

By the Committee on Ways and Means

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A bill to be entitled
An act relating to trust funds; re-creating the
Indigent Criminal Defense Trust Fund within the
Justice Administrative Commission without
modification; carrying forward current balances
and continuing current sources and uses
thereof; providing an effective date.

WHEREAS, the Legislature wishes to extend the life of
the Indigent Criminal Defense Trust Fund within the Justice
Administrative Commission, which is otherwise scheduled to be
terminated pursuant to constitutional mandate, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature has reviewed the Indigent
Criminal Defense Trust Fund within the Justice Administrative
Commission before its scheduled termination date and has found
that it continues to meet an important public purpose, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature has found that existing public
policy concerning the Indigent Criminal Defense Trust Fund
within the Justice Administrative Commission sets adequate
parameters for its use, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. The Indigent Criminal Defense Trust Fund
within the Justice Administrative Commission, SAMAS number
212974, which is to be terminated pursuant to Section 19(f),
Article III of the State Constitution on November 4, 2000, is
re-created.

Section 2. All current balances of the Indigent
Criminal Defense Trust Fund within the Justice Administrative

1 Commission are carried forward, and all current sources and
2 uses of the trust fund are continued.

3 Section 3. This act shall take effect November 4,
4 2000.

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7 HOUSE SUMMARY

8 Re-creates the Indigent Criminal Defense Trust Fund
9 within the Justice Administrative Commission, without
10 modification, and carries forward its current balances
11 and continues its current sources and uses.

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