

By Representative Wiles

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to water and wastewater
3 systems; amending s. 367.171, F.S.; including
4 Flagler County within a list of counties
5 excluded from the provisions of the Water and
6 Wastewater System Regulatory Law; providing an
7 effective date.

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

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11 Section 1. Subsection (3) of section 367.171, Florida
12 Statutes, 1996 Supplement, is amended to read:

13 367.171 Effectiveness of this chapter.--

14 (3) In consideration of the variance of powers,
15 duties, responsibilities, population, and size of
16 municipalities of the several counties and in consideration of
17 the fact that every county varies from every other county and
18 thereby affects the functions, duties, and responsibilities
19 required of its county officers and the scope of
20 responsibilities which each county may, at this time,
21 undertake, the Counties of Alachua, Baker, Bradford, Calhoun,
22 Charlotte, Dade, Dixie, Escambia, Flagler, Gadsden, Gilchrist,
23 Glades, Hamilton, Hardee, Hendry, Hillsborough, Holmes, Indian
24 River, Jefferson, Lafayette, Leon, Liberty, Madison, Manatee,
25 Okaloosa, Okeechobee, Polk, St. Lucie, Santa Rosa, Sarasota,
26 Suwannee, Taylor, Union, Wakulla, and Walton are excluded from
27 the provisions of this chapter until such time as the board of
28 county commissioners of any such county, acting pursuant to
29 the provisions of subsection (1), makes this chapter
30 applicable to such county or until the Legislature, by

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1 appropriate act, removes one or more of such counties from
2 this exclusion.

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

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7 HOUSE SUMMARY

8 Includes Flagler County within a list of counties
9 excluded from the provisions of ch. 367, F.S., the Water
10 and Wastewater System Regulatory Law.

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