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**DATE:** June 28, 1999

**\*\*FINAL ACTION\*\***  
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**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
COMMITTEE ON  
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES APPROPRIATIONS  
FINAL TRUST FUND RE-CREATION ANALYSIS**

**BILL #:** HB 1899 (PCB HHS 99-06)  
**RELATING TO:** Re-creating the Florida Organ and Tissue Donor Education and Procurement Trust Fund  
**SPONSOR(S):** Committee on Health and Human Services Appropriations  
**COMPANION BILL(S):** SB 1972

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

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I. FINAL ACTION STATUS:

HB 1899 died in Senate Messages April 30, 1999. However, the companion bill, SB 1972, passed the House on April 30, 1999, and passed the Senate on April 29, 199. The bill was approved by the Governor and became law June 11, 1999 (Chapter 99-324, Laws of Florida).

II. SUMMARY:

This legislation re-creates the Florida Organ and Tissue Donor Education and Procurement Trust Fund without modification, effective July 1, 1999. The Florida Organ and Tissue Donor Education and Procurement Trust Fund, FLAIR #68-2-509, is administered by the Agency for Health Care Administration. This fund was originally created effective July 1, 1995, by Chapter 95-316, Laws of Florida.

III. SUBSTANTIVE ANALYSIS:

A. PRESENT SITUATION:

1. MAJOR STATUTES THAT CONTROL THE TRUST FUND:

Section 732.92155, F.S., creates the trust fund. Section 381.6024, F.S., provides a revenue source. Section 732.915, F.S., provides for the uses of the fund.

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

The fund allows for maintaining the organ and tissue donor registry and for organ and tissue donor education.

3. MAJOR SOURCES OF REVENUE FOR THE FUND:

The major sources of revenue for the fund are application fees from organ procurement organizations, tissue banks, and eye banks, as well as administrative penalties. Fiscal Year 1998-1999 direct revenues to the fund were \$416,153.

B. EFFECT OF PROPOSED CHANGES:

This bill re-creates the trust fund without modification.

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C. STATUTE(S) AFFECTED:

None.

IV. 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.

V. COMMENTS:

None.

VI. AMENDMENTS OR COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE CHANGES:

None.

VII. SIGNATURES:

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