

1 A bill to be entitled

2 An act relating to art in public buildings; repealing s.
3 255.043, F.S., relating to a requirement that a specified
4 portion of appropriations for new construction of state
5 buildings be used for art; providing for the future
6 reenactment of s. 255.043, F.S., and the reversion of the
7 statutory text to that in effect before the repeal;
8 prohibiting expenditures for public art during the interim
9 without prior legislative approval; providing for
10 application; providing an effective date.

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

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14 Section 1. Section 255.043, Florida Statutes, is repealed.

15 Section 2. Notwithstanding the repeal by this act of s.
16 255.043, Florida Statutes, effective April 1, 2011, s. 255.043,
17 Florida Statutes, is reenacted, and the text of that section
18 shall revert to that in existence on June 30, 2009, except that
19 any amendments to such text enacted other than by this act shall
20 be preserved and continue to operate. In the interim, no
21 expenditures for public art under that section shall occur
22 without prior legislative approval. The repeal of s. 255.043,
23 Florida Statutes, shall apply to appropriations for new
24 construction from July 1, 2009, through March 30, 2011.

25 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009.