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Amendment No. ____

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Senator Kirkpatrick moved the following amendment:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

On page 3, between lines 8 and 9,

insert:

Section 3. Paragraph (f) of subsection (9) of section 259.101, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

259.101 Florida Preservation 2000 Act.--

(9)

(f)1. Pursuant to subsection (3) and beginning in fiscal year 1999-2000 ~~1998-1999~~, that portion of the unencumbered balances of each program described in paragraphs (3)(c), (d), (e), (f), and (g) which has been on deposit in such program's Preservation 2000 account for more than two fiscal years shall be redistributed equally to the Department of Environmental Protection, Division of State Lands P200 subaccount for the purchase of state lands as described in s. 250.032 and Water Management District P2000 subaccount for the purchase of water management lands pursuant to ss. 373.59, 373.456, and 373.4592 ~~Conservation and Recreation Lands Trust~~

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1 ~~Fund and the Water Management Lands Trust Fund.~~ For the
2 purposes of this subsection, the term "unencumbered balances"
3 means the portion of Preservation 2000 bond proceeds which is
4 not obligated through the signing of a purchase contract
5 between a public agency and a private landowner, except that
6 the program described in paragraph (3)(c) may not lose any
7 portion of its unencumbered funds which remain unobligated
8 because of extraordinary circumstances that hampered the
9 affected local governments' abilities to close on land
10 acquisition projects approved through the Florida Communities
11 Trust program. Extraordinary circumstances shall be
12 determined by the Florida Communities Trust governing body and
13 may include such things as death or bankruptcy of the owner of
14 property; a change in the land use designation of the
15 property; natural disasters that affected a local government's
16 ability to consummate the sales contract on such property; or
17 any other condition that the Florida Communities Trust
18 governing board determined to be extraordinary. The portion of
19 the funds deposited in the Water Management Lands Trust Fund
20 shall be distributed to the water management districts as
21 provided in s. 373.59(7).

22 2. The department and the water management districts
23 may enter into joint acquisition agreements to jointly fund
24 the purchase of lands using alternatives to fee simple
25 techniques.

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27 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)
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30 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

31 And the title is amended as follows:

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1 On page 1, line 6, after the first semicolon
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3 insert:
4 amending s. 259.101, F.S.; revising the
5 accounts into which funds from the Preservation
6 2000 account are redistributed for land
7 purchases;
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