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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS TRUST FUND RE-CREATION ANALYSIS

BILL #: HB 1295 (PCB GG 99-32)

RELATING TO: Re-creating the Mortgage Brokerage Guaranty Trust Fund

SPONSOR(S): Committee on General Government Appropriations

COMPANION BILL(S):

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

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I. SUMMARY:

This legislation re-creates the Mortgage Brokerage Guaranty Trust Fund without modification, effective November 4, 2000. The Mortgage Brokerage Guaranty Trust Fund, FLAIR #44-2-485, is administered by the Department of Banking and Finance. This fund was last re-created effective November 4, 1996, by Chapter 95-73, Laws of Florida.

II. SUBSTANTIVE ANALYSIS:

A. PRESENT SITUATION:

MAJOR STATUTES THAT CONTROL THE TRUST FUND:

Section 494.0017, F.S., creates the trust fund and provides a revenue source for the fund. Section 494.00171, F.S., provides a revenue source.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE FUND'S USES OR PURPOSES:

The fund provides a mechanism for the Department of Banking and Finance to pay valid claims related to mortgage brokerage regulation in the state.

MAJOR SOURCES OF REVENUE FOR THE FUND:

The major sources of revenue for the fund are transfers from the Regulatory Trust Fund of assessments against the industry. According to Comptroller data, receipts to this fund for FY 1997-98 were \$89,414.

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.	
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