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Bill No. HB 787 (2021)

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COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	(Y/N)
OTHER	

Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee

Representative Stevenson offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove lines 27-77 and insert:

7 with section <u>189.031(3)</u>189.404(3), Florida Statutes, the 8 following subsections constitute the charter of the <u>St. Johns</u> 9 St. Augustine-St. Johns County Airport Authority:

10 (1) There is hereby created an authority to be known as 11 the <u>St. Johns</u> St. Augustine-St. Johns County Airport Authority 12 with the power to sue and be sued and with the additional powers 13 specified herein.

14 (2) There is also created a special taxing district in St. 15 Johns County, which district shall be a body politic and 16 corporate and political subdivision of the state under the name 419681 - HB 787 amendment.docx Published On: 3/22/2021 5:26:47 PM

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of "<u>St. Johns</u> St. Augustine-St. Johns County Airport Authority District." The <u>St. Johns</u> St. Augustine-St. Johns County Airport Authority shall be the governing body and shall exercise its powers and jurisdiction within the territory of said district, which shall comprise all of St. Johns County.

22 The St. Johns St. Augustine-St. Johns County Airport (3) 23 Authority shall be governed by a board of five members known as 24 the St. Johns St. Augustine-St. Johns County Airport Authority board. The expiration of each 4-year term for each seat is 25 staggered, such that two or three of the five seats are elected 26 27 every 2 years. At the general election held prior to the 28 expiration of each of said terms, successors shall be elected by 29 the qualified electors residing within the boundaries of the St. Johns St. Augustine-St. Johns County Airport Authority District 30 31 for a term of 4 years, to expire the first Tuesday after the 32 first Monday in January following the election. Vacancies in 33 office shall be filled by appointment of the Governor and confirmed by the Senate for the remainder of the unexpired 34 35 terms. No member of the St. Johns St. Augustine-St. Johns County 36 Airport Authority board shall be an officer or employee of the 37 City of St. Augustine, St. Johns County, or the State of Florida, except members of the militia or notaries public. Not 38 more than two of the members shall be persons who are primarily 39 engaged in the aviation business, and no person shall be 40 eligible for appointment or election as a board member except 41 419681 - HB 787 amendment.docx

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42 persons residing within the boundaries of the St. Johns St. 43 Augustine-St. Johns County Airport Authority District. The 44 members constituting the St. Johns St. Augustine-St. Johns County Airport Authority board shall select one of their number 45 46 as chair, and the term of office of the chair shall be 1 year. 47 The members shall receive no compensation for their service, but they are authorized to be reimbursed for verified travel and 48 other expenses, which shall be paid from the funds of the 49 Authority. Three members shall constitute a quorum for the 50

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TITLE AMENDMENT

54 Remove lines 8-9 and insert: 55 providing an effective date.

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