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district, or municipal hospital; amending s. 155.40, F.S.; requiring the Legislature to approve the sale or lease of a county, district, or municipal hospital to a not-for-profit Florida corporation; providing an effective date.

An act relating to the sale or lease of a county,

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

Section 1. Subsection (9) is added to section 155.40, Florida Statutes, to read:

155.40 Sale or lease of county, district, or municipal hospital; effect of sale.—

(9) The sale or lease of a county, district, or municipal hospital to a not-for-profit Florida corporation must be approved by the Legislature.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2011.