FOR CONSIDERATION By the Committee on Appropriations

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1 A bill to be entitled 2 An act implementing the 2020-2021 General 3 Appropriations Act; providing legislative intent; 4 incorporating by reference certain calculations of the 5 Florida Education Finance Program; providing that 6 funds for instructional materials must be released and 7 expended as required in specified proviso language; 8 amending s. 1011.62, F.S.; conforming a provision 9 regarding the virtual education contribution to 10 reflect the Teacher Salary Increase Allocation; 11 extending for 1 fiscal year provisions governing the 12 funding compression allocation; suspending the Florida Best and Brightest Teacher and Principal Allocation 13 for the 2020-2021 fiscal year; creating the Teacher 14 15 Salary Increase Allocation; specifying the purpose of 16 the allocation; prescribing the manner in which funds 17 under the allocation may be provided and used; 18 providing for the expiration and reversion of 19 specified statutory text; amending ss. 1012.731 and 20 1012.732, F.S.; suspending the Florida Best and 21 Brightest Teacher Program and the Florida Best and 22 Brightest Principal Program for the 2020-2021 fiscal 23 year; amending s. 1013.62, F.S.; specifying the source 24 of charter school capital outlay funding; providing 25 that charter schools are ineligible to receive capital outlay funding unless the governing board chair and 2.6 27 the school's chief administrative officer provides an 28 annual certification under oath; providing for the 29 expiration and reversion of specified statutory text;

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30	creating s. 1004.6499, F.S.; establishing the Florida
31	Institute of Politics at the Florida State University;
32	providing the purpose and goals of the institute;
33	incorporating by reference certain calculations for
34	the Medicaid Disproportionate Share Hospital and
35	Hospital Reimbursement programs; authorizing the
36	Agency for Health Care Administration, in consultation
37	with the Department of Health, to submit a budget
38	amendment to realign funding for a component of the
39	Children's Medical Services program to reflect actual
40	enrollment changes; specifying requirements for such
41	realignment; authorizing the agency to request
42	nonoperating budget authority for transferring certain
43	federal funds to the Department of Health; reenacting
44	s. 409.908(23), F.S., relating to the reimbursement of
45	Medicaid providers; extending for 1 fiscal year
46	provisions regarding reimbursement rates; providing
47	for the expiration and reversion of specified
48	statutory text; reenacting s. 409.908(26), F.S.,
49	relating to the reimbursement of Medicaid providers;
50	extending for 1 fiscal year a provision regarding the
51	receipt of funds to be used for Low Income Pool
52	Program payments; providing for the expiration and
53	reversion of specified statutory text; amending s.
54	409.904, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year a provision
55	requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to
56	make payments to Medicaid-covered services; reenacting
57	s. 624.91(5)(b), F.S., relating to the Florida Healthy
58	Kids Corporation; extending for 1 fiscal year a

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59	provision requiring the corporation to validate the
60	medical loss ratio and calculate a refund amount for
61	insurers and providers of health care services who
62	meet certain criteria; providing for the expiration
63	and reversion of specified statutory text; amending s.
64	381.915, F.S.; revising limitations regarding a cancer
65	center's participation under Tier 3 of the Florida
66	Consortium of National Cancer Institute Centers
67	Program and authorization for centers to pursue
68	certain designations by the institute; providing for
69	the expiration and reversion of specified statutory
70	text; amending s. 893.055, F.S.; extending for 1
71	fiscal year a provision prohibiting the Attorney
72	General and the Department of Health from using
73	certain settlement agreement funds to administer the
74	prescription drug monitoring program; amending s.
75	409.911, F.S.; updating the average of audited
76	disproportionate share data for purposes of
77	calculating disproportionate share payments; extending
78	for 1 fiscal year the requirement that the Agency for
79	Health Care Administration distribute moneys to
80	hospitals that provide a disproportionate share of
81	Medicaid or charity care services, as provided in the
82	General Appropriations Act; amending s. 409.9113,
83	F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the requirement that
84	the Agency for Health Care Administration make
85	disproportionate share payments to teaching hospitals
86	as provided in the General Appropriations Act;
87	amending s. 409.9119, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal

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88	year the requirement that the Agency for Health Care
89	Administration make disproportionate share payments to
90	certain specialty hospitals for children; authorizing
91	the Agency for Health Care Administration to submit a
92	budget amendment to realign Medicaid funding for
93	specified purposes, subject to certain limitations;
94	requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to
95	contract with an organization for the provision of
96	elder care services in specified counties if certain
97	conditions are met; specifying requirements for the
98	program; authorizing the Agency for Health Care
99	Administration and the Department of Health to each
100	submit a budget amendment to realign funding within
101	the Florida Kidcare program appropriation categories
102	or increase budget authority for certain purposes;
103	specifying the timeframe within which any such budget
104	amendment must be submitted; amending s. 381.986,
105	F.S.; exempting rules pertaining to the medical use of
106	marijuana from certain rulemaking requirements;
107	amending s. 381.988, F.S.; exempting rules pertaining
108	to medical marijuana testing laboratories from certain
109	rulemaking requirements; amending s. 14(1), chapter
110	2017-232, Laws of Florida; exempting certain rules
111	pertaining to medical marijuana adopted to replace
112	emergency rules from specified rulemaking
113	requirements; providing for the expiration and
114	reversion of specified law; requiring the Agency for
115	Health Care Administration to replace the Medicaid
116	Enterprise System; specifying requirements for the

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117	replacement system; requiring the agency to take
118	specified action; providing for the establishment of
119	an executive steering committee to oversee
120	implementation of the replacement system; providing
121	for membership, meeting requirements, duties, and
122	responsibilities of the steering committee;
123	authorizing the Department of Children and Families to
124	submit a budget amendment to realign funding for
125	implementation of the Guardianship Assistance Program;
126	requiring the Department of Children and Families to
127	establish a formula for the distribution of funds to
128	implement the Guardianship Assistance Program;
129	amending s. 296.37, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year
130	a provision specifying the monthly contribution to
131	residents of a state veterans' nursing home;
132	authorizing the Department of Children and Families to
133	submit a budget amendment to increase budget authority
134	for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program if
135	certain conditions are met; authorizing the Department
136	of Children and Families to submit a budget amendment
137	to realign funding within the Family Safety Program
138	for specified purposes; amending s. 216.262, F.S.;
139	extending for 1 fiscal year the authority of the
140	Department of Corrections to submit a budget amendment
141	for additional positions and appropriations under
142	certain circumstances; amending s. 1011.80, F.S.;
143	specifying the manner by which state funds for
144	postsecondary workforce programs may be used for
145	inmate education; providing for the expiration and

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146	reversion of specified statutory text; amending s.
147	215.18, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the
148	authority and related repayment requirements for
149	temporary trust fund loans to the state court system
150	which are sufficient to meet the system's
151	appropriation; requiring the Department of Juvenile
152	Justice to review county juvenile detention payments
153	to determine whether a county has met specified
154	financial responsibilities; requiring amounts owed by
155	the county for such financial responsibilities to be
156	deducted from certain county funds; requiring the
157	Department of Revenue to transfer withheld funds to a
158	specified trust fund; requiring the Department of
159	Revenue to ensure that such reductions in amounts
160	distributed do not reduce distributions below amounts
161	necessary for certain payments due on bonds and to
162	comply with bond covenants; requiring the Department
163	of Revenue to notify the Department of Juvenile
164	Justice if bond payment requirements mandate a
165	reduction in deductions for amounts owed by a county;
166	reenacting and amending s. 27.40, F.S., relating to
167	court-appointed counsel; extending for 1 fiscal year
168	provisions governing the appointment of court-
169	appointed counsel; establishing the Cross-
170	Jurisdictional Death Penalty Pilot Program within the
171	Office of Criminal Conflict and Civil Regional Counsel
172	of the Second Appellate District; specifying the
173	manner of appointing counsel to indigent defendants
174	who meet specified criteria; providing reporting

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175	requirements regarding the pilot program; specifying
176	that repeal of the act does not terminate appointments
177	of counsel made under the pilot program; reenacting
178	and amending s. 27.5304, F.S., relating to private
179	court-appointed counsel; extending for 1 fiscal year
180	limitations on compensation for representation in
181	criminal proceedings; providing for the expiration and
182	reversion of specified statutory text; specifying that
183	clerks of the circuit court are responsible for
184	certain costs related to juries which exceed a certain
185	funding level; reenacting s. 318.18(19)(c), F.S.,
186	relating to penalty amounts for traffic infractions;
187	extending for 1 fiscal year the redirection of
188	revenues from the Public Defenders Revenue Trust Fund
189	to the Indigent Criminal Defense Trust Fund;
190	reenacting s. 817.568(12)(b), F.S., relating to the
191	criminal use of personal identification information;
192	extending for 1 fiscal year the redirection of
193	revenues from the Public Defenders Revenue Trust Fund
194	to the Indigent Criminal Defense Trust Fund; providing
195	for the expiration and reversion of specified
196	statutory text; requiring the Department of Management
197	Services to use tenant broker services to renegotiate
198	or reprocure certain private lease agreements for
199	office or storage space; requiring the Department of
200	Management Services to provide a report to the
201	Governor and Legislature by a specified date;
202	prohibiting an agency from transferring funds from a
203	data processing category to another category that is

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 204 not a data processing category; authorizing the 205 Executive Office of the Governor to transfer funds 206 appropriated for data processing assessment between 207 departments for a specified purpose; authorizing the 208 Executive Office of the Governor to transfer funds 209 between departments for purposes of aligning amounts 210 paid for risk management insurance and for human 211 resources services; requiring the Department of 212 Financial Services to replace specified components of 213 the Florida Accounting Information Resource Subsystem 214 (FLAIR) and the Cash Management Subsystem (CMS); 215 specifying certain actions to be taken by the Department of Financial Services regarding FLAIR and 216 217 CMS replacement; providing for the composition of an 218 executive steering committee to oversee FLAIR and CMS 219 replacement; prescribing duties and responsibilities 220 of the executive steering committee; amending s. 221 216.181, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the 222 authority for the Legislative Budget Commission to 223 increase amounts appropriated to the Fish and Wildlife 224 Conservation Commission or the Department of 225 Environmental Protection for certain fixed capital 226 outlay projects from specified sources; amending s. 227 215.18, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the 228 authority of the Governor, if there is a specified 229 temporary deficiency in a land acquisition trust fund 230 in the Department of Agriculture and Consumer 231 Services, the Department of Environmental Protection, 232 the Department of State, or the Fish and Wildlife

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233	Conservation Commission, to transfer funds from other
234	trust funds in the State Treasury as a temporary loan
235	to such trust fund; providing a deadline for the
236	repayment of a temporary loan; requiring the
237	Department of Environmental Protection to transfer
238	designated proportions of the revenues deposited in
239	the Land Acquisition Trust Fund within the department
240	to land acquisition trust funds in the Department of
241	Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department of
242	State, and the Fish and Wildlife Conservation
243	Commission according to specified parameters and
244	calculations; defining the term "department";
245	requiring the Department of Environmental Protection
246	to retain a proportionate share of revenues;
247	specifying a limit on distributions; requiring the
248	Department of Environmental Protection to make
249	transfers to land acquisition trust funds; specifying
250	the method of determining transfer amounts;
251	authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection
252	to advance funds from its land acquisition trust fund
253	to the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission's
254	land acquisition trust fund for specified purposes;
255	requiring the Department of Environmental Protection
256	to prorate amounts transferred to the Fish and
257	Wildlife Conservation Commission; amending s. 216.181,
258	F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year authorization for
259	the Legislative Budget Commission to increase amounts
260	appropriated to the Department of Environmental
261	Protection for fixed capital outlay projects using

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262	specified funds; amending s. 570.441, F.S.; extending
263	for 1 fiscal year a provision authorizing the
264	Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to use
265	certain funds for purposes related to the Division of
266	Agricultural Environmental Services; reenacting s.
267	570.93(1)(a), F.S., relating to the agricultural water
268	conservation program of the Department of Agriculture
269	and Consumer Services; extending for 1 fiscal year
270	provisions governing the cost-share program; providing
271	for the expiration and reversion of specified
272	statutory text; amending s. 259.105, F.S.; providing
273	for the distribution of proceeds from the Florida
274	Forever Trust Fund for the 2020-2021 fiscal year;
275	amending s. 375.041, F.S.; specifying that certain
276	funds for projects dedicated to restoring Lake Apopka
277	shall be appropriated as provided in the General
278	Appropriations Act; amending s. 321.04, F.S.;
279	extending for 1 fiscal year a provision requiring the
280	Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to
281	assign one or more patrol officers to the office of
282	Lieutenant Governor for security purposes, upon
283	request of the Governor; extending for 1 fiscal year
284	the requirement that the Department of Highway Safety
285	and Motor Vehicles assign a patrol officer to a
286	Cabinet member under certain circumstances; amending
287	s. 420.9079, F.S.; authorizing funds in the Local
288	Government Housing Trust Fund to be used as provided
289	in the General Appropriations Act; amending s.
290	420.0005, F.S.; authorizing certain funds related to

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291	state housing to be used as provided in the General
292	Appropriations Act; amending s. 288.1226, F.S.;
293	extending the scheduled repeal of the Florida Tourism
294	Industry Marketing Corporation direct-support
295	organization; amending s. 288.923, F.S.; extending the
296	scheduled repeal of the Division of Tourism Marketing
297	of Enterprise Florida, Inc.; amending s. 338.2278,
298	F.S.; authorizing certain uncommitted funding for the
299	Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund to be used as
300	provided in the General Appropriations Act; amending
301	s. 339.135, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year
302	authorization for the chair and vice chair of the
303	Legislative Budget Commission to approve the
304	Department of Transportation's budget amendment under
305	specified circumstances; authorizing the chair and
306	vice chair of the commission to approve certain budget
307	amendments of the Department of Transportation if
308	certain conditions are met; amending s. 112.061, F.S.;
309	extending for 1 fiscal year authorization for the
310	Lieutenant Governor to designate an alternative
311	official headquarters, subject to certain limitations;
312	amending s. 216.292, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year
313	a provision prescribing requirements for the review of
314	certain transfers of appropriations; requiring the
315	Department of Management Services to maintain and
316	offer the same health insurance options for
317	participants of the state group health insurance
318	program for the 2020-2021 fiscal year as for the
319	preceding fiscal year; prohibiting a state agency from

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320	initiating a competitive solicitation for a product or
321	service under certain circumstances; providing an
322	exception; amending s. 112.24, F.S.; extending for 1
323	fiscal year the authorization, subject to specified
324	requirements, for the assignment of an employee of a
325	state agency under an employee interchange agreement;
326	providing that the annual salaries of the members of
327	the Legislature be maintained at a specified level;
328	reenacting s. 215.32(2)(b), F.S., relating to the
329	source and use of certain trust funds; providing for
330	the future expiration and reversion of statutory text;
331	limiting the use of travel funds to activities that
332	are critical to an agency's mission; providing
333	exceptions; placing a monetary cap on lodging expenses
334	for state employee travel to certain meetings
335	organized or sponsored by a state agency or the
336	judicial branch; authorizing employees to expend their
337	own funds for lodging expenses in excess of the
338	monetary caps; prohibiting state agencies from
339	entering into contracts containing certain
340	nondisclosure agreements; providing conditions under
341	which the veto of certain appropriations or proviso
342	language in the General Appropriations Act voids
343	language that implements such appropriations;
344	providing for the continued operation of certain
345	provisions notwithstanding a future repeal or
346	expiration provided by the act; providing
347	severability; providing effective dates.
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Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
Section 1. It is the intent of the Legislature that the
implementing and administering provisions of this act apply to
the General Appropriations Act for the 2020-2021 fiscal year.
Section 2. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 8,
9, 10, 92, and 93 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act,
the calculations of the Florida Education Finance Program for
the 2020-2021 fiscal year included in the document titled
"Public School Funding: The Florida Education Finance Program,"
dated January 30, 2020, and filed with the Secretary of the
Senate, are incorporated by reference for the purpose of
displaying the calculations used by the Legislature, consistent
with the requirements of state law, in making appropriations for
the Florida Education Finance Program. This section expires July
<u>1, 2021.</u>
Section 3. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 8
and 92 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, and
notwithstanding ss. 1002.20, 1003.02, 1006.28-1006.42,
1011.62(6)(b)3., and 1011.67, Florida Statutes, relating to the
expenditure of funds provided for instructional materials, for
the 2020-2021 fiscal year, funds provided for instructional
materials shall be released and expended as required in the
proviso language for Specific Appropriation 92 of the 2020-2021
General Appropriations Act. This section expires July 1, 2021.
Section 4. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 8
and 92 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, subsections
(11), (17), and (18) of section 1011.62, Florida Statutes, are
amended, and subsection (22) is added to that section, to read:

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403 (17) FUNDING COMPRESSION ALLOCATION.—The Legislature may
 404 provide an annual funding compression allocation in the General
 405 Appropriations Act. The allocation is created to provide
 406 additional funding to school districts and developmental

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 407 research schools whose total funds per FTE in the prior year 408 were less than the statewide average. Using the most recent 409 prior year FEFP calculation for each eligible school district, 410 the total funds per FTE shall be subtracted from the state 411 average funds per FTE, not including any adjustments made 412 pursuant to paragraph (19)(b). The resulting funds per FTE 413 difference, or a portion thereof, as designated in the General 414 Appropriations Act, shall then be multiplied by the school 415 district's total unweighted FTE to provide the allocation. If 416 the calculated funds are greater than the amount included in the 417 General Appropriations Act, they must be prorated to the appropriation amount based on each participating school 418 419 district's share. This subsection expires July 1, 2021 2020. 420 (18) THE FLORIDA BEST AND BRIGHTEST TEACHER AND PRINCIPAL 421 ALLOCATION.-422 (a) The Florida Best and Brightest Teacher and Principal

423 Allocation is created to recruit, retain, and recognize 424 classroom teachers and instructional personnel who meet the 425 criteria established in s. 1012.731 and reward principals who 426 meet the criteria established in s. 1012.732. Subject to annual 427 appropriation, each school district shall receive an allocation 428 based on the district's proportionate share of FEFP base 429 funding. The Legislature may specify a minimum allocation for 430 all districts in the General Appropriations Act.

(b) From the allocation, each district shall provide the following:

433 1. A one-time recruitment award, as provided in s. 434 1012.731(3)(a);

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2. A retention award, as provided in s. 1012.731(3)(b); and

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	3. A recognition award, as provided in s. 1012.731(3)(c)
437	from the remaining balance of the appropriation after the
438	payment of all other awards authorized under ss. 1012.731 and
439	1012.732.
440	(c) From the allocation, each district shall provide
441	eligible principals an award as provided in s. 1012.732(3).
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443	If a district's calculated awards exceed the allocation, the
444	district may prorate the awards.
445	(d) The allocation authorized in this subsection is
446	suspended for the 2020-2021 fiscal year and does not apply
447	during such fiscal year. This paragraph expires July 1, 2021.
448	(22) TEACHER SALARY INCREASE ALLOCATION
449	(a) The Teacher Salary Increase Allocation is created to
450	increase teacher salaries and improve this state's relative
451	teacher salary position when compared with teacher salaries in
452	other states.
453	(b) Subject to annual appropriation, funds may be provided
454	for each school district to increase the minimum base salary for
455	full-time classroom teachers as defined in s. 1012.01(2)(a) or
456	all instructional personnel as defined by s. 1012.01(2)(a)-(d),
457	plus certified prekindergarten teachers, but not including
458	substitute teachers, by no less than the amount designated in
459	the General Appropriations Act. In addition, funds may also be
460	provided in an amount designated in the General Appropriations
461	Act for salary increases for all full-time instructional
462	personnel as determined by the school board and the local
463	bargaining unit.
464	(c) Funds for this purpose shall be allocated on each

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465	district's share of the base FEFP allocation. Funds for the
466	minimum base salary increase may be provided in multiple years
467	in order to achieve a particular salary goal. The minimum base
468	salary is the base annual salary before payroll deductions and
469	excluding additional compensation.
470	(d) This subsection expires July 1, 2021.
471	Section 5. The amendment to s. 1011.62(11), Florida
472	Statutes, by this act, expires July 1, 2021, and the text of
473	that subsection shall revert to that in existence on June 30,
474	2020, except that any amendments to such text enacted other than
475	by this act shall be preserved and continue to operate to the
476	extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the portions
477	of text which expire pursuant to this section.
478	Section 6. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 8
479	and 92 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, subsection
480	(4) is added to section 1012.731, Florida Statutes, to read:
481	1012.731 The Florida Best and Brightest Teacher Program
482	(4) No awards may be made pursuant to this section and the
483	operation of the program is suspended for the 2020-2021 fiscal
484	year. This subsection expires July 1, 2021.
485	Section 7. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 8
486	and 92 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, subsection
487	(4) is added to section 1012.732, Florida Statutes, to read:
488	1012.732 The Florida Best and Brightest Principal Program
489	(4) No awards may be made pursuant to this section and the
490	operation of the program is suspended for the 2020-2021 fiscal
491	year. This subsection expires July 1, 2021.
492	Section 8. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 21
493	of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, subsection (1) of

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 494 section 1013.62, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 495 1013.62 Charter schools capital outlay funding.-(1) For the 2020-2021 2018-2019 fiscal year, charter school 496 497 capital outlay funding shall consist of state funds appropriated 498 in the 2020-2021 2018-2019 General Appropriations Act. Beginning 499 in fiscal year 2021-2022 2019-2020, charter school capital 500 outlay funding shall consist of state funds when such funds are 501 appropriated in the General Appropriations Act and revenue 502 resulting from the discretionary millage authorized in s. 1011.71(2) if the amount of state funds appropriated for charter 503 504 school capital outlay in any fiscal year is less than the 505 average charter school capital outlay funds per unweighted full-506 time equivalent student for the 2018-2019 fiscal year, multiplied by the estimated number of charter school students 507 for the applicable fiscal year, and adjusted by changes in the 508 509 Consumer Price Index issued by the United States Department of 510 Labor from the previous fiscal year. Nothing in this subsection 511 prohibits a school district from distributing to charter schools 512 funds resulting from the discretionary millage authorized in s. 513 1011.71(2). (a) To be eligible to receive capital outlay funds, a 514 515 charter school must:

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1.a. Have been in operation for 2 or more years;

b. Be governed by a governing board established in the
state for 2 or more years which operates both charter schools
and conversion charter schools within the state;

520 c. Be an expanded feeder chain of a charter school within 521 the same school district that is currently receiving charter 522 school capital outlay funds;

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 523 d. Have been accredited by a regional accrediting 524 association as defined by State Board of Education rule; or 525 e. Serve students in facilities that are provided by a 526 business partner for a charter school-in-the-workplace pursuant 527 to s. 1002.33(15)(b). 528 2. Have an annual audit that does not reveal any of the 529 financial emergency conditions provided in s. 218.503(1) for the 530 most recent fiscal year for which such audit results are 531 available. 532 3. Have satisfactory student achievement based on state 533 accountability standards applicable to the charter school. 534 4. Have received final approval from its sponsor pursuant 535 to s. 1002.33 for operation during that fiscal year. 536 5. Serve students in facilities that are not provided by 537 the charter school's sponsor. 538 (b) A charter school is not eligible to receive capital 539 outlay funds if it was created by the conversion of a public 540 school and operates in facilities provided by the charter 541 school's sponsor for a nominal fee, or at no charge, or if it is 542 directly or indirectly operated by the school district. 543 (c) A charter school additionally is not eligible for a 544 funding allocation unless the chair of the governing board and 545 the chief administrative officer of the charter school annually 546 certify under oath that the funds will be used solely and 547 exclusively for constructing, renovating, leasing, purchasing, financing or improving charter school facilities that are: 548 549 1. Owned by a school district, political subdivision of the 550 state, municipality, Florida College System institution, or 551 state university; or

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552	2. Owned by an organization, qualified as an exempt
553	organization under s. 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or
554	a tax support organization under s. 509 of the Internal Revenue
555	Code, whose articles of incorporation specify that upon the
556	organization's dissolution, the subject property, subject to any
557	indebtedness secured thereby and the satisfaction of the
558	organization's other debts, will be transferred as indicated in
559	the articles of incorporation to:
560	a. Another such exempt organization, including one
561	organized for educational purposes.
562	b. A school district or other political subdivision of the
563	state.
564	c. A municipality.
565	d. A Florida College System institution.
566	e. A state university; or
567	3. Owned by and leased from, at a fair market value, a
568	person or entity that is not an affiliated party of the charter
569	school. For purposes of this subparagraph, the term "affiliated
570	party of the charter school" means the applicant for the charter
571	school pursuant to s. 1002.33; the governing board of the
572	charter school or a member of the governing board; the charter
573	school principal; an individual employed by the charter school;
574	or a relative, as defined in s. 1002.33(24)(a)2., of a charter
575	school governing board member, a charter school principal or a
576	charter school employee.
577	Section 9. The amendments to s. 1013.62(1), Florida
578	Statutes, by this act expire July 1, 2021, and the text of that
579	subsection shall revert to that in existence on June 30, 2020,
580	except that any amendments to such text enacted other than by

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581	this act shall be preserved and continue to operate to the
582	extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the portions
583	of text which expire pursuant to this section.
584	Section 10. In order to implement Specific Appropriation
585	150 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, section
586	1004.6499, Florida Statutes, is created to read:
587	1004.6499 Florida Institute of Politics
588	(1) The Florida Institute of Politics is established at the
589	Florida State University within the College of Social Sciences
590	and Public Policy. The purpose of the institute is to provide
591	the southeastern region of the United States with a world class,
592	bipartisan, nationally-renowned institute of politics.
593	(2) The goals of the institute are to:
594	(a) Motivate students across the Florida State University
595	to become aware of the significance of government and civic
596	engagement at all levels and politics in general.
597	(b) Provide students with an opportunity to be politically
598	active and civically engaged.
599	(c) Nurture a state of consciousness and passion for public
600	service and politics.
601	(d) Plan and host forums to allow students and guests to
602	hear from and interact with experts from government, politics,
603	policy, and journalism on a frequent basis.
604	(e) Become a national and state resource on polling
605	information and survey methodology.
606	(f) Provide fellowships and internship opportunities to
607	students in government, non-profit organizations, and community
608	organizations.
609	(g) Provide training sessions for newly elected state and
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610	local public officials.
611	(h) Organize and sponsor conferences, symposia and
612	workshops throughout Florida to educate and inform citizens,
613	elected officials, and appointed policymakers regarding
614	effective policymaking techniques and processes.
615	(i) Create and promote research and awareness regarding
616	politics, citizen involvement and public service.
617	(j) Collaborate with related policy institutes and research
618	activities at Florida State University and other institutions of
619	higher education to motivate, increase and sustain citizen
620	involvement in public affairs.
621	(3) This section expires July 1, 2021.
622	Section 11. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
623	207, 208, 211, and 215 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations
624	Act, the calculations for the Medicaid Disproportionate Share
625	Hospital and Hospital Reimbursement programs for the 2020-2021
626	fiscal year contained in the document titled "Medicaid
627	Disproportionate Share Hospital and Hospital Reimbursement
628	Programs, Fiscal Year 2020-2021," dated January 30, 2020, and
629	filed with the Secretary of the Senate, are incorporated by
630	reference for the purpose of displaying the calculations used by
631	the Legislature, consistent with the requirements of state law,
632	in making appropriations for the Medicaid Disproportionate Share
633	Hospital and Hospital Reimbursement programs. This section
634	expires July 1, 2021.
635	Section 12. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
636	201 through 228 and 526 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations
637	Act, and notwithstanding ss. 216.181 and 216.292, Florida
638	Statutes, the Agency for Health Care Administration, in

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639	consultation with the Department of Health, may submit a budget
640	amendment, subject to the notice, review, and objection
641	procedures of s. 216.177, Florida Statutes, to realign funding
642	within and between agencies based on implementation of the
643	Managed Medical Assistance component of the Statewide Medicaid
644	Managed Care program for the Children's Medical Services program
645	of the Department of Health. The funding realignment shall
646	reflect the actual enrollment changes due to the transfer of
647	beneficiaries from fee-for-service to the capitated Children's
648	Medical Services Network. The Agency for Health Care
649	Administration may submit a request for nonoperating budget
650	authority to transfer the federal funds to the Department of
651	Health pursuant to s. 216.181(12), Florida Statutes. This
652	section expires July 1, 2021.

Section 13. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 225 and 226 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, and notwithstanding the expiration date in section 19 of chapter 2019-116, Laws of Florida, subsection (23) of section 409.908, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:

658 409.908 Reimbursement of Medicaid providers.-Subject to 659 specific appropriations, the agency shall reimburse Medicaid 660 providers, in accordance with state and federal law, according 661 to methodologies set forth in the rules of the agency and in 662 policy manuals and handbooks incorporated by reference therein. 663 These methodologies may include fee schedules, reimbursement 664 methods based on cost reporting, negotiated fees, competitive 665 bidding pursuant to s. 287.057, and other mechanisms the agency 666 considers efficient and effective for purchasing services or goods on behalf of recipients. If a provider is reimbursed based 667

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 668 on cost reporting and submits a cost report late and that cost 669 report would have been used to set a lower reimbursement rate 670 for a rate semester, then the provider's rate for that semester 671 shall be retroactively calculated using the new cost report, and 672 full payment at the recalculated rate shall be effected 673 retroactively. Medicare-granted extensions for filing cost 674 reports, if applicable, shall also apply to Medicaid cost 675 reports. Payment for Medicaid compensable services made on 676 behalf of Medicaid eligible persons is subject to the 677 availability of moneys and any limitations or directions 678 provided for in the General Appropriations Act or chapter 216. 679 Further, nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent 680 or limit the agency from adjusting fees, reimbursement rates, 681 lengths of stay, number of visits, or number of services, or 682 making any other adjustments necessary to comply with the 683 availability of moneys and any limitations or directions 684 provided for in the General Appropriations Act, provided the 685 adjustment is consistent with legislative intent.

(23) (a) The agency shall establish rates at a level that ensures no increase in statewide expenditures resulting from a change in unit costs for county health departments effective July 1, 2011. Reimbursement rates shall be as provided in the General Appropriations Act.

(b)1. Base rate reimbursement for inpatient services under
a diagnosis-related group payment methodology shall be provided
in the General Appropriations Act.

694 2. Base rate reimbursement for outpatient services under an
695 enhanced ambulatory payment group methodology shall be provided
696 in the General Appropriations Act.

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 697 3. Prospective payment system reimbursement for nursing 698 home services shall be as provided in subsection (2) and in the 699 General Appropriations Act. 700 Section 14. The text of s. 409.908(23), Florida Statutes, 701 as carried forward from chapter 2018-10, Laws of Florida, by 702 this act, expires July 1, 2021, and the text of that subsection 703 shall revert to that in existence on October 1, 2018, not 704 including any amendments made by chapter 2018-10, Laws of 705 Florida, except that any amendments to such text enacted other 706 than by this act and chapters 2019-116 and 2018-10, Laws of 707 Florida, shall be preserved and continue to operate to the 708 extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the portions 709 of text which expire pursuant to this section.

Section 15. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 209 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, and notwithstanding the expiration date in section 21 of chapter 2019-116, Laws of Florida, subsection (26) of section 409.908, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:

715 409.908 Reimbursement of Medicaid providers.-Subject to 716 specific appropriations, the agency shall reimburse Medicaid 717 providers, in accordance with state and federal law, according 718 to methodologies set forth in the rules of the agency and in 719 policy manuals and handbooks incorporated by reference therein. 720 These methodologies may include fee schedules, reimbursement 721 methods based on cost reporting, negotiated fees, competitive 722 bidding pursuant to s. 287.057, and other mechanisms the agency 723 considers efficient and effective for purchasing services or goods on behalf of recipients. If a provider is reimbursed based 724 725 on cost reporting and submits a cost report late and that cost

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 726 report would have been used to set a lower reimbursement rate 727 for a rate semester, then the provider's rate for that semester 728 shall be retroactively calculated using the new cost report, and 729 full payment at the recalculated rate shall be effected 730 retroactively. Medicare-granted extensions for filing cost 731 reports, if applicable, shall also apply to Medicaid cost 732 reports. Payment for Medicaid compensable services made on 733 behalf of Medicaid eligible persons is subject to the 734 availability of moneys and any limitations or directions 735 provided for in the General Appropriations Act or chapter 216. 736 Further, nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent 737 or limit the agency from adjusting fees, reimbursement rates, 738 lengths of stay, number of visits, or number of services, or 739 making any other adjustments necessary to comply with the 740 availability of moneys and any limitations or directions 741 provided for in the General Appropriations Act, provided the 742 adjustment is consistent with legislative intent.

743 (26) The agency may receive funds from state entities, 744 including, but not limited to, the Department of Health, local 745 governments, and other local political subdivisions, for the 746 purpose of making special exception payments and Low Income Pool 747 Program payments, including federal matching funds. Funds 748 received for this purpose shall be separately accounted for and 749 may not be commingled with other state or local funds in any 750 manner. The agency may certify all local governmental funds used 751 as state match under Title XIX of the Social Security Act to the 752 extent and in the manner authorized under the General 753 Appropriations Act and pursuant to an agreement between the 754 agency and the local governmental entity. In order for the

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755	agency to certify such local governmental funds, a local
756	governmental entity must submit a final, executed letter of
757	agreement to the agency, which must be received by October 1 of
758	each fiscal year and provide the total amount of local
759	governmental funds authorized by the entity for that fiscal year
760	under the General Appropriations Act. The local governmental
761	entity shall use a certification form prescribed by the agency.
762	At a minimum, the certification form must identify the amount
763	being certified and describe the relationship between the
764	certifying local governmental entity and the local health care
765	provider. Local governmental funds outlined in the letters of
766	agreement must be received by the agency no later than October
767	31 of each fiscal year in which such funds are pledged, unless
768	an alternative plan is specifically approved by the agency.
769	Section 16. The text of s. 409.908(26), Florida Statutes,
770	as carried forward from chapter 2019-116, Laws of Florida, by
771	this act, expires July 1, 2021, and the text of that subsection
772	shall revert to that in existence on June 30, 2019, except that
773	any amendments to such text enacted other than by this act shall
774	be preserved and continue to operate to the extent that such
775	amendments are not dependent upon the portions of text which
776	expire pursuant to this section.
777	Section 17. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
778	207, 211, 212, 214, 216, and 225 of the 2020-2021 General

207, 211, 212, 214, 216, and 225 of the 2020-2021 General
Appropriations Act, subsection (12) of section 409.904, Florida
Statutes, is amended to read:

409.904 Optional payments for eligible persons.—The agency
may make payments for medical assistance and related services on
behalf of the following persons who are determined to be

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784	eligible subject to the income, assets, and categorical
785	eligibility tests set forth in federal and state law. Payment on
786	behalf of these Medicaid eligible persons is subject to the
787	availability of moneys and any limitations established by the
788	General Appropriations Act or chapter 216.
789	(12) Effective July 1, <u>2020</u> <del>2019</del> , the agency shall make
790	payments to Medicaid-covered services:
791	(a) For eligible children and pregnant women, retroactive
792	for a period of no more than 90 days before the month in which
793	an application for Medicaid is submitted.
794	(b) For eligible nonpregnant adults, retroactive to the
795	first day of the month in which an application for Medicaid is
796	submitted.
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798	This subsection expires July 1, <u>2021</u> <del>2020</del> .
799	Section 18. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
800	181 through 184 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, and
801	notwithstanding the expiration date in section 31 of chapter
802	2019-116, Laws of Florida, paragraph (b) of subsection (5) of
803	section 624.91, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:
804	624.91 The Florida Healthy Kids Corporation Act
805	(5) CORPORATION AUTHORIZATION, DUTIES, POWERS
806	(b) The Florida Healthy Kids Corporation shall:
807	1. Arrange for the collection of any family, local
808	contributions, or employer payment or premium, in an amount to
809	be determined by the board of directors, to provide for payment
810	of premiums for comprehensive insurance coverage and for the
811	actual or estimated administrative expenses.
812	2. Arrange for the collection of any voluntary

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 813 contributions to provide for payment of Florida Kidcare program 814 premiums for children who are not eligible for medical 815 assistance under Title XIX or Title XXI of the Social Security 816 Act. 817 3. Subject to the provisions of s. 409.8134, accept voluntary supplemental local match contributions that comply 818 819 with the requirements of Title XXI of the Social Security Act 820 for the purpose of providing additional Florida Kidcare coverage

822 4. Establish the administrative and accounting procedures823 for the operation of the corporation.

in contributing counties under Title XXI.

5. Establish, with consultation from appropriate professional organizations, standards for preventive health services and providers and comprehensive insurance benefits appropriate to children, provided that such standards for rural areas shall not limit primary care providers to board-certified pediatricians.

6. Determine eligibility for children seeking to
participate in the Title XXI-funded components of the Florida
Kidcare program consistent with the requirements specified in s.
409.814, as well as the non-Title-XXI-eligible children as
provided in subsection (3).

835 7. Establish procedures under which providers of local 836 match to, applicants to and participants in the program may have 837 grievances reviewed by an impartial body and reported to the 838 board of directors of the corporation.

839 8. Establish participation criteria and, if appropriate,
840 contract with an authorized insurer, health maintenance
841 organization, or third-party administrator to provide

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842 administrative services to the corporation. 843 9. Establish enrollment criteria that include penalties or 844 waiting periods of 30 days for reinstatement of coverage upon 845 voluntary cancellation for nonpayment of family premiums. 846 10. Contract with authorized insurers or any provider of 847 health care services, meeting standards established by the 848 corporation, for the provision of comprehensive insurance 849 coverage to participants. Such standards shall include criteria 850 under which the corporation may contract with more than one 851 provider of health care services in program sites. Health plans 852 shall be selected through a competitive bid process. The Florida 853 Healthy Kids Corporation shall purchase goods and services in 854 the most cost-effective manner consistent with the delivery of 855 quality medical care. The maximum administrative cost for a 856 Florida Healthy Kids Corporation contract shall be 15 percent. 857 For health care contracts, the minimum medical loss ratio for a 858 Florida Healthy Kids Corporation contract shall be 85 percent. 859 For dental contracts, the remaining compensation to be paid to 860 the authorized insurer or provider under a Florida Healthy Kids 861 Corporation contract shall be no less than an amount which is 85 862 percent of premium; to the extent any contract provision does 863 not provide for this minimum compensation, this section shall 864 prevail. For an insurer or any provider of health care services 865 which achieves an annual medical loss ratio below 85 percent, 866 the Florida Healthy Kids Corporation shall validate the medical 867 loss ratio and calculate an amount to be refunded by the insurer 868 or any provider of health care services to the state which shall 869 be deposited into the General Revenue Fund unallocated. The 870 health plan selection criteria and scoring system, and the

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 871 scoring results, shall be available upon request for inspection 872 after the bids have been awarded. 873 11. Establish disenrollment criteria in the event local 874 matching funds are insufficient to cover enrollments. 875 12. Develop and implement a plan to publicize the Florida 876 Kidcare program, the eligibility requirements of the program, 877 and the procedures for enrollment in the program and to maintain 878 public awareness of the corporation and the program. 879 13. Secure staff necessary to properly administer the 880 corporation. Staff costs shall be funded from state and local 881 matching funds and such other private or public funds as become 882 available. The board of directors shall determine the number of 883 staff members necessary to administer the corporation. 884 14. In consultation with the partner agencies, provide a 885 report on the Florida Kidcare program annually to the Governor, 886 the Chief Financial Officer, the Commissioner of Education, the

887 President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of 888 Representatives, and the Minority Leaders of the Senate and the 889 House of Representatives.

890 15. Provide information on a quarterly basis to the 891 Legislature and the Governor which compares the costs and 892 utilization of the full-pay enrolled population and the Title 893 XXI-subsidized enrolled population in the Florida Kidcare 894 program. The information, at a minimum, must include:

a. The monthly enrollment and expenditure for full-pay
enrollees in the Medikids and Florida Healthy Kids programs
compared to the Title XXI-subsidized enrolled population; and

b. The costs and utilization by service of the full-payenrollees in the Medikids and Florida Healthy Kids programs and

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900	the Title XXI-subsidized enrolled population.
901	16. Establish benefit packages that conform to the
902	provisions of the Florida Kidcare program, as created in ss.
903	409.810-409.821.
904	Section 19. The text of s. 624.91(5)(b), Florida Statutes,
905	as carried forward from chapter 2019-116, Laws of Florida, by
906	this act, expires July 1, 2021, and the text of that paragraph
907	shall revert to that in existence on June 30, 2019, except that
908	any amendments to such text enacted other than by this act shall
909	be preserved and continue to operate to the extent that such
910	amendments are not dependent upon the portions of text which
911	expire pursuant to this section.
912	Section 20. In order to implement Specific Appropriation
913	458 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, subsection (4)
914	of section 381.915, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
915	381.915 Florida Consortium of National Cancer Institute
916	Centers Program
917	(4) Tier designations and corresponding weights within the
918	Florida Consortium of National Cancer Institute Centers Program
919	are as follows:
920	(a) Tier 1: Florida-based NCI-designated comprehensive
921	cancer centers, which shall be weighted at 1.5.
922	(b) Tier 2: Florida-based NCI-designated cancer centers,
923	which shall be weighted at 1.25.
924	(c) Tier 3: Florida-based cancer centers seeking
925	designation as either a NCI-designated cancer center or NCI-
926	designated comprehensive cancer center, which shall be weighted
927	at 1.0.
928	1. A cancer center shall meet the following minimum
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such designation.

576-02070-20 20202502pb 929 criteria to be considered eligible for Tier 3 designation in any given fiscal year: 930 931 a. Conducting cancer-related basic scientific research and 932 cancer-related population scientific research; 933 b. Offering and providing the full range of diagnostic and 934 treatment services on site, as determined by the Commission on 935 Cancer of the American College of Surgeons; 936 c. Hosting or conducting cancer-related interventional 937 clinical trials that are registered with the NCI's Clinical 938 Trials Reporting Program; 939 d. Offering degree-granting programs or affiliating with 940 universities through degree-granting programs accredited or 941 approved by a nationally recognized agency and offered through 942 the center or through the center in conjunction with another institution accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the 943 944 Southern Association of Colleges and Schools; 945 e. Providing training to clinical trainees, medical 946 trainees accredited by the Accreditation Council for Graduate 947 Medical Education or the American Osteopathic Association, and 948 postdoctoral fellows recently awarded a doctorate degree; and 949 f. Having more than \$5 million in annual direct costs 950 associated with their total NCI peer-reviewed grant funding. 951 2. The General Appropriations Act or accompanying 952 legislation may limit the number of cancer centers which shall 953 receive Tier 3 designations or provide additional criteria for

955 3. A cancer center's participation in Tier 3 <u>may not extend</u>
956 beyond July 1, 2021 shall be limited to 6 years.

4. A cancer center that qualifies as a designated Tier 3

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 958 center under the criteria provided in subparagraph 1. by July 1, 959 2014, is authorized to pursue NCI designation as a cancer center or a comprehensive cancer center until July 1, 2021 for 6 years 960 961 after qualification. 962 Section 21. The amendments to s. 381.915(4), Florida 963 Statutes, by this act expire July 1, 2021, and the text of that 964 subsection shall revert to that in existence on June 30, 2020, except that any amendments to such text enacted other than by 965 966 this act shall be preserved and continue to operate to the 967 extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the portions 968 of text which expire pursuant to this section. 969 Section 22. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 970 536, 537, 542, and 545 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations 971 Act, subsection (17) of section 893.055, Florida Statutes, is 972 amended to read: 973 893.055 Prescription drug monitoring program.-974 (17) For the 2020-2021 <del>2019-2020</del> fiscal year only, neither 975 the Attorney General nor the department may use funds received 976 as part of a settlement agreement to administer the prescription 977 drug monitoring program. This subsection expires July 1, 2021 978 <del>2020</del>.

979 Section 23. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 980 208 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, subsections (2) 981 and (10) of section 409.911, Florida Statutes, are amended to 982 read:

983 409.911 Disproportionate share program.-Subject to specific 984 allocations established within the General Appropriations Act 985 and any limitations established pursuant to chapter 216, the 986 agency shall distribute, pursuant to this section, moneys to

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 987 hospitals providing a disproportionate share of Medicaid or 988 charity care services by making quarterly Medicaid payments as 989 required. Notwithstanding the provisions of s. 409.915, counties 990 are exempt from contributing toward the cost of this special 991 reimbursement for hospitals serving a disproportionate share of 992 low-income patients. 993 (2) The Agency for Health Care Administration shall use the 994 following actual audited data to determine the Medicaid days and 995 charity care to be used in calculating the disproportionate 996 share payment: 997 (a) The average of the 2012, 2013, and 2014 2011, 2012, and 998  $\frac{2013}{2013}$  audited disproportionate share data to determine each 999 hospital's Medicaid days and charity care for the 2020-2021 1000 2019-2020 state fiscal year. 1001 (b) If the Agency for Health Care Administration does not 1002 have the prescribed 3 years of audited disproportionate share 1003 data as noted in paragraph (a) for a hospital, the agency shall 1004 use the average of the years of the audited disproportionate 1005 share data as noted in paragraph (a) which is available. 1006 (c) In accordance with s. 1923(b) of the Social Security 1007 Act, a hospital with a Medicaid inpatient utilization rate 1008 greater than one standard deviation above the statewide mean or

1008 greater than one standard deviation above the statewide mean or 1009 a hospital with a low-income utilization rate of 25 percent or 1010 greater shall qualify for reimbursement.

(10) Notwithstanding any provision of this section to the contrary, for the <u>2020-2021</u> <del>2019-2020</del> state fiscal year, the agency shall distribute moneys to hospitals providing a disproportionate share of Medicaid or charity care services as provided in the <u>2020-2021</u> <del>2019-2020</del> General Appropriations Act.

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 1016 This subsection expires July 1, 2021 2020. 1017 Section 24. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 1018 208 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, subsection (3) 1019 of section 409.9113, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 1020 409.9113 Disproportionate share program for teaching 1021 hospitals.-In addition to the payments made under s. 409.911, 1022 the agency shall make disproportionate share payments to 1023 teaching hospitals, as defined in s. 408.07, for their increased 1024 costs associated with medical education programs and for 1025 tertiary health care services provided to the indigent. This 1026 system of payments must conform to federal requirements and 1027 distribute funds in each fiscal year for which an appropriation 1028 is made by making quarterly Medicaid payments. Notwithstanding 1029 s. 409.915, counties are exempt from contributing toward the 1030 cost of this special reimbursement for hospitals serving a disproportionate share of low-income patients. The agency shall 1031 1032 distribute the moneys provided in the General Appropriations Act 1033 to statutorily defined teaching hospitals and family practice 1034 teaching hospitals, as defined in s. 395.805, pursuant to this 1035 section. The funds provided for statutorily defined teaching 1036 hospitals shall be distributed as provided in the General 1037 Appropriations Act. The funds provided for family practice 1038 teaching hospitals shall be distributed equally among family 1039 practice teaching hospitals.

1040 (3) Notwithstanding any provision of this section to the 1041 contrary, for the <u>2020-2021</u> <del>2019-2020</del> state fiscal year, the 1042 agency shall make disproportionate share payments to teaching 1043 hospitals, as defined in s. 408.07, as provided in the <u>2020-2021</u> 1044 <del>2019-2020</del> General Appropriations Act. This subsection expires

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1045	July 1, <u>2021</u> <del>2020</del> .
1046	Section 25. In order to implement Specific Appropriation
1047	208 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, subsection (4)
1048	of section 409.9119, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
1049	409.9119 Disproportionate share program for specialty
1050	hospitals for childrenIn addition to the payments made under
1051	s. 409.911, the Agency for Health Care Administration shall
1052	develop and implement a system under which disproportionate
1053	share payments are made to those hospitals that are separately
1054	licensed by the state as specialty hospitals for children, have
1055	a federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
1056	certification number in the 3300-3399 range, have Medicaid days
1057	that exceed 55 percent of their total days and Medicare days
1058	that are less than 5 percent of their total days, and were
1059	licensed on January 1, 2013, as specialty hospitals for
1060	children. This system of payments must conform to federal
1061	requirements and must distribute funds in each fiscal year for
1062	which an appropriation is made by making quarterly Medicaid
1063	payments. Notwithstanding s. 409.915, counties are exempt from
1064	contributing toward the cost of this special reimbursement for
1065	hospitals that serve a disproportionate share of low-income
1066	patients. The agency may make disproportionate share payments to
1067	specialty hospitals for children as provided for in the General
1068	Appropriations Act.
1069	(4) Notwithstanding any provision of this section to the

(4) Notwithstanding any provision of this section to the contrary, for the <u>2020-2021</u> <del>2019-2020</del> state fiscal year, for hospitals achieving full compliance under subsection (3), the agency shall make disproportionate share payments to specialty hospitals for children as provided in the <u>2020-2021</u> <del>2019-2020</del>

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 1074 General Appropriations Act. This subsection expires July 1, 2021 1075  $\frac{2020}{200}$ . 1076 Section 26. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 1077 201 through 228 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, and 1078 notwithstanding ss. 216.181 and 216.292, Florida Statutes, the 1079 Agency for Health Care Administration may submit a budget 1080 amendment, subject to the notice, review, and objection procedures of s. 216.177, Florida Statutes, to realign funding 1081 1082 within the Medicaid program appropriation categories to address 1083 projected surpluses and deficits within the program and to 1084 maximize the use of state trust funds. A single budget amendment 1085 shall be submitted in the last quarter of the 2020-2021 fiscal year only. This section expires July 1, 2021. 1086 1087 Section 27. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 1088 406 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, and subject to 1089 federal approval of the application to be a site for the Program 1090 of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly, the Agency for Health 1091 Care Administration shall contract with one private health care 1092 organization, the sole member of which is a private, not-for-1093 profit corporation that owns and manages health care 1094 organizations that provide comprehensive long-term care 1095 services, including nursing home, assisted living, independent 1096 housing, home care, adult day care, and care management. This 1097 organization shall provide these services to frail and elderly persons who reside in Escambia, Okaloosa, and Santa Rosa 1098 1099 Counties. The organization is exempt from the requirements of 1100 chapter 641, Florida Statutes. The agency, in consultation with 1101 the Department of Elderly Affairs and subject to an 1102 appropriation, shall approve up to 200 initial enrollees in the

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1103	Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly established by
1104	this organization to serve elderly persons who reside in
1105	Escambia, Okaloosa, and Santa Rosa Counties. This section
1106	expires July 1, 2021.
1107	Section 28. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
1108	181 through 186 and 526 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations
1109	Act, and notwithstanding ss. 216.181 and 216.292, Florida
1110	Statutes, the Agency for Health Care Administration and the
1111	Department of Health may each submit a budget amendment, subject
1112	to the notice, review, and objection procedures of s. 216.177,
1113	Florida Statutes, to realign funding within the Florida Kidcare
1114	program appropriation categories, or to increase budget
1115	authority in the Children's Medical Services Network category,
1116	to address projected surpluses and deficits within the program
1117	or to maximize the use of state trust funds. A single budget
1118	amendment must be submitted by each agency in the last quarter
1119	of the 2020-2021 fiscal year only. This section expires July 1,
1120	2021.
1121	Section 29. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
1122	468 through 470, 475, and 482 of the 2020-2021 General
1123	Appropriations Act, subsection (17) of section 381.986, Florida
1124	Statutes, is amended to read:
1125	381.986 Medical use of marijuana.—
1126	(17) Rules adopted pursuant to this section before July 1,
1127	2021 2020, are not subject to ss. 120.54(3)(b) and 120.541.
1128	Notwithstanding paragraph (8)(e), a medical marijuana treatment
1129	center may use a laboratory that has not been certified by the
1130	department under s. 381.988 until such time as at least one
1131	laboratory holds the required certification pursuant to s.

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rule pursuant to this section to replace the rule that has

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1190	replace all emergency rules adopted under this section by
1191	publishing a notice of rule development in the Florida
1192	Administrative Register. Except as provided in paragraph (a),
1193	after July 1, 2021 <del>January 1, 2018</del> , the department and
1194	applicable boards may not adopt rules pursuant to the emergency
1195	rulemaking procedures provided in this section.
1196	Section 32. The amendment to s. 14(1) of chapter 2017-232,
1197	Laws of Florida, by this act expires July 1, 2021, and the text
1198	of that subsection shall revert to that in existence on June 30,
1199	2019, except that any amendments to such text enacted other than
1200	by this act shall be preserved and continue to operate to the
1201	extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the portions
1202	of text which expire pursuant to this section.
1203	Section 33. In order to implement Specific Appropriation
1204	195 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, and
1205	notwithstanding s. 409.902(3)-(8), Florida Statutes:
1206	(1) The Agency for Health Care Administration shall replace
1207	the Medicaid Enterprise System (MES), which includes the Florida
1208	Medicaid Management Information System (FMMIS), enrollment
1209	broker system, third-party liability functionality, pharmacy
1210	benefits management, fraud and abuse case tracking, prior
1211	authorization, home health electronic visit verification, and
1212	the Health Quality Assurance licensure system, with an
1213	integrated enterprise system consisting of a new integration
1214	platform, data warehouse, and modules for Provider Management,
1215	Case Management, and Recipient Enrollment and Management. The
1216	new system, the Florida Health Care Connection (FX) system, must
1217	provide better integration with subsystems supporting Florida's
1218	Medicaid program; uniformity, consistency, and improved access

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1219	to data; and compatibility with the Centers for Medicare and
1220	Medicaid Services' Medicaid Information Technology Architecture
1221	(MITA) as the system matures and expands its functionality.
1222	(2) For purposes of replacing MES, the Agency for Health
1223	Care Administration shall:
1224	(a) Comply with and not exceed the Centers for Medicare and
1225	Medicaid Services funding authorizations for the FX system.
1226	(b) Ensure compliance and uniformity with published MITA
1227	framework and guidelines.
1228	(c) Ensure that all business requirements and technical
1229	specifications have been provided to the state's health and
1230	human services agencies for their review and input, and are
1231	approved by the executive steering committee established in
1232	paragraph (e), before the agency contracts for implementation or
1233	system development of new modules for the FX system.
1234	(d) Ensure the new FX system is compatible with and will
1235	seamlessly integrate financial and fiscal information into the
1236	state's new planning, accounting, and ledger management system,
1237	PALM.
1238	(e) Implement a project governance structure that includes
1239	an executive steering committee composed of:
1240	1. The Secretary of Health Care Administration, or the
1241	executive sponsor of the project.
1242	2. A representative of the Division of Health Quality
1243	Assurance of the Agency for Health Care Administration,
1244	appointed by the Secretary of Health Care Administration.
1245	3. A representative of the Florida Center for Health
1246	Information and Transparency of the Agency for Health Care
1247	Administration, appointed by the Secretary of Health Care

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1248	Administration.
1249	4. A representative of the Division of Information
1250	Technology of the Agency for Health Care Administration,
1251	appointed by the Secretary of Health Care Administration.
1252	5. A representative of the Division of Operations of the
1253	Agency for Health Care Administration, appointed by the
1254	Secretary of Health Care Administration.
1255	6. Two employees from the Division of Medicaid of the
1256	Agency for Health Care Administration, appointed by the
1257	Secretary of Health Care Administration.
1258	7. The Assistant Secretary for Child Welfare of the
1259	Department of Children and Families, or his or her designee.
1260	8. The Assistant Secretary for Economic Self-Sufficiency of
1261	the Department of Children and Families, or his or her designee.
1262	9. The Deputy Secretary for Children's Medical Services of
1263	the Department of Health, or his or her designee.
1264	10. A representative of the Agency for Persons with
1265	Disabilities who has experience with the preparation and
1266	submission of waivers to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid
1267	Services, appointed by the director of the Agency for Persons
1268	with Disabilities.
1269	11. A representative for the Department of Elderly Affairs
1270	who has experience with the Medicaid Program within that
1271	department, appointed by the Secretary of Elderly Affairs.
1272	12. A representative for the Department of Corrections who
1273	has experience Medicaid reporting within that department,
1274	appointed by the Secretary of Corrections.
1275	13. A representative for the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit
1276	within the Office of the Attorney General, appointed by the

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1277	Attorney General.
1278	14. A representative of the Department of Financial
1279	Services who has experience with the state's financial processes
1280	including development of the PALM system, appointed by the Chief
1281	Financial Officer.
1282	(3) The Secretary of Health Care Administration or the
1283	executive sponsor of the project shall serve as chair of the
1284	executive steering committee, and the committee shall take
1285	action by a vote of at least 10 affirmative votes with the chair
1286	voting on the prevailing side. A quorum of the executive
1287	steering committee consists of at least 11 members.
1288	(4) The executive steering committee has the overall
1289	responsibility for ensuring that the project to replace MES
1290	meets its primary business objectives and shall:
1291	(a) Identify and recommend to the Executive Office of the
1292	Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the
1293	House of Representatives any statutory changes needed to
1294	standardize the data collection and reporting for the state's
1295	Medicaid program.
1296	(b) Review and approve any changes to the project's scope,
1297	schedule, and budget which do not conflict with the requirements
1298	of subsection (1).
1299	(c) Ensure that adequate resources are provided throughout
1300	all phases of the project.
1301	(d) Approve all major project deliverables.
1302	(e) Approve all solicitation-related documents associated
1303	with the replacement of MES.
1304	(5) This section expires July 1, 2021.
1305	Section 34. In order to implement Specific Appropriations

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1306	330, 332, 361, and 362 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations
1307	Act, and notwithstanding ss. 216.181 and 216.292, Florida
1308	Statutes, the Department of Children and Families may submit a
1309	budget amendment, subject to the notice, review, and objection
1310	procedures of s. 216.177, Florida Statutes, to realign funding
1311	within the department based on the implementation of the
1312	Guardianship Assistance Program, between and among the specific
1313	appropriations for guardianship assistance payments, foster care
1314	Level 1 room and board payments, relative caregiver payments,
1315	and nonrelative caregiver payments. This section expires July 1,
1316	<u>2021.</u>
1317	Section 35. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
1318	330 and 332 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, the
1319	Department of Children and Families shall establish a formula to
1320	distribute the recurring sums of \$10,597,824 from the General
1321	Revenue Fund and \$11,922,238 from the Federal Grants Trust Fund
1322	for actual and direct costs to implement the Guardianship
1323	Assistance Program, including Level 1 foster care board
1324	payments, licensing staff for community-based care lead
1325	agencies, and guardianship assistance payments. This section
1326	expires July 1, 2021.
1327	Section 36. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
1328	554 through 560 and 562 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations
1329	Act, subsection (3) of section 296.37, Florida Statutes, is
1330	amended to read:
1331	296.37 Residents; contribution to support
1332	(3) Notwithstanding subsection (1), each resident of the
1333	home who receives a pension, compensation, or gratuity from the
1334	United States Government, or income from any other source, of

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1335	more than \$130 per month shall contribute to his or her
1336	maintenance and support while a resident of the home in
1337	accordance with a payment schedule determined by the
1338	administrator and approved by the director. The total amount of
1339	such contributions shall be to the fullest extent possible, but,
1340	in no case, shall exceed the actual cost of operating and
1341	maintaining the home. This subsection expires July 1, $2021$ $2020$ .
1342	Section 37. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
1343	353 and 354 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, and
1344	notwithstanding ss. 216.181 and 216.292, Florida Statutes, the
1345	Department of Children and Families may submit a budget
1346	amendment, subject to the notice, review, and objection
1347	procedures of s. 216.177, Florida Statutes, to increase budget
1348	authority for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program if
1349	additional federal revenue specific to the program becomes
1350	available for the program in the 2020-2021 fiscal year. This
1351	section expires July 1, 2021.
1352	Section 38. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
1353	312 through 315, 319, 320, 323, 328, 330, and 332 of the 2020-
1354	2021 General Appropriations Act, and notwithstanding ss. 216.181
1355	and 216.292, Florida Statutes, the Department of Children and
1356	Families may submit a budget amendment, subject to the notice,
1357	review, and objection procedures of s. 216.177, Florida
1358	Statutes, to realign funding within the Family Safety Program to
1359	maximize the use of Title IV-E and other federal funds. This
1360	section expires July 1, 2021.
1361	Section 39. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
1362	582 through 673 and 685 through 720 of the 2020-2021 General
1363	Appropriations Act, subsection (4) of section 216.262, Florida

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576-02070-20 20202502pb Statutes, is amended to read: 1364 1365 216.262 Authorized positions.-1366 (4) Notwithstanding the provisions of this chapter relating 1367 to increasing the number of authorized positions, and for the 1368 2020-2021 <del>2019-2020</del> fiscal year only, if the actual inmate population of the Department of Corrections exceeds the inmate 1369 1370 population projections of the December 17, 2019 February 22, 1371 2019, Criminal Justice Estimating Conference by 1 percent for 2 1372 consecutive months or 2 percent for any month, the Executive 1373 Office of the Governor, with the approval of the Legislative 1374 Budget Commission, shall immediately notify the Criminal Justice 1375 Estimating Conference, which shall convene as soon as possible 1376 to revise the estimates. The Department of Corrections may then submit a budget amendment requesting the establishment of 1377 1378 positions in excess of the number authorized by the Legislature 1379 and additional appropriations from unallocated general revenue 1380 sufficient to provide for essential staff, fixed capital 1381 improvements, and other resources to provide classification, 1382 security, food services, health services, and other variable 1383 expenses within the institutions to accommodate the estimated 1384 increase in the inmate population. All actions taken pursuant to 1385 this subsection are subject to review and approval by the 1386 Legislative Budget Commission. This subsection expires July 1, 1387 2021 <del>2020</del>.

Section 40. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 707 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, and upon the expiration and reversion of the amendments made by section 52 of chapter 2019-116, Laws of Florida, paragraph (b) of subsection (8) of section 1011.80, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

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1393	1011.80 Funds for operation of workforce education
1394	programs
1395	(8)
1396	(b) State funds provided for the operation of postsecondary
1397	workforce programs may not be expended for the education of
1398	state or federal inmates, except to the extent that such funds
1399	are specifically appropriated for such purpose in the 2020-2021
1400	General Appropriations Act with more than 24 months of time
1401	remaining to serve on their sentences or federal inmates.
1402	Section 41. The amendment made to s. 1011.80(8)(b), Florida
1403	Statutes, by this act expires July 1, 2021, and the text of that
1404	paragraph shall revert to that in existence on July 1, 2019, but
1405	not including any amendments made by this act or chapters 2019-
1406	116 and 2018-10, Laws of Florida, and any amendments to such
1407	text enacted other than by this act shall be preserved and
1408	continue to operate to the extent that such amendments are not
1409	dependent upon the portions of text which expire pursuant to
1410	this section.
1411	Section 42. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
1412	3187 through 3253 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act,
1413	subsection (2) of section 215.18, Florida Statutes, is amended
1414	to read:
1415	215.18 Transfers between funds; limitation
1416	(2) The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court may receive one

or more trust fund loans to ensure that the state court system has funds sufficient to meet its appropriations in the <u>2020-2021</u> <del>2019-2020</del> General Appropriations Act. If the Chief Justice accesses the loan, he or she must notify the Governor and the chairs of the legislative appropriations committees in writing.

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 1422 The loan must come from other funds in the State Treasury which are for the time being or otherwise in excess of the amounts 1423 1424 necessary to meet the just requirements of such last-mentioned 1425 funds. The Governor shall order the transfer of funds within 5 1426 days after the written notification from the Chief Justice. If 1427 the Governor does not order the transfer, the Chief Financial 1428 Officer shall transfer the requested funds. The loan of funds 1429 from which any money is temporarily transferred must be repaid by the end of the 2020-2021 2019-2020 fiscal year. This 1430 1431 subsection expires July 1, 2021 2020. 1432 Section 43. (1) In order to implement Specific 1433 Appropriations 1120 through 1131 of the 2020-2021 General 1434 Appropriations Act, the Department of Juvenile Justice is 1435 required to review county juvenile detention payments to ensure 1436 that counties fulfill their financial responsibilities required 1437 in s. 985.6865, Florida Statutes. If the Department of Juvenile 1438 Justice determines that a county has not met its obligations, 1439 the department shall direct the Department of Revenue to deduct 1440 the amount owed to the Department of Juvenile Justice from the 1441 funds provided to the county under s. 218.23, Florida Statutes. 1442 The Department of Revenue shall transfer the funds withheld to the Shared County/State Juvenile Detention Trust Fund. 1443 1444 (2) As an assurance to holders of bonds issued by counties 1445 before July 1, 2020, for which distributions made pursuant to s. 218.23, Florida Statutes, are pledged, or bonds issued to refund 1446 1447 such bonds which mature no later than the bonds they refunded 1448 and which result in a reduction of debt service payable in each fiscal year, the amount available for distribution to a county 1449

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shall remain as provided by law and continue to be subject to

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1451	any lien or claim on behalf of the bondholders. The Department
1452	of Revenue must ensure, based on information provided by an
1453	affected county, that any reduction in amounts distributed
1454	pursuant to subsection (1) does not reduce the amount of
1455	distribution to a county below the amount necessary for the
1456	timely payment of principal and interest when due on the bonds
1457	and the amount necessary to comply with any covenant under the
1458	bond resolution or other documents relating to the issuance of
1459	the bonds. If a reduction to a county's monthly distribution
1460	must be decreased in order to comply with this section, the
1461	Department of Revenue must notify the Department of Juvenile
1462	Justice of the amount of the decrease, and the Department of
1463	Juvenile Justice must send a bill for payment of such amount to
1464	the affected county.
1465	(3) This section expires July 1, 2021.
1466	Section 44. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
1467	731 through 752, 916 through 1062, and 1083 through 1119 of the
1468	2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, and notwithstanding the
1469	expiration date in section 57 of chapter 2019-116, Laws of
1470	Florida, present subsection (11) of section 27.40, Florida
1471	Statutes is renumbered as subsection (12), a new subsection (11)
1472	is added to that section, and subsection (1), paragraph (a) of
1473	subsection (2), paragraph (a) of subsection (3), and subsections
1474	(5), (6), and (7) of that section are reenacted, to read:
1475	27.40 Court-appointed counsel; circuit registries; minimum
1476	requirements; appointment by court
1477	(1) Counsel shall be appointed to represent any individual
1478	in a criminal or civil proceeding entitled to court-appointed

14/8 in a criminal or civil proceeding entitled to court-appointed 1479 counsel under the Federal or State Constitution or as authorized

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1480 by general law. The court shall appoint a public defender to 1481 represent indigent persons as authorized in s. 27.51. The office 1482 of criminal conflict and civil regional counsel shall be 1483 appointed to represent persons in those cases in which provision 1484 is made for court-appointed counsel, but only after the public 1485 defender has certified to the court in writing that the public 1486 defender is unable to provide representation due to a conflict 1487 of interest or is not authorized to provide representation. The 1488 public defender shall report, in the aggregate, the specific 1489 basis of all conflicts of interest certified to the court. On a 1490 quarterly basis, the public defender shall submit this 1491 information to the Justice Administrative Commission.

1492 (2) (a) Private counsel shall be appointed to represent 1493 persons in those cases in which provision is made for court-1494 appointed counsel but only after the office of criminal conflict 1495 and civil regional counsel has been appointed and has certified 1496 to the court in writing that the criminal conflict and civil 1497 regional counsel is unable to provide representation due to a 1498 conflict of interest. The criminal conflict and civil regional 1499 counsel shall report, in the aggregate, the specific basis of 1500 all conflicts of interest certified to the court. On a quarterly basis, the criminal conflict and civil regional counsel shall 1501 1502 submit this information to the Justice Administrative 1503 Commission.

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(3) In using a registry:

(a) The chief judge of the circuit shall compile a list of attorneys in private practice, by county and by category of cases, and provide the list to the clerk of court in each county. The chief judge of the circuit may restrict the number

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 1509 of attorneys on the general registry list. To be included on a 1510 registry, an attorney must certify that he or she: 1511 1. Meets any minimum requirements established by the chief 1512 judge and by general law for court appointment; 1513 2. Is available to represent indigent defendants in cases requiring court appointment of private counsel; and 1514 1515 3. Is willing to abide by the terms of the contract for 1516 services, s. 27.5304, and this section. 1517 1518 To be included on a registry, an attorney must enter into a 1519 contract for services with the Justice Administrative 1520 Commission. Failure to comply with the terms of the contract for 1521 services may result in termination of the contract and removal 1522 from the registry. Each attorney on the registry is responsible 1523 for notifying the clerk of the court and the Justice 1524 Administrative Commission of any change in his or her status. 1525 Failure to comply with this requirement is cause for termination 1526 of the contract for services and removal from the registry until 1527 the requirement is fulfilled.

1528 (5) The Justice Administrative Commission shall approve 1529 uniform contract forms for use in procuring the services of 1530 private court-appointed counsel and uniform procedures and forms 1531 for use by a court-appointed attorney in support of billing for 1532 attorney's fees, costs, and related expenses to demonstrate the 1533 attorney's completion of specified duties. Such uniform 1534 contracts and forms for use in billing must be consistent with 1535 s. 27.5304, s. 216.311, and the General Appropriations Act and 1536 must contain the following statement: "The State of Florida's performance and obligation to pay under this contract is 1537

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 1538 contingent upon an annual appropriation by the Legislature." 1539 (6) After court appointment, the attorney must immediately 1540 file a notice of appearance with the court indicating acceptance 1541 of the appointment to represent the defendant and of the terms 1542 of the uniform contract as specified in subsection (5). 1543 (7) (a) A private attorney appointed by the court from the 1544 registry to represent a client is entitled to payment as 1545 provided in s. 27.5304 so long as the requirements of subsection 1546 (1) and paragraph (2)(a) are met. An attorney appointed by the 1547 court who is not on the registry list may be compensated under 1548 s. 27.5304 only if the court finds in the order of appointment 1549 that there were no registry attorneys available for 1550 representation for that case and only if the requirements of 1551 subsection (1) and paragraph (2)(a) are met. 1552 (b)1. The flat fee established in s. 27.5304 and the General Appropriations Act shall be presumed by the court to be 1553 1554 sufficient compensation. The attorney shall maintain appropriate 1555 documentation, including contemporaneous and detailed hourly 1556 accounting of time spent representing the client. If the 1557 attorney fails to maintain such contemporaneous and detailed 1558 hourly records, the attorney waives the right to seek 1559 compensation in excess of the flat fee established in s. 27.5304 1560 and the General Appropriations Act. These records and documents 1561 are subject to review by the Justice Administrative Commission

1563 privilege and work-product privilege. The attorney shall 1564 maintain the records and documents in a manner that enables the 1565 attorney to redact any information subject to a privilege in 1566 order to facilitate the commission's review of the records and

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and audit by the Auditor General, subject to the attorney-client

576-02070-20 20202502pb 1567 documents and not to impede such review. The attorney may redact 1568 information from the records and documents only to the extent 1569 necessary to comply with the privilege. The Justice 1570 Administrative Commission shall review such records and shall 1571 contemporaneously document such review before authorizing 1572 payment to an attorney. Objections by or on behalf of the 1573 Justice Administrative Commission to records or documents or to 1574 claims for payment by the attorney shall be presumed correct by 1575 the court unless the court determines, in writing, that 1576 competent and substantial evidence exists to justify overcoming 1577 the presumption. 1578 2. If an attorney fails, refuses, or declines to permit the 1579 commission or the Auditor General to review documentation for a 1580 case as provided in this paragraph, the attorney waives the

right to seek, and the commission may not pay, compensation in excess of the flat fee established in s. 27.5304 and the General Appropriations Act for that case.

3. A finding by the commission that an attorney has waived the right to seek compensation in excess of the flat fee established in s. 27.5304 and the General Appropriations Act, as provided in this paragraph, shall be presumed to be correct, unless the court determines, in writing, that competent and substantial evidence exists to justify overcoming the presumption.

1591 <u>(11) (a) The Cross-Jurisdictional Death Penalty Pilot</u> 1592 <u>Program is established within the Office of Criminal Conflict</u> 1593 <u>and Civil Regional Counsel of the Second Appellate District.</u> 1594 <u>(b) If the public defender for the Fifth Judicial Circuit</u>

1595 or the Ninth Judicial Circuit is unable to provide

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1596	representation to an indigent defendant charged with a crime
1597	under s. 782.04(1) or s. 790.161(4) to which the provisions of
1598	s. 921.141 apply due to a conflict of interest and the Criminal
1599	Conflict and Civil Regional Counsel of the Fifth Appellate
1600	District is also unable to provide representation for an
1601	indigent defendant due to a conflict of interest, the Criminal
1602	Conflict and Civil Regional Counsel of the Second Appellate
1603	District shall be appointed. If the Criminal Conflict and Civil
1604	Regional Counsel of the Second Appellate District is unable to
1605	provide representation to an indigent defendant due to a
1606	conflict of interest, private counsel shall be appointed as
1607	provided pursuant to this chapter.
1608	(c) The Office of Criminal Conflict and Civil Regional
1609	Counsel of the Second Appellate District shall provide a report
1610	on the implementation of the Cross-Jurisdictional Death Penalty
1611	Pilot Program to the Governor and the chairs of the
1612	appropriations committees of the Senate and House of
1613	Representatives no later than 30 days after the end of each
1614	calendar quarter. The reports must include the number of cases
1615	retained, the number of cases conflicted, the estimated cost
1616	savings of the program, and any recommendations to improve the
1617	program. The Justice Administrative Commission shall provide
1618	data to assist with the program.
1619	(d) This subsection expires June 30, 2021. Notwithstanding
1620	the expiration of this subsection, appointments made pursuant to
1621	this section before June 30, 2021, shall continue until
1622	completion of the case.
1623	Section 45. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
1624	731 through 752, 916 through 1062, and 1083 through 1119 of the
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576-02070-20 20202502pb 1625 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, and notwithstanding the 1626 expiration date in section 59 of chapter 2019-116, Laws of 1627 Florida, subsections (1), (3), (7), and (11), and paragraphs (a) 1628 through (e) of subsection (12) of section 27.5304, Florida 1629 Statutes, are reenacted, and subsection (13) of that section is 1630 amended, to read: 1631 27.5304 Private court-appointed counsel; compensation; 1632 notice.-1633 (1) Private court-appointed counsel appointed in the manner 1634 prescribed in s. 27.40(1) and (2)(a) shall be compensated by the Justice Administrative Commission only as provided in this 1635 1636 section and the General Appropriations Act. The flat fees 1637 prescribed in this section are limitations on compensation. The 1638 specific flat fee amounts for compensation shall be established 1639 annually in the General Appropriations Act. The attorney also 1640 shall be reimbursed for reasonable and necessary expenses in 1641 accordance with s. 29.007. If the attorney is representing a 1642 defendant charged with more than one offense in the same case, 1643 the attorney shall be compensated at the rate provided for the 1644 most serious offense for which he or she represented the 1645 defendant. This section does not allow stacking of the fee 1646 limits established by this section.

(3) The court retains primary authority and responsibility for determining the reasonableness of all billings for attorney fees, costs, and related expenses, subject to statutory limitations and the requirements of s. 27.40(7). Private courtappointed counsel is entitled to compensation upon final disposition of a case.

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(7) Counsel eligible to receive compensation from the state

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1654 for representation pursuant to court appointment made in 1655 accordance with the requirements of s. 27.40(1) and (2)(a) in a 1656 proceeding under chapter 384, chapter 390, chapter 392, chapter 1657 393, chapter 394, chapter 397, chapter 415, chapter 743, chapter 1658 744, or chapter 984 shall receive compensation not to exceed the 1659 limits prescribed in the General Appropriations Act. Any such 1660 compensation must be determined as provided in s. 27.40(7).

1661 (11) It is the intent of the Legislature that the flat fees 1662 prescribed under this section and the General Appropriations Act 1663 comprise the full and complete compensation for private court-1664 appointed counsel. It is further the intent of the Legislature 1665 that the fees in this section are prescribed for the purpose of 1666 providing counsel with notice of the limit on the amount of 1667 compensation for representation in particular proceedings and 1668 the sole procedure and requirements for obtaining payment for 1669 the same.

(a) If court-appointed counsel moves to withdraw prior to
the full performance of his or her duties through the completion
of the case, the court shall presume that the attorney is not
entitled to the payment of the full flat fee established under
this section and the General Appropriations Act.

(b) If court-appointed counsel is allowed to withdraw from representation prior to the full performance of his or her duties through the completion of the case and the court appoints a subsequent attorney, the total compensation for the initial and any and all subsequent attorneys may not exceed the flat fee established under this section and the General Appropriations Act, except as provided in subsection (12).

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 1683 This subsection constitutes notice to any subsequently appointed 1684 attorney that he or she will not be compensated the full flat 1685 fee. 1686 (12) The Legislature recognizes that on rare occasions an 1687 attorney may receive a case that requires extraordinary and 1688 unusual effort. 1689 (a) If counsel seeks compensation that exceeds the limits 1690 prescribed by law, he or she must file a motion with the chief 1691 judge for an order approving payment of attorney fees in excess 1692 of these limits. 1693 1. Before filing the motion, the counsel shall deliver a 1694 copy of the intended billing, together with supporting 1695 affidavits and all other necessary documentation, to the Justice Administrative Commission. 1696 2. The Justice Administrative Commission shall review the 1697 1698 billings, affidavit, and documentation for completeness and 1699 compliance with contractual and statutory requirements and shall 1700 contemporaneously document such review before authorizing 1701 payment to an attorney. If the Justice Administrative Commission 1702 objects to any portion of the proposed billing, the objection 1703 and supporting reasons must be communicated in writing to the 1704 private court-appointed counsel. The counsel may thereafter file 1705 his or her motion, which must specify whether the commission 1706 objects to any portion of the billing or the sufficiency of 1707 documentation, and shall attach the commission's letter stating 1708 its objection. 1709

(b) Following receipt of the motion to exceed the fee
limits, the chief judge or a single designee shall hold an
evidentiary hearing. The chief judge may select only one judge

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 1712 per circuit to hear and determine motions pursuant to this 1713 subsection, except multicounty circuits and the eleventh circuit 1714 may have up to two designees. 1715 1. At the hearing, the attorney seeking compensation must 1716 prove by competent and substantial evidence that the case 1717 required extraordinary and unusual efforts. The chief judge or single designee shall consider criteria such as the number of 1718 1719 witnesses, the complexity of the factual and legal issues, and the length of trial. The fact that a trial was conducted in a 1720 1721 case does not, by itself, constitute competent substantial 1722 evidence of an extraordinary and unusual effort. In a criminal 1723 case, relief under this section may not be granted if the number of work hours does not exceed 75 or the number of the state's 1724 1725 witnesses deposed does not exceed 20.

1726 2. Objections by or on behalf of the Justice Administrative 1727 Commission to records or documents or to claims for payment by 1728 the attorney shall be presumed correct by the court unless the 1729 court determines, in writing, that competent and substantial 1730 evidence exists to justify overcoming the presumption. The chief 1731 judge or single designee shall enter a written order detailing 1732 his or her findings and identifying the extraordinary nature of 1733 the time and efforts of the attorney in the case which warrant 1734 exceeding the flat fee established by this section and the 1735 General Appropriations Act.

(c) A copy of the motion and attachments shall be served on the Justice Administrative Commission at least 20 business days before the date of a hearing. The Justice Administrative Commission has standing to appear before the court, and may appear in person or telephonically, including at the hearing

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under paragraph (b), to contest any motion for an order 1741 1742 approving payment of attorney fees, costs, or related expenses 1743 and may participate in a hearing on the motion by use of 1744 telephonic or other communication equipment. The Justice 1745 Administrative Commission may contract with other public or 1746 private entities or individuals to appear before the court for 1747 the purpose of contesting any motion for an order approving 1748 payment of attorney fees, costs, or related expenses. The fact 1749 that the Justice Administrative Commission has not objected to 1750 any portion of the billing or to the sufficiency of the 1751 documentation is not binding on the court.

1752 (d) If the chief judge or a single designee finds that 1753 counsel has proved by competent and substantial evidence that 1754 the case required extraordinary and unusual efforts, the chief 1755 judge or single designee shall order the compensation to be paid 1756 to the attorney at a percentage above the flat fee rate, 1757 depending on the extent of the unusual and extraordinary effort 1758 required. The percentage must be only the rate necessary to 1759 ensure that the fees paid are not confiscatory under common law. 1760 The percentage may not exceed 200 percent of the established 1761 flat fee, absent a specific finding that 200 percent of the flat 1762 fee in the case would be confiscatory. If the chief judge or 1763 single designee determines that 200 percent of the flat fee 1764 would be confiscatory, he or she shall order the amount of 1765 compensation using an hourly rate not to exceed \$75 per hour for 1766 a noncapital case and \$100 per hour for a capital case. However, 1767 the compensation calculated by using the hourly rate shall be 1768 only that amount necessary to ensure that the total fees paid are not confiscatory, subject to the requirements of s. 1769

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1770	27.40(7).
1771	(e) Any order granting relief under this subsection must be
1772	attached to the final request for a payment submitted to the
1773	Justice Administrative Commission and must satisfy the
1774	requirements of subparagraph (b)2.
1775	(13) Notwithstanding the limitation set forth in subsection
1776	(5) and for the <u>2020-2021</u>
1777	compensation for representation in a criminal proceeding may not
1778	exceed the following:
1779	(a) For misdemeanors and juveniles represented at the trial
1780	level: \$1,000.
1781	(b) For noncapital, nonlife felonies represented at the
1782	trial level: \$15,000.
1783	(c) For life felonies represented at the trial level:
1784	\$15,000.
1785	(d) For capital cases represented at the trial level:
1786	\$25,000. For purposes of this paragraph, a "capital case" is any
1787	offense for which the potential sentence is death and the state
1788	has not waived seeking the death penalty.
1789	(e) For representation on appeal: \$9,000.
1790	(f) This subsection expires July 1, <u>2021</u> <del>2020</del> .
1791	Section 46. The amendments to s. 27.40(1), (2)(a), (3)(a),
1792	(5), (6), and (7), Florida Statutes, and 27.5304(1), (3), (7),
1793	(11), and (12)(a)-(e), Florida Statutes, as carried forward from
1794	chapter 2019-116, Laws of Florida, by this act, expire July 1,
1795	2021, and the text of those subsections and paragraphs, as
1796	applicable, shall revert to that in existence on June 30, 2019,
1797	except that any amendments to such text enacted other than by
1798	this act shall be preserved and continue to operate to the

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 1799 extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the portions 1800 of text which expire pursuant to this section. 1801 Section 47. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 1802 736 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, and 1803 notwithstanding s. 28.35, Florida Statutes, the clerks of the 1804 circuit court are responsible for any costs of compensation to 1805 jurors, for meals or lodging provided to jurors, and for jury-1806 related personnel costs that exceed the funding provided in the 1807 General Appropriations Act for these purposes. This section 1808 expires July 1, 2021. 1809 Section 48. In order to implement Specific Appropriations

1809 Section 48. In order to implement specific Appropriations 1810 916 through 1062 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, 1811 and notwithstanding the expiration date in section 63 of chapter 1812 2019-116, Laws of Florida, paragraph (c) of subsection (19) of 1813 section 318.18, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:

1814 318.18 Amount of penalties.—The penalties required for a 1815 noncriminal disposition pursuant to s. 318.14 or a criminal 1816 offense listed in s. 318.17 are as follows:

(19) In addition to any penalties imposed, an Article V assessment of \$10 must be paid for all noncriminal moving and nonmoving violations under chapters 316, 320, and 322. The assessment is not revenue for purposes of s. 28.36 and may not be used in establishing the budget of the clerk of the court under that section or s. 28.35. Of the funds collected under this subsection:

(c) The sum of \$1.67 shall be deposited in the IndigentCriminal Defense Trust Fund for use by the public defenders.

1826 Section 49. In order to implement Specific Appropriations1827 916 through 1062 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act,

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 1828 and notwithstanding the expiration date in section 63 of chapter 1829 2019-116, Laws of Florida, paragraph (b) of subsection (12) of section 817.568, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read: 1830 1831 817.568 Criminal use of personal identification 1832 information.-1833 (12) In addition to any sanction imposed when a person 1834 pleads guilty or nolo contendere to, or is found guilty of, regardless of adjudication, a violation of this section, the 1835 1836 court shall impose a surcharge of \$1,001. 1837 (b) The sum of \$250 of the surcharge shall be deposited 1838 into the State Attorneys Revenue Trust Fund for the purpose of 1839 funding prosecutions of offenses relating to the criminal use of 1840 personal identification information. The sum of \$250 of the 1841 surcharge shall be deposited into the Indigent Criminal Defense 1842 Trust Fund for the purposes of indigent criminal defense related 1843 to the criminal use of personal identification information. 1844 Section 50. The text of ss. 318.18(19)(c) and 817.568(12)(b), Florida Statutes, as carried forward from 1845 1846 chapter 2018-10, Laws of Florida, by this act, expires July 1, 1847 2021, and the text of those paragraphs shall revert to that in 1848 existence on June 30, 2018, except that any amendments to such 1849 text enacted other than by this act shall be preserved and 1850 continue to operate to the extent that such amendments are not 1851 dependent upon the portions of text which expire pursuant to 1852 this section. Section 51. In order to implement appropriations used to 1853 1854 pay existing lease contracts for private lease space in excess 1855 of 2,000 square feet in the 2020-2021 General Appropriations 1856 Act, the Department of Management Services, with the cooperation

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1857	of the agencies having the existing lease contracts for office
1858	or storage space, shall use tenant broker services to
1859	renegotiate or reprocure all private lease agreements for office
1860	or storage space expiring between July 1, 2021, and June 30,
1861	2023, in order to reduce costs in future years. The department
1862	shall incorporate this initiative into its 2020 master leasing
1863	report required under s. 255.249(7), Florida Statutes, and may
1864	use tenant broker services to explore the possibilities of
1865	colocating office or storage space, to review the space needs of
1866	each agency, and to review the length and terms of potential
1867	renewals or renegotiations. The department shall provide a
1868	report to the Executive Office of the Governor, the President of
1869	the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by
1870	November 1, 2020, which lists each lease contract for private
1871	office or storage space, the status of renegotiations, and the
1872	savings achieved. This section expires July 1, 2021.
1873	Section 52. In order to implement appropriations authorized
1874	in the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act for data center
1875	services, and notwithstanding s. 216.292(2)(a), Florida
1876	Statutes, an agency may not transfer funds from a data
1877	processing category to a category other than another data
1878	processing category. This section expires July 1, 2021.
1879	Section 53. In order to implement the appropriation of
1880	funds in the appropriation category "Data Processing Assessment-
1881	Department of Management Services" in the 2020-2021 General
1882	Appropriations Act, and pursuant to the notice, review, and
1883	objection procedures of s. 216.177, Florida Statutes, the
1884	Executive Office of the Governor may transfer funds appropriated
1885	in that category between departments in order to align the

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1886	budget authority granted based on the estimated billing cycle
1887	and methodology used by the Department of Management Services
1888	for data processing services provided. This section expires July
1889	<u>1, 2021.</u>
1890	Section 54. In order to implement the appropriation of
1891	funds in the appropriation category "Special Categories-Risk
1892	Management Insurance" in the 2020-2021 General Appropriations
1893	Act, and pursuant to the notice, review, and objection
1894	procedures of s. 216.177, Florida Statutes, the Executive Office
1895	of the Governor may transfer funds appropriated in that category
1896	between departments in order to align the budget authority
1897	granted with the premiums paid by each department for risk
1898	management insurance. This section expires July 1, 2021.
1899	Section 55. In order to implement the appropriation of
1900	funds in the appropriation category "Special Categories-Transfer
1901	to Department of Management Services-Human Resources Services
1902	Purchased per Statewide Contract" in the 2020-2021 General
1903	Appropriations Act, and pursuant to the notice, review, and
1904	objection procedures of s. 216.177, Florida Statutes, the
1905	Executive Office of the Governor may transfer funds appropriated
1906	in that category between departments in order to align the
1907	budget authority granted with the assessments that must be paid
1908	by each agency to the Department of Management Services for
1909	human resource management services. This section expires July 1,
1910	2021.
1911	Section 56. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
1912	2388 through 2391 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act:
1913	(1) The Department of Financial Services shall replace the
1914	four main components of the Florida Accounting Information

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1915	Resource Subsystem (FLAIR), which include central FLAIR,
1916	departmental FLAIR, payroll, and information warehouse, and
1917	shall replace the cash management and accounting management
1918	components of the Cash Management Subsystem (CMS) with an
1919	integrated enterprise system that allows the state to organize,
1920	define, and standardize its financial management business
1921	processes and that complies with ss. 215.90-215.96, Florida
1922	Statutes. The department may not include in the replacement of
1923	FLAIR and CMS:
1924	(a) Functionality that duplicates any of the other
1925	information subsystems of the Florida Financial Management
1926	Information System; or
1927	(b) Agency business processes related to any of the
1928	functions included in the Personnel Information System, the
1929	Purchasing Subsystem, or the Legislative Appropriations
1930	System/Planning and Budgeting Subsystem.
1931	(2) For purposes of replacing FLAIR and CMS, the Department
1932	of Financial Services shall:
1933	(a) Take into consideration the cost and implementation
1934	data identified for Option 3 as recommended in the March 31,
1935	2014, Florida Department of Financial Services FLAIR Study,
1936	version 031.
1937	(b) Ensure that all business requirements and technical
1938	specifications have been provided to all state agencies for
1939	their review and input and approved by the executive steering
1940	committee established in paragraph (c).
1941	(c) Implement a project governance structure that includes
1942	an executive steering committee composed of:
1943	1. The Chief Financial Officer or the executive sponsor of

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1944	the project.
1945	2. A representative of the Division of Treasury of the
1946	Department of Financial Services, appointed by the Chief
1947	Financial Officer.
1948	3. A representative of the Division of Information Systems
1949	of the Department of Financial Services, appointed by the Chief
1950	Financial Officer.
1951	4. Four employees from the Division of Accounting and
1952	Auditing of the Department of Financial Services, appointed by
1953	the Chief Financial Officer. Each employee must have experience
1954	relating to at least one of the four main components that
1955	comprise FLAIR.
1956	5. Two employees from the Executive Office of the Governor,
1957	appointed by the Governor. One employee must have experience
1958	relating to the Legislative Appropriations System/Planning and
1959	Budgeting Subsystem.
1960	6. One employee from the Department of Revenue, appointed
1961	by the executive director, who has experience relating to the
1962	department's SUNTAX system.
1963	7. Two employees from the Department of Management
1964	Services, appointed by the Secretary of Management Services. One
1965	employee must have experience relating to the department's
1966	personnel information subsystem, and one employee must have
1967	experience relating to the department's purchasing subsystem.
1968	8. Three state agency administrative services directors,
1969	appointed by the Governor. One director must represent a
1970	regulatory and licensing state agency, and one director must
1971	represent a healthcare-related state agency.
1972	(3) The Chief Financial Officer or the executive sponsor of

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1973	the project shall serve as chair of the executive steering
1974	committee, and the committee shall take action by a vote of at
1975	least eight affirmative votes with the Chief Financial Officer
1976	or the executive sponsor of the project voting on the prevailing
1977	side. A quorum of the executive steering committee consists of
1978	at least 10 members.
1979	(4) The executive steering committee has the overall
1980	responsibility for ensuring that the project to replace FLAIR
1981	and CMS meets its primary business objectives and shall:
1982	(a) Identify and recommend to the Executive Office of the
1983	Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the
1984	House of Representatives any statutory changes needed to
1985	implement the replacement subsystem that will standardize, to
1986	the fullest extent possible, the state's financial management
1987	business processes.
1988	(b) Review and approve any changes to the project's scope,
1989	schedule, and budget which do not conflict with the requirements
1990	of subsection (1).
1991	(c) Ensure that adequate resources are provided throughout
1992	all phases of the project.
1993	(d) Approve all major project deliverables.
1994	(e) Approve all solicitation-related documents associated
1995	with the replacement of FLAIR and CMS.
1996	(5) This section expires July 1, 2021.
1997	Section 57. In order to implement Specific Appropriation
1998	1633 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (d)
1999	of subsection (11) of section 216.181, Florida Statutes, is
2000	amended to read:
2001	216.181 Approved budgets for operations and fixed capital

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2002 outlay.-2003 (11)2004 (d) Notwithstanding paragraph (b) and paragraph (2) (b), and 2005 for the 2020-2021 2019-2020 fiscal year only, the Legislative 2006 Budget Commission may increase the amounts appropriated to the 2007 Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission or the Department of 2008 Environmental Protection for fixed capital outlay projects, 2009 including additional fixed capital outlay projects, using funds 2010 provided to the state from the Gulf Environmental Benefit Fund 2011 administered by the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation; funds 2012 provided to the state from the Gulf Coast Restoration Trust Fund 2013 related to the Resources and Ecosystems Sustainability, Tourist 2014 Opportunities, and Revived Economies of the Gulf Coast Act of 2012 (RESTORE Act); or funds provided by the British Petroleum 2015 2016 Corporation (BP) for natural resource damage assessment 2017 restoration projects. Concurrent with submission of an amendment 2018 to the Legislative Budget Commission pursuant to this paragraph, 2019 any project that carries a continuing commitment for future 2020 appropriations by the Legislature must be specifically 2021 identified, together with the projected amount of the future 2022 commitment associated with the project and the fiscal years in 2023 which the commitment is expected to commence. This paragraph 2024 expires July 1, 2021 <del>2020</del>. 2025

2026 The provisions of this subsection are subject to the notice and 2027 objection procedures set forth in s. 216.177.

2028 Section 58. In order to implement specific appropriations 2029 from the land acquisition trust funds within the Department of 2030 Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department of

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 2031 Environmental Protection, the Department of State, and the Fish 2032 and Wildlife Conservation Commission, which are contained in the 2033 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, subsection (3) of section 2034 215.18, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 2035 215.18 Transfers between funds; limitation.-2036 (3) Notwithstanding subsection (1) and only with respect to 2037 a land acquisition trust fund in the Department of Agriculture 2038 and Consumer Services, the Department of Environmental 2039 Protection, the Department of State, or the Fish and Wildlife 2040 Conservation Commission, whenever there is a deficiency in a 2041 land acquisition trust fund which would render that trust fund 2042 temporarily insufficient to meet its just requirements, 2043 including the timely payment of appropriations from that trust fund, and other trust funds in the State Treasury have moneys 2044 2045 that are for the time being or otherwise in excess of the 2046 amounts necessary to meet the just requirements, including 2047 appropriated obligations, of those other trust funds, the 2048 Governor may order a temporary transfer of moneys from one or 2049 more of the other trust funds to a land acquisition trust fund 2050 in the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the 2051 Department of Environmental Protection, the Department of State, 2052 or the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission. Any action 2053 proposed pursuant to this subsection is subject to the notice, 2054 review, and objection procedures of s. 216.177, and the Governor 2055 shall provide notice of such action at least 7 days before the 2056 effective date of the transfer of trust funds, except that 2057 during July 2020 2019, notice of such action shall be provided 2058 at least 3 days before the effective date of a transfer unless 2059 such 3-day notice is waived by the chair and vice-chair of the

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 2060 Legislative Budget Commission. Any transfer of trust funds to a 2061 land acquisition trust fund in the Department of Agriculture and 2062 Consumer Services, the Department of Environmental Protection, 2063 the Department of State, or the Fish and Wildlife Conservation 2064 Commission must be repaid to the trust funds from which the 2065 moneys were loaned by the end of the 2020-2021 2019-2020 fiscal 2066 year. The Legislature has determined that the repayment of the 2067 other trust fund moneys temporarily loaned to a land acquisition 2068 trust fund in the Department of Agriculture and Consumer 2069 Services, the Department of Environmental Protection, the 2070 Department of State, or the Fish and Wildlife Conservation 2071 Commission pursuant to this subsection is an allowable use of 2072 the moneys in a land acquisition trust fund because the moneys 2073 from other trust funds temporarily loaned to a land acquisition 2074 trust fund shall be expended solely and exclusively in 2075 accordance with s. 28, Art. X of the State Constitution. This 2076 subsection expires July 1, 2021 2020. 2077 Section 59. (1) In order to implement specific 2078 appropriations from the land acquisition trust funds within the 2079 Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department 2080 of Environmental Protection, the Department of State, and the 2081 Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, which are contained 2082 in the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, the Department of 2083 Environmental Protection shall transfer revenues from the Land 2084 Acquisition Trust Fund within the department to the land 2085 acquisition trust funds within the Department of Agriculture and 2086 Consumer Services, the Department of State, and the Fish and

2087 <u>Wildlife Conservation Commission</u>, as provided in this section.

2088 As used in this section, the term "department" means the

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 2089 Department of Environmental Protection. 2090 (2) After subtracting any required debt service payments, 2091 the proportionate share of revenues to be transferred to each 2092 land acquisition trust fund shall be calculated by dividing the 2093 appropriations from each of the land acquisition trust funds for 2094 the fiscal year by the total appropriations from the Land 2095 Acquisition Trust Fund within the department and the land 2096 acquisition trust funds within the Department of Agriculture and 2097 Consumer Services, the Department of State, and the Fish and 2098 Wildlife Conservation Commission for the fiscal year. The 2099 department shall transfer the proportionate share of the 2100 revenues in the Land Acquisition Trust Fund within the 2101 department on a monthly basis to the appropriate land 2102 acquisition trust funds within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department of State, and the Fish and 2103 2104 Wildlife Conservation Commission and shall retain its 2105 proportionate share of the revenues in the Land Acquisition 2106 Trust Fund within the department. Total distributions to a land 2107 acquisition trust fund within the Department of Agriculture and 2108 Consumer Services, the Department of State, and the Fish and 2109 Wildlife Conservation Commission may not exceed the total 2110 appropriations from such trust fund for the fiscal year. 2111 (3) In addition, the department shall transfer from the 2112 Land Acquisition Trust Fund to land acquisition trust funds 2113 within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the 2114 Department of State, and the Fish and Wildlife Conservation 2115 Commission amounts equal to the difference between the amounts appropriated in chapter 2019-115, Laws of Florida, to the 2116 2117 department's Land Acquisition Trust Fund and the other land

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2118	acquisition trust funds, and the amounts actually transferred
2119	between those trust funds during the 2019-2020 fiscal year.
2120	(4) The department may advance funds from the beginning
2121	unobligated fund balance in the Land Acquisition Trust Fund to
2122	the Land Acquisition Trust Fund within the Fish and Wildlife
2123	Conservation Commission needed for cash flow purposes based on a
2124	detailed expenditure plan. The department shall prorate amounts
2125	transferred quarterly to the Fish and Wildlife Conservation
2126	Commission to recoup the amount of funds advanced by June 30,
2127	<u>2021.</u>
2128	(5) This section expires July 1, 2021.
2129	Section 60. In order to implement Specific Appropriation
2130	1763 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (e)
2131	of subsection (11) of section 216.181, Florida Statutes, is
2132	amended to read:
2133	216.181 Approved budgets for operations and fixed capital
2134	outlay
2135	(11)
2136	(e) Notwithstanding paragraph (b) and paragraph (2)(b), and
2137	for the $2020-2021$ $2019-2020$ fiscal year only, the Legislative
2138	Budget Commission may increase the amounts appropriated to the
2139	Department of Environmental Protection for fixed capital outlay
2140	projects using funds provided to the state from the
2141	environmental mitigation trust administered by a trustee
2142	designated by the United States District Court for the Northern
2143	District of California for eligible mitigation actions and
2144	mitigation action expenditures described in the partial consent
2145	decree entered into between the United States of America and
2146	Volkswagen relating to violations of the Clean Air Act.

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2147	Concurrent with submission of an amendment to the Legislative
2148	Budget Commission pursuant to this paragraph, any project that
2149	carries a continuing commitment for future appropriations by the
2150	Legislature must be specifically identified, together with the
2151	projected amount of the future commitment associated with the
2152	project and the fiscal years in which the commitment is expected
2153	to commence. This paragraph expires July 1, <u>2021</u> <del>2020</del> .
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2155	The provisions of this subsection are subject to the notice and
2156	objection procedures set forth in s. 216.177.
2157	Section 61. In order to implement Specific Appropriation
2158	1443 through 1452 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act,
2159	subsection (4) of section 570.441, Florida Statutes, is amended
2160	to read:
2161	570.441 Pest Control Trust Fund
2162	(4) In addition to the uses authorized under subsection
2163	(2), moneys collected or received by the department under
2164	chapter 482 may be used to carry out the provisions of s.
2165	570.44. This subsection expires June 30, <u>2021</u> <del>2020</del> .
2166	Section 62. In order to implement Specific Appropriation
2167	1380 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, and
2168	notwithstanding the expiration date in section 91 of chapter
2169	2019-116, Laws of Florida, paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of
2170	section 570.93, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:
2171	570.93 Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services;
2172	agricultural water conservation and agricultural water supply
2173	planning
2174	(1) The department shall establish an agricultural water
2175	conservation program that includes the following:

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 2176 (a) A cost-share program, coordinated with the United 2177 States Department of Agriculture and other federal, state, 2178 regional, and local agencies when appropriate, for irrigation 2179 system retrofit and application of mobile irrigation laboratory 2180 evaluations, and for water conservation and water quality 2181 improvement pursuant to s. 403.067(7)(c). 2182 Section 63. The amendment to s. 570.93(1)(a), Florida 2183 Statutes, as carried forward from chapter 2019-116, Laws of Florida, by this act, expires July 1, 2021, and the text of that 2184 2185 paragraph shall revert to that in existence on June 30, 2019, 2186 except that any amendments to such text enacted other than by 2187 this act shall be preserved and continue to operate to the 2188 extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the portions 2189 of text which expire pursuant to this section. 2190 Section 64. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 2191 1728 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (m) 2192 of subsection (3) of section 259.105, Florida Statutes, is 2193 amended to read: 259.105 The Florida Forever Act.-2194 2195 (3) Less the costs of issuing and the costs of funding 2196 reserve accounts and other costs associated with bonds, the 2197 proceeds of cash payments or bonds issued pursuant to this 2198 section shall be deposited into the Florida Forever Trust Fund 2199 created by s. 259.1051. The proceeds shall be distributed by the 2200 Department of Environmental Protection in the following manner: 2201 (m) Notwithstanding paragraphs (a)-(j) and for the 2020-

2201 (M) Notwithstanding paragraphs (a) (j) and for the <u>2020</u> 2202 <u>2021</u> <del>2019-2020</del> fiscal year, the amount of <u>\$6</u> <del>\$33</del> million to only 2203 the Division of State Lands within the Department of 2204 Environmental Protection for <u>grants pursuant to s. 375.075</u> the

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 2205 Board of Trustees Florida Forever Priority List land acquisition 2206 projects. This paragraph expires July 1, 2021 <del>2020</del>. 2207 Section 65. In order to implement appropriations from the 2208 Land Acquisition Trust Fund within the Department of 2209 Environmental Protection, paragraph (b) of subsection (3) of section 375.041, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 2210 2211 375.041 Land Acquisition Trust Fund.-(3) Funds distributed into the Land Acquisition Trust Fund 2212 2213 pursuant to s. 201.15 shall be applied: 2214 (b) Of the funds remaining after the payments required 2215 under paragraph (a), but before funds may be appropriated, 2216 pledged, or dedicated for other uses: 2217 1. A minimum of the lesser of 25 percent or \$200 million 2218 shall be appropriated annually for Everglades projects that 2219 implement the Comprehensive Everglades Restoration Plan as set 2220 forth in s. 373.470, including the Central Everglades Planning 2221 Project subject to Congressional authorization; the Long-Term Plan as defined in s. 373.4592(2); and the Northern Everglades 2222 2223 and Estuaries Protection Program as set forth in s. 373.4595. 2224 From these funds, \$32 million shall be distributed each fiscal 2225 year through the 2023-2024 fiscal year to the South Florida 2226 Water Management District for the Long-Term Plan as defined in 2227 s. 373.4592(2). After deducting the \$32 million distributed 2228 under this subparagraph, from the funds remaining, a minimum of 2229 the lesser of 76.5 percent or \$100 million shall be appropriated 2230 each fiscal year through the 2025-2026 fiscal year for the 2231 planning, design, engineering, and construction of the 2232 Comprehensive Everglades Restoration Plan as set forth in s. 2233 373.470, including the Central Everglades Planning Project, the

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 2234 Everglades Agricultural Area Storage Reservoir Project, the Lake 2235 Okeechobee Watershed Project, the C-43 West Basin Storage 2236 Reservoir Project, the Indian River Lagoon-South Project, the 2237 Western Everglades Restoration Project, and the Picayune Strand 2238 Restoration Project. The Department of Environmental Protection 2239 and the South Florida Water Management District shall give 2240 preference to those Everglades restoration projects that reduce 2241 harmful discharges of water from Lake Okeechobee to the St. 2242 Lucie or Caloosahatchee estuaries in a timely manner. For the 2243 purpose of performing the calculation provided in this 2244 subparagraph, the amount of debt service paid pursuant to 2245 paragraph (a) for bonds issued after July 1, 2016, for the 2246 purposes set forth under paragraph (b) shall be added to the 2247 amount remaining after the payments required under paragraph (a). The amount of the distribution calculated shall then be 2248 2249 reduced by an amount equal to the debt service paid pursuant to 2250 paragraph (a) on bonds issued after July 1, 2016, for the 2251 purposes set forth under this subparagraph.

2252 2. A minimum of the lesser of 7.6 percent or \$50 million 2253 shall be appropriated annually for spring restoration, 2254 protection, and management projects. For the purpose of 2255 performing the calculation provided in this subparagraph, the 2256 amount of debt service paid pursuant to paragraph (a) for bonds 2257 issued after July 1, 2016, for the purposes set forth under 2258 paragraph (b) shall be added to the amount remaining after the 2259 payments required under paragraph (a). The amount of the 2260 distribution calculated shall then be reduced by an amount equal 2261 to the debt service paid pursuant to paragraph (a) on bonds issued after July 1, 2016, for the purposes set forth under this 2262

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2263 subparagraph.

3. The sum of \$5 million shall be appropriated annually each fiscal year through the 2025-2026 fiscal year to the St. Johns River Water Management District for projects dedicated to the restoration of Lake Apopka. This distribution shall be reduced by an amount equal to the debt service paid pursuant to paragraph (a) on bonds issued after July 1, 2016, for the purposes set forth in this subparagraph.

2271 4. The sum of \$64 million is appropriated and shall be 2272 transferred to the Everglades Trust Fund for the 2018-2019 2273 fiscal year, and each fiscal year thereafter, for the EAA 2274 reservoir project pursuant to s. 373.4598. Any funds remaining 2275 in any fiscal year shall be made available only for Phase II of 2276 the C-51 reservoir project or projects identified in 2277 subparagraph 1. and must be used in accordance with laws 2278 relating to such projects. Any funds made available for such 2279 purposes in a fiscal year are in addition to the amount 2280 appropriated under subparagraph 1. This distribution shall be 2281 reduced by an amount equal to the debt service paid pursuant to 2282 paragraph (a) on bonds issued after July 1, 2017, for the 2283 purposes set forth in this subparagraph.

5. Notwithstanding subparagraph 3., for the <u>2020-2021</u> <del>2019</del> 2020 fiscal year, funds shall be appropriated as provided in the General Appropriations Act. This subparagraph expires July 1, 2021 <del>2020</del>.

2288 Section 66. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 2289 2659 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (b) 2290 of subsection (3) and subsection (5) of section 321.04, Florida 2291 Statutes, are amended to read:

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 2292 321.04 Personnel of the highway patrol; rank 2293 classifications; probationary status of new patrol officers; 2294 subsistence; special assignments.-2295 (3)2296 (b) For the 2020-2021 <del>2019-2020</del> fiscal year only, upon the 2297 request of the Governor, the Department of Highway Safety and 2298 Motor Vehicles shall assign one or more patrol officers to the 2299 office of the Lieutenant Governor for security services. This paragraph expires July 1, 2021 2020. 2300 2301 (5) For the 2020-2021 <del>2019-2020</del> fiscal year only, the 2302 assignment of a patrol officer by the department shall include a 2303 Cabinet member specified in s. 4, Art. IV of the State 2304 Constitution if deemed appropriate by the department or in 2305 response to a threat and upon written request of such Cabinet 2306 member. This subsection expires July 1, 2021 2020. 2307 Section 67. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 2308 2282 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, subsection (3) 2309 of section 420.9079, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 2310 420.9079 Local Government Housing Trust Fund.-2311 (3) For the 2020-2021 2019-2020 fiscal year, funds may be 2312 used as provided in the General Appropriations Act. This 2313 subsection expires July 1, 2021 2020. 2314 Section 68. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 2315 2281 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, subsection (2) of section 420.0005, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 2316 2317 420.0005 State Housing Trust Fund; State Housing Fund.-(2) For the 2020-2021 <del>2019-2020</del> fiscal year, funds may be 2318 2319 used as provided in the General Appropriations Act. This 2320 subsection expires July 1, 2021 2020.

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 2321 Section 69. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 2322 2294 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, subsection 2323 (14) of section 288.1226, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 2324 288.1226 Florida Tourism Industry Marketing Corporation; 2325 use of property; board of directors; duties; audit.-2326 (14) REPEAL.-This section is repealed July 1, 2021 <del>2020</del>, 2327 unless reviewed and saved from repeal by the Legislature. 2328 Section 70. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 2329 2294 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, subsection (6) 2330 of section 288.923, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 2331 288.923 Division of Tourism Marketing; definitions; 2332 responsibilities.-(6) This section is repealed July 1, 2021 <del>2020</del>, unless 2333 2334 reviewed and saved from repeal by the Legislature. 2335 Section 71. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 2336 1915 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (g) 2337 of subsection (8) of section 338.2278, Florida Statutes, is 2338 amended to read: 2339 338.2278 Multi-use Corridors of Regional Economic 2340 Significance Program.-2341 (8) The amounts identified in subsection (7) by fiscal year 2342 shall be allocated as follows: 2343 (g)1. Except as provided in subparagraph 2., in each fiscal 2344 year in which funding provided under this subsection for the 2345 Small County Road Assistance Program, the Small County Outreach 2346 Program, the Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund, or the 2347 workforce development program is not committed by the end of 2348 each fiscal year, such uncommitted funds shall be used by the 2349 department to fund Multi-use Corridors of Regional Economic

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 2350 Significance Program projects. As provided in s. 339.135(7), the 2351 adopted work program may be amended to transfer funds between 2352 appropriations categories or to increase an appropriation 2353 category to implement this paragraph. 2354 2. For the 2020-2021 fiscal year, funding provided under 2355 this subsection for the Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund 2356 under paragraph (a) which is uncommitted at the end of the 2019-2357 2020 fiscal year may be used as provided in the General 2358 Appropriations Act. This subparagraph expires July 1, 2021. 2359 Section 72. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 2360 1916 through 1929, 1929F through 1929J, 1944 through 1951, 1953 2361 through 1962, and 1999A through 2011 of the 2020-2021 General 2362 Appropriations Act, paragraphs (g) and (h) of subsection (7) of 2363 section 339.135, Florida Statutes, are amended to read: 2364 339.135 Work program; legislative budget request; 2365 definitions; preparation, adoption, execution, and amendment.-2366 (7) AMENDMENT OF THE ADOPTED WORK PROGRAM.-2367 (g)1. Any work program amendment which also requires the 2368 transfer of fixed capital outlay appropriations between 2369 categories within the department or the increase of an 2370 appropriation category is subject to the approval of the 2371 Legislative Budget Commission. 2372 2. If a meeting of the Legislative Budget Commission cannot 2373 be held within 30 days after the department submits an amendment 2374 to the Legislative Budget Commission, the chair and vice chair 2375 of the Legislative Budget Commission may authorize such 2376 amendment to be approved pursuant to s. 216.177. This 2377 subparagraph expires July 1, 2021 2020. 2378 (h)1. Any work program amendment that also adds a new

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2379	project, or phase thereof, to the adopted work program in excess
2380	of \$3 million is subject to approval by the Legislative Budget
2381	Commission. Any work program amendment submitted under this
2382	paragraph must include, as supplemental information, a list of
2383	projects, or phases thereof, in the current 5-year adopted work
2384	program which are eligible for the funds within the
2385	appropriation category being used for the proposed amendment.
2386	The department shall provide a narrative with the rationale for
2387	not advancing an existing project, or phase thereof, in lieu of
2388	the proposed amendment.
2389	2. If a meeting of the Legislative Budget Commission cannot
2390	be held within 30 days after the department submits an amendment
2391	to the commission, the chair and vice chair of the commission
2392	may authorize such amendment to be approved pursuant to s.
2393	216.177. This subparagraph expires July 1, 2021.
2394	Section 73. In order to implement Specific Appropriation
2395	2599 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (d)
2396	of subsection (4) of section 112.061, Florida Statutes, is
2397	amended to read:
2398	112.061 Per diem and travel expenses of public officers,
2399	employees, and authorized persons; statewide travel management
2400	system
2401	(4) OFFICIAL HEADQUARTERSThe official headquarters of an
2402	officer or employee assigned to an office shall be the city or
2403	town in which the office is located except that:
2404	(d) A Lieutenant Governor who permanently resides outside
2405	of Leon County, may, if he or she so requests, have an
2406	appropriate facility in his or her county designated as his or
2407	her official headquarters for purposes of this section. This

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 2408 official headquarters may only serve as the Lieutenant 2409 Governor's personal office. The Lieutenant Governor may not use 2410 state funds to lease space in any facility for his or her 2411 official headquarters. 2412 1. A Lieutenant Governor for whom an official headquarters 2413 is established in his or her county of residence pursuant to 2414 this paragraph is eligible for subsistence at a rate to be 2415 established by the Governor for each day or partial day that the Lieutenant Governor is at the State Capitol to conduct official 2416 2417 state business. In addition to the subsistence allowance, a 2418 Lieutenant Governor is eligible for reimbursement for 2419 transportation expenses as provided in subsection (7) for travel 2420 between the Lieutenant Governor's official headquarters and the 2421 State Capitol to conduct state business. 2422 2. Payment of subsistence and reimbursement for 2423 transportation between a Lieutenant Governor's official 2424 headquarters and the State Capitol shall be made to the extent 2425 appropriated funds are available, as determined by the Governor. 2426 3. This paragraph expires July 1, 2021 2020. 2427 Section 74. In order to implement the salaries and 2428 benefits, expenses, other personal services, contracted 2429 services, and operating capital outlay categories of the 2020-2430 2021 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (a) of subsection (2) 2431 of section 216.292, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 2432 216.292 Appropriations nontransferable; exceptions.-2433

(2) The following transfers are authorized to be made by the head of each department or the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court whenever it is deemed necessary by reason of changed conditions:

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 2437 (a) The transfer of appropriations funded from identical 2438 funding sources, except appropriations for fixed capital outlay, 2439 and the transfer of amounts included within the total original 2440 approved budget and plans of releases of appropriations as 2441 furnished pursuant to ss. 216.181 and 216.192, as follows: 2442 1. Between categories of appropriations within a budget 2443 entity, if no category of appropriation is increased or 2444 decreased by more than 5 percent of the original approved budget or \$250,000, whichever is greater, by all action taken under 2445 2446 this subsection. 2447 2. Between budget entities within identical categories of 2448 appropriations, if no category of appropriation is increased or 2449 decreased by more than 5 percent of the original approved budget 2450 or \$250,000, whichever is greater, by all action taken under 2451 this subsection. 2452 3. Any agency exceeding salary rate established pursuant to 2453 s. 216.181(8) on June 30th of any fiscal year shall not be 2454 authorized to make transfers pursuant to subparagraphs 1. and 2. 2455 in the subsequent fiscal year. 2456 4. Notice of proposed transfers under subparagraphs 1. and 2457 2. shall be provided to the Executive Office of the Governor and

2457 2. shall be provided to the Executive Office of the Governor and 2458 the chairs of the legislative appropriations committees at least 2459 3 days prior to agency implementation in order to provide an 2460 opportunity for review. The review shall be limited to ensuring 2461 that the transfer is in compliance with the requirements of this 2462 paragraph.

5. For the <u>2020-2021</u> <del>2019-2020</del> fiscal year, the review shall ensure that transfers proposed pursuant to this paragraph comply with this chapter, maximize the use of available and

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2466	appropriate trust funds, and are not contrary to legislative
2467	policy and intent. This subparagraph expires July 1, 2021 2020.
2468	Section 75. In order to implement section 8 of the 2020-
2469	2021 General Appropriations Act, notwithstanding s.
2470	110.123(3)(f) and (j), Florida Statutes, the Department of
2471	Management Services shall maintain and offer the same PPO and
2472	HMO health plan alternatives to the participants of the state
2473	group health insurance program during the 2020-2021 fiscal year
2474	which were in effect for the 2019-2020 fiscal year. This section
2475	expires July 1, 2021.
2476	Section 76. In order to implement the appropriation of
2477	funds in the special categories, contracted services, and
2478	expenses categories of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act,
2479	a state agency may not initiate a competitive solicitation for a
2480	product or service if the completion of such competitive
2481	solicitation would:
2482	(1) Require a change in law; or
2483	(2) Require a change to the agency's budget other than a
2484	transfer authorized in s. 216.292(2) or (3), Florida Statutes,
2485	unless the initiation of such competitive solicitation is
2486	specifically authorized in law, in the General Appropriations
2487	Act, or by the Legislative Budget Commission.
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2489	This section does not apply to a competitive solicitation for
2490	which the agency head certifies that a valid emergency exists.
2491	This section expires July 1, 2021.
2492	Section 77. In order to implement appropriations for
2493	salaries and benefits in the 2020-2021 General Appropriations
2494	Act, subsection (6) of section 112.24, Florida Statutes, is
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amended to read:

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2496 112.24 Intergovernmental interchange of public employees.-2497 To encourage economical and effective utilization of public 2498 employees in this state, the temporary assignment of employees 2499 among agencies of government, both state and local, and 2500 including school districts and public institutions of higher 2501 education is authorized under terms and conditions set forth in this section. State agencies, municipalities, and political 2502 2503 subdivisions are authorized to enter into employee interchange 2504 agreements with other state agencies, the Federal Government, 2505 another state, a municipality, or a political subdivision 2506 including a school district, or with a public institution of 2507 higher education. State agencies are also authorized to enter 2508 into employee interchange agreements with private institutions 2509 of higher education and other nonprofit organizations under the 2510 terms and conditions provided in this section. In addition, the 2511 Governor or the Governor and Cabinet may enter into employee 2512 interchange agreements with a state agency, the Federal 2513 Government, another state, a municipality, or a political 2514 subdivision including a school district, or with a public 2515 institution of higher learning to fill, subject to the 2516 requirements of chapter 20, appointive offices which are within 2517 the executive branch of government and which are filled by 2518 appointment by the Governor or the Governor and Cabinet. Under 2519 no circumstances shall employee interchange agreements be 2520 utilized for the purpose of assigning individuals to participate 2521 in political campaigns. Duties and responsibilities of 2522 interchange employees shall be limited to the mission and goals of the agencies of government. 2523

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 2524 (6) For the 2020-2021 2019-2020 fiscal year only, the 2525 assignment of an employee of a state agency as provided in this 2526 section may be made if recommended by the Governor or Chief 2527 Justice, as appropriate, and approved by the chairs of the 2528 legislative appropriations committees. Such actions shall be 2529 deemed approved if neither chair provides written notice of 2530 objection within 14 days after receiving notice of the action 2531 pursuant to s. 216.177. This subsection expires July 1, 2021 2532 <del>2020</del>. 2533 Section 78. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 2534 2727 and 2728 of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act, and 2535 notwithstanding s. 11.13(1), Florida Statutes, the authorized 2536 salaries for members of the Legislature for the 2020-2021 fiscal 2537 year shall be set at the same level in effect on July 1, 2010. 2538 This section expires July 1, 2021. 2539 Section 79. In order to implement the transfer of funds 2540 from the General Revenue Fund from trust funds for the 2020-2021 2541 General Appropriations Act, and notwithstanding the expiration 2542 date in section 110 of chapter 2019-116, Laws of Florida, 2543 paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of section 215.32, Florida 2544 Statutes, is reenacted to read: 215.32 State funds; segregation.-2545 2546 (2) The source and use of each of these funds shall be as 2547 follows: 2548 (b)1. The trust funds shall consist of moneys received by 2549 the state which under law or under trust agreement are 2550 segregated for a purpose authorized by law. The state agency or 2551 branch of state government receiving or collecting such moneys 2552 is responsible for their proper expenditure as provided by law.

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576-02070-20 20202502pb 2553 Upon the request of the state agency or branch of state 2554 government responsible for the administration of the trust fund, 2555 the Chief Financial Officer may establish accounts within the 2556 trust fund at a level considered necessary for proper 2557 accountability. Once an account is established, the Chief 2558 Financial Officer may authorize payment from that account only 2559 upon determining that there is sufficient cash and releases at 2560 the level of the account. 2561 2. In addition to other trust funds created by law, to the 2562 extent possible, each agency shall use the following trust funds as described in this subparagraph for day-to-day operations: 2563 2564 a. Operations or operating trust fund, for use as a 2565 depository for funds to be used for program operations funded by 2566 program revenues, with the exception of administrative 2567 activities when the operations or operating trust fund is a 2568 proprietary fund. 2569 b. Operations and maintenance trust fund, for use as a 2570 depository for client services funded by third-party payors. 2571 c. Administrative trust fund, for use as a depository for 2572 funds to be used for management activities that are departmental 2573 in nature and funded by indirect cost earnings and assessments 2574 against trust funds. Proprietary funds are excluded from the 2575 requirement of using an administrative trust fund. 2576 d. Grants and donations trust fund, for use as a depository 2577 for funds to be used for allowable grant or donor agreement 2578 activities funded by restricted contractual revenue from private 2579 and public nonfederal sources.

e. Agency working capital trust fund, for use as a depository for funds to be used pursuant to s. 216.272.

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           f. Clearing funds trust fund, for use as a depository for
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      funds to account for collections pending distribution to lawful
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      recipients.
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           g. Federal grant trust fund, for use as a depository for
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      funds to be used for allowable grant activities funded by
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      restricted program revenues from federal sources.
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      To the extent possible, each agency must adjust its internal
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      accounting to use existing trust funds consistent with the
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      requirements of this subparagraph. If an agency does not have
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      trust funds listed in this subparagraph and cannot make such
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      adjustment, the agency must recommend the creation of the
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      necessary trust funds to the Legislature no later than the next
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      scheduled review of the agency's trust funds pursuant to s.
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      215.3206.
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           3. All such moneys are hereby appropriated to be expended
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      in accordance with the law or trust agreement under which they
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      were received, subject always to the provisions of chapter 216
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      relating to the appropriation of funds and to the applicable
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      laws relating to the deposit or expenditure of moneys in the
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      State Treasury.
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           4.a. Notwithstanding any provision of law restricting the
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      use of trust funds to specific purposes, unappropriated cash
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      balances from selected trust funds may be authorized by the
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      Legislature for transfer to the Budget Stabilization Fund and
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      General Revenue Fund in the General Appropriations Act.
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           b. This subparagraph does not apply to trust funds required
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      by federal programs or mandates; trust funds established for
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      bond covenants, indentures, or resolutions whose revenues are
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576-02070-20 20202502pb 2611 legally pledged by the state or public body to meet debt service 2612 or other financial requirements of any debt obligations of the 2613 state or any public body; the Division of Licensing Trust Fund 2614 in the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; the 2615 State Transportation Trust Fund; the trust fund containing the 2616 net annual proceeds from the Florida Education Lotteries; the 2617 Florida Retirement System Trust Fund; trust funds under the 2618 management of the State Board of Education or the Board of 2619 Governors of the State University System, where such trust funds 2620 are for auxiliary enterprises, self-insurance, and contracts, 2621 grants, and donations, as those terms are defined by general 2622 law; trust funds that serve as clearing funds or accounts for the Chief Financial Officer or state agencies; trust funds that 2623 2624 account for assets held by the state in a trustee capacity as an 2625 agent or fiduciary for individuals, private organizations, or 2626 other governmental units; and other trust funds authorized by 2627 the State Constitution. 2628 Section 80. The text of s. 215.32(2)(b), Florida Statutes, 2629 as carried forward from chapter 2011-47, Laws of Florida, by 2630 this act, expires July 1, 2021, and the text of that paragraph 2631 shall revert to that in existence on June 30, 2011, except that 2632 any amendments to such text enacted other than by this act shall 2633 be preserved and continue to operate to the extent that such 2634 amendments are not dependent upon the portions of text which 2635 expire pursuant to this section. 2636 Section 81. In order to implement appropriations in the 2637 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act for state employee travel, 2638 the funds appropriated to each state agency which may be used 2639 for travel by state employees are limited during the 2020-2021

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2640	fiscal year to travel for activities that are critical to each
2641	state agency's mission. Funds may not be used for travel by
2642	state employees to foreign countries, other states, conferences,
2643	staff training activities, or other administrative functions
2644	unless the agency head has approved, in writing, that such
2645	activities are critical to the agency's mission. The agency head
2646	shall consider using teleconferencing and other forms of
2647	electronic communication to meet the needs of the proposed
2648	activity before approving mission-critical travel. This section
2649	does not apply to travel for law enforcement purposes, military
2650	purposes, emergency management activities, or public health
2651	activities. This section expires July 1, 2021.
2652	Section 82. In order to implement appropriations in the
2653	2020-2021 General Appropriations Act for state employee travel
2654	and notwithstanding s. 112.061, Florida Statutes, costs for
2655	lodging associated with a meeting, conference, or convention
2656	organized or sponsored in whole or in part by a state agency or
2657	the judicial branch may not exceed \$225 per day. An employee may
2658	expend his or her own funds for any lodging expenses in excess
2659	of \$225 per day. For purposes of this section, a meeting does
2660	not include travel activities for conducting an audit,
2661	examination, inspection, or investigation or travel activities
2662	related to a litigation or emergency response. This section
2663	expires July 1, 2021.
2664	Section 83. In order to implement the appropriation of
2665	funds in the special categories, contracted services, and
2666	expenses categories of the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act,
2667	a state agency may not enter into a contract containing a
2668	nondisclosure clause that prohibits the contractor from
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2669	disclosing information relevant to the performance of the
2670	contract to members or staff of the Senate or the House of
2671	Representatives. This section expires July 1, 2021.
2672	Section 84. Any section of this act which implements a
2673	specific appropriation or specifically identified proviso
2674	language in the 2020-2021 General Appropriations Act is void if
2675	the specific appropriation or specifically identified proviso
2676	language is vetoed. Any section of this act which implements
2677	more than one specific appropriation or more than one portion of
2678	specifically identified proviso language in the 2020-2021
2679	General Appropriations Act is void if all the specific
2680	appropriations or portions of specifically identified proviso
2681	language are vetoed.
2682	Section 85. If any other act passed during the 2020 Regular
2683	Session of the Legislature contains a provision that is
2684	substantively the same as a provision in this act, but that
2685	removes or is otherwise not subject to the future repeal applied
2686	to such provision by this act, the Legislature intends that the
2687	provision in the other act takes precedence and continues to
2688	operate, notwithstanding the future repeal provided by this act.
2689	Section 86. If any provision of this act or its application
2690	to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity
2691	does not affect other provisions or applications of the act
2692	which can be given effect without the invalid provision or
2693	application, and to this end the provisions of this act are
2694	severable.
2695	Section 87. Except as otherwise expressly provided in this
2696	act and except for this section, which shall take effect upon

# 2697 this act becoming a law, this act shall take effect July 1,

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2698	2020; or, if this act fails to become a law until after that
2699	date, it shall take effect upon becoming a law and shall operate
2700	retroactively to July 1, 2020.