## SENATE AMENDMENT 2, TO 2009 SENATE BILL 37

February 23, 2009 - Offered by Senator Taylor.

At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

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- **1.** Page 3, line 1: after "(1) (d)." insert "If the defendant is present and the court, using the criteria in s. 814.29 (1) (d), determines that the defendant is unable to pay the judgment because of poverty, the court shall provide the defendant with an opportunity to pay the judgment in installments, taking into account the defendant's income.".
- **2.** Page 4, line 19: after that line insert:
- 8 **"Section 4m.** 345.47 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:
  - 345.47 **(2)** The Except in those cases in which the court orders payment by installments, the payment of any judgment may be suspended or deferred for not more than 60 days in the discretion of the court. In cases where a deposit has been made, any forfeitures, plus costs, fees, and surcharges imposed under ch. 814, shall be taken out of the deposit and the balance, if any, returned to the defendant.".

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**3.** Page 5, line 24: after "mail." insert "If the defendant is present and the court, using the criteria in s. 814.29 (1) (d), determines that the defendant is unable to pay the judgment because of poverty, the court shall provide the defendant with an opportunity to pay the judgment in installments, taking into account the defendant's income.".

6 (END)