Annual Calculation
• Number of problem drivers identified	1,866,461	516,845
Mobile Home Compliance and Enforcement Services		
• Ratio of warranty complaints to new mobile homes titled	1 : 154	1 : 218
• Number of mobile homes inspected (2)	14,800	2,026
Vehicle and Vessel Title and Registration Services		
• Percent of motor vehicle / vessel titles issued without error	92%	96%
• Number of fraudulent motor vehicle titles identified and submitted to law enforcement	50	12
• Percent change in numbers of fraudulent motor vehicle titles identified and submitted to law enforcement	3%	Annual Calculation
• Average cost to issue a motor vehicle / vessel title	$2.12	$2.10
• Number of motor vehicle and mobile home titles issued	6,700,000	1,436,922
• Number of motor vehicle and mobile home registrations issued	21,446,037	4,917,611
• Number of vessel titles issued	270,879	57,466
• Number of vessel registrations issued	1,046,445	252,284
• Average number days to issue a vehicle title	3	3
• Ratio of inspections of rebuilt salvage motor vehicles failing the statutory and procedural requirement for rebuilt certificates of title to total inspections of rebuilt salvage vehicles	1 : 8	1 : 5
• Number of rebuilt salvaged motor vehicles inspected for vehicle identification numbers and odometer readings (3)	36,319	6,602
• Percent of dealer licenses issued within 7 working days upon receipt of completed application	99%	99%
• Number of automobile dealers licensed (4)	12,800	2,534
• Ratio of taxes collected as a result of International Registration Plan and International Fuel Tax Agreement audits to cost of audits	$1.73 : $1.00	$1.64 : $1.00
• Number of International Fuel Use Tax and International Registration Plans accounts audited	350	62
• Number of motor carriers audited per auditor, with number of auditors shown	22 : 14	21 : 14
Executive Direction and Support Services		
• Percent program administration and support costs and positions compared to total program costs and positions	2.13% / 2.19%	Annual Calculation
Information Technology		
Kirkman Data Center		
• Percent of customers who rate services as satisfactory or better as measured by survey	90%	Annual Calculation

PERFORMANCE EXPLANATION

[1] Number of duty hours spent on professional compliance investigations - The number is inordinately high during this quarter based on protracted cases involving a great deal of investigative hours to complete. In addition, a team approach to professional compliance investigations has also increased the number of hours reported.

[2] Number of mobile homes inspected - The decrease in inspections is due to a corresponding decrease in manufacturing production. Members of the mobile home inspection team are meeting all inspection requirements.

[3] Number of rebuilt salvage motor vehicles inspected for vehicle identification number and odometer readings - The reduction in the number of rebuilt/salvage inspections is a byproduct of the decrease in consumer demand for inspections. In addition, the standard for this fiscal year is inflated due to the previous increase in inspection activity associated with prior hurricanes in 2004 and 2005. The FY 2008-09 standard will be addressed to better correspond to current market conditions.

[4] Number of automobile dealers licensed - The reduction in the number of dealers licensed is due to nationwide economic conditions associated with the manufacture and sales of vehicles which has negatively impacted or reduced the number of licensed dealers.

PURCHASES MADE IN EXCESS OF $100,000 AND NOT IN CONJUNCTION WITH STATE CONTRACTS
JULY through SEPTEMBER 2007

ITEM(S) PURCHASED	VENDOR	AMOUNT
ISA License Fee for IBM Mainframe Software Products, Term 7/01/07 through 6/30/08, Single Source, KDC067-562, DO# 557234.	IBM Corporation Tallahassee, FL	$320,628.00
DDL Transaction Fees for social security verification and commercial driver license information, Term 07/01/2007 through 6/30/08, Single Source, KDC-067-541, DO# 558084.	American Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators Arlington, VA	$983,353.68
DAS Transaction Fees for Express Lane, Term 07/01/07 through 12/30/07, ITN# 008-99, DO# 584158.	Hewlett-Packard Company Omaha, NE 68154	$1,000,000.00
ISA FRVIS Project Management, Term 7/01/07 through 12/31/07, ITN# 008-99 DO# 588710.	Hewlett Packard IA Tallahassee, FL	$121,662.36
DDL Radio Public Service Announcements, RFP# 039-07, DO# 571296.	Clear Channel Communications Maitland, FL	$168,980.00
ISA Lease and maintenance peripherals for mainframe computer, Term 10/01/07 through 9/30/2010 ITB# 036-07, DO# 610672.	Quasius Investment Corporation Tampa, Florida	$235,595.88
ISA Lease for IBM, ITB# 015-07, Term 10/01/2007 Through 09/30/2011, KDC-067-346, DO# 623465.	Mainline Tallahassee, FL	$703,824.00
FHP Emergency Warning System for vehicles, ITN# 013-05, DO# 620749.	Code 3 Incorporation St. Louis, MO	$505,796.04
DMV Registration Decals, for old print process. Quantity 13,200, Term 08/06/2007 through 02/29/2008, ITN# 008-99, DO# 610207 and DO# 600925.	Hewlett Packard IA Tallahassee, FL	$1,531,200.00
DAS Commercial Truck with 160 month warranty, ITB# 002-08, DO# 653514.	Freightliner of Southern Alabama Tallahassee, FL	$121,481.00

ATTACHMENT 5

TREES ARE COOL

Bill Number:	Senate Bill 1900
Sponsored By:	Representative D. Alan Hays Senator Carey Baker
Additional Fee:	$25 Annual Use Fee $ 2 Processing Fee
Fees Distributed to:	Florida Chapter of the International Society of Arboriculture, Inc.
Purpose:	Twenty percent of the funds may be used by the Florida Chapter of the International Society of Arboriculture, Inc., for continuing promotion and marketing of the license plate and concept. Five percent of the funds received by the Florida Society of Arboriculture, Inc., may be used for administrative costs directly associated with the operations of the Florida Chapter of the International Society of Arboriculture, Inc., with respect to the management of the Trees Are Cool license plate program. Seventy-five percent of the funds must be used to fulfill the mission of the Florida Chapter of the International Society of Arboriculture, Inc., which is to provide education and training statewide with respect to tree care and tree safety.
Approval:	Organization, Legislative and law enforcement approval letters on file.
Production:	If approved, the plate will go into production and be available for purchase within six months.
Plate Scheduled To Go On Sale:	Winter 2008
Initial Order:	12,000

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