

By the Committee on General Government Appropriations and Representative Sembler

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to trust funds; re-creating the
3 Drinking Water Revolving Loan Trust Fund within
4 the Department of Environmental Protection
5 without modification and placing it on the
6 standard review cycle; carrying forward current
7 balances and continuing current sources and
8 uses thereof; repealing s. 403.8533(3), F.S.;
9 abrogating provisions relating to the
10 termination of the trust fund, to conform;
11 providing an effective date.

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13 WHEREAS, the Legislature wishes to extend the life of
14 the Drinking Water Revolving Loan Trust Fund within the
15 Department of Environmental Protection, which is otherwise
16 scheduled to be terminated pursuant to constitutional mandate,
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18 WHEREAS, the Legislature has reviewed the trust fund
19 before its scheduled termination date and has found that it
20 continues to meet an important public purpose, and

21 WHEREAS, the Legislature has found that existing public
22 policy concerning the trust fund sets adequate parameters for
23 its use, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

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27 Section 1. (1) The Drinking Water Revolving Loan
28 Trust Fund, FLAIR number 37-2-044, which was created within
29 the Department of Environmental Protection by section
30 403.8533, Florida Statutes, and which is to be terminated
31 pursuant to Section 19(f), Article III of the State

1 Constitution on July 1, 2001, unless terminated sooner by law,
2 is hereby terminated on November 4, 2000, and re-created.

3 (2) All current balances of the trust fund are carried
4 forward, and all current sources and uses of the trust fund
5 are continued.

6 Section 2. Subsection (3) of section 403.8533, Florida
7 Statutes, is repealed.

8 Section 3. This act shall take effect November 4,
9 2000.

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HOUSE SUMMARY

Re-creates the Drinking Water Revolving Loan Trust Fund within the Department of Environmental Protection and places it on the standard review cycle.