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**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
COMMITTEE ON
TRANSPORTATION & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS
TRUST FUND RE-CREATION ANALYSIS**

BILL #: HB 1165 (PCB TED 99-11)

RELATING TO: Re-creating the Tourism Promotional Trust Fund

SPONSOR(S): Committee on Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations

COMPANION BILL(S):

ORIGINATING COMMITTEE(S)/COMMITTEE(S) OF REFERENCE:

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I. SUMMARY:

This legislation re-creates the Tourism Promotional Trust Fund without modification effective November 4, 2000. The Tourism Promotional Trust Fund, FLAIR #312722, is administered by the Executive Office of the Governor. This fund was last re-created effective November 4, 1996, by Chapter 96-17, L.O.F.

II. SUBSTANTIVE ANALYSIS:

A. PRESENT SITUATION:

1. MAJOR STATUTES THAT CONTROL THE TRUST FUND:

Section 288.122, F.S., creates the trust fund and provides for its purpose.

2. BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE FUND'S USES OR PURPOSES:

Funds the operations and activities of the Florida Commission on Tourism including but not limited to promotion and advertising.

3. MAJOR SOURCES OF REVENUE FOR THE FUND:

Rental car surcharge. According to Comptroller data, receipts to this fund for FY 1997-98 were \$30.7 million.

B. EFFECT OF PROPOSED CHANGES:

This bill re-creates the trust fund without modification.

C. STATUTE(S) AFFECTED:

None.

III. FISCAL ANALYSIS & ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT:

This legislation has no fiscal impact on state agencies or state funds, on local governments as a whole or on the private sector. It simply re-creates, without modification, an existing state trust fund and continues the current use of the fund.

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IV. COMMENTS:

None.

V. AMENDMENTS OR COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE CHANGES:

None.

VI. SIGNATURES:

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