

By Senator Clary

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A bill to be entitled  
An act relating to transportation  
administration; amending s. 338.223, F.S.;  
requiring a determination of environmental  
feasibility before the acquisition of  
right-of-way for a proposed turnpike project;  
providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of section  
338.223, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

338.223 Proposed turnpike projects.--

(2)

(b) In accordance with the legislative intent  
expressed in s. 337.273, and after the requirements of  
paragraph (1)(c) have been met, the department may acquire  
lands and property before making a final determination of the  
economic feasibility of a project. The cost of advance  
acquisition of right-of-way may be paid from bonds issued  
under s. 337.276 or from turnpike revenues.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a  
law.

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SENATE SUMMARY

Requires a determination of environmental feasibility  
before the acquisition of right-of-way for a proposed  
turnpike project.