### Bill No. CS for SB 2540

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11	Senator Sebesta moved the following amendment:
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13	Senate Amendment (with title amendment)
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16	insert:
17	Section 1. Paragraph (d) of subsection (3) of section
18	330.30, Florida Statutes, 1998 Supplement, is amended to read:
19	330.30 Approval of airport sites and licensing of
20	airports; fees
21	(3) EXEMPTIONSThe provisions of this section do not
22	apply to:
23	(d) An airport under the jurisdiction or control of a
24	county or municipal aviation authority or a county or
25	municipal port authority or the Spaceport Florida Authority;
26	however, the department shall license any such airport if such
27	authority does not elect to exercise its exemption under this
28	subsection.
29	Section 2. Subsection (25) is added to section
30	331.303, Florida Statutes, to read:
31	331.303 Definitions
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1	(25) "Spaceport discretionary capacity improvement
2	projects" means capacity improvements that enhance space
3	transportation capacity at spaceports that have had one or
4	more orbital or suborbital flights during the previous
5	calendar year or have an agreement in writing for installation
6	of one or more regularly scheduled orbital or suborbital
7	flights upon the commitment of funds for stipulated spaceport
8	capital improvements.
9	Section 3. Section 331.304, Florida Statutes, is
10	amended to read:
11	331.304 Spaceport territoryThe following property
12	shall constitute spaceport territory:
13	(1) Certain real property located in Brevard County
14	that is included within the 1998 boundaries of Patrick Air
15	Force Base, Cape Canaveral Air Station, John F. Kennedy Space
16	Center.with the following boundaries:
17	(a) Northern boundaryLatitude 28°32'30" North.
18	(b) Eastern boundaryThe mean high water line of the
19	shore along the Atlantic Ocean.
20	(c) Western boundaryCape Road (State Road 401).
21	(d) Southern boundaryLatitude 28°26' North.
22	(2) Certain real property located in Gulf County with
23	the following boundaries:
24	(a) Northern boundaryLatitude 29°40'45" North from

- (b) Eastern boundary--Longitude 85°20' West.
- (c) Western boundary--The mean high water line of the shore along the Gulf of Mexico.

longitude 85°20' West in a westerly direction to the mean high

(d) Southern boundary--The mean high water line of the 30 31 | shore along the Gulf of Mexico.

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(3) Certain real property located in Santa Rosa, 1 2 Okaloosa, and Walton Counties which is included within the 3 1997 boundaries of Eglin Air Force Base. 4 Section 4. Section 331.360, Florida Statutes, is 5 amended to read: 6 331.360 Joint project agreement or assistance.--7 (1) It shall be the duty, function, and responsibility of the Department of Transportation to promote the further 8 development and improvement of aerospace transportation 9 10 facilities, to address intermodal requirements and impacts of the launch ranges, spaceports, and other space transportation 11 12 facilities, to assist in the development of joint-use 13 facilities and technology that support aviation and aerospace operations, and to facilitate and promote cooperative efforts 14 15 between federal and state government entities to improve space transportation capacity and efficiency. In carrying out this 16 17 duty and responsibility, the department may assist and advise, 18 cooperate with, and coordinate with federal, state, local, or private organizations and individuals. The department may 19 20 administratively house its space transportation 21 responsibilities within an existing division or office. (2) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the 22 Department of Transportation may enter into a joint project 23 agreement with, or otherwise assist, the Spaceport Florida 24 25 Authority as necessary to effectuate the provisions of this

(3) The authority shall develop a spaceport master plan for expansion and modernization of space transportation facilities within spaceport territories as defined in s.

work program. However, the department may not fund the

administrative or operational costs of the authority.

chapter and may allocate funds for such purposes in its 5-year

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331.303(22). The plan shall contain recommended projects to
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   meet current and future commercial, national, and state space
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    transportation requirements. The authority shall submit the
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   plan to any appropriate M.P.O. for review of intermodal
    impacts. The authority shall submit the spaceport master plan
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    to the Department of Transportation and such plan may be
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    included within the department's 5-year work program of
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    qualifying aerospace discretionary capacity improvement under
    s. 331.360(4). The plan shall identify appropriate funding
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    levels and include recommendations on appropriate sources of
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    revenue that may be developed to contribute to the State
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    Transportation Trust Fund.
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          (4) Subject to the availability of appropriated funds,
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    the department may participate in the capital cost of eligible
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    spaceport discretionary capacity improvement projects. The
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   proposed funding requested for approved spaceport
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    discretionary capacity improvement projects.
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           Section 5. Section 332.008, Florida Statutes, is
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    created to read:
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           332.008 Limitation on operation of chapter.--Nothing
    in this chapter shall be construed to authorize expenditure of
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    aviation fuel tax revenues on space transportation projects.
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    Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to limit the
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    department's authority under s. 331.360.
           Section 6. Subsection (31) of section 334.03, Florida
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    Statutes, is amended to read:
           334.03 Definitions.--When used in the Florida
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   Transportation Code, the term:
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           (31) "Transportation facility" means any means for the
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which is constructed, operated, or maintained in whole or in part from public funds. The term includes the property or property rights, both real and personal, which have been or may be established by public bodies for the transportation of people or and property from place to place.

Section 7. Subsection (6) is added to section 334.30, Florida Statutes, to read:

- 334.30 Private transportation facilities.--The Legislature hereby finds and declares that there is a public need for rapid construction of safe and efficient transportation facilities for the purpose of travel within the state, and that it is in the public's interest to provide for the construction of additional safe, convenient, and economical transportation facilities.
- (6) Notwithstanding s. 341.327, a fixed-guideway transportation system authorized by the department to be wholly or partially within the department's right-of-way pursuant to a lease granted under s. 337.251 may operate at any safe speed.

Section 8. Paragraph (d) of subsection (2) of section 339.155, Florida Statutes, is amended, present paragraphs (w) and (x) of that subsection are redesignated as paragraphs (x) and (y), respectively, and a new paragraph (w) is added to that subsection, to read:

- 339.155 Transportation planning. -- The department shall develop and annually update a statewide transportation plan, to be known as the Florida Transportation Plan. The plan shall be designed so as to be easily read and understood by the general public.
- (2) DEVELOPMENT CRITERIA. -- The Florida Transportation 31 | Plan shall consider the needs of the entire state

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29 30 transportation system, examine the use of all modes of transportation to effectively and efficiently meet such needs, and provide for the interconnection of all types of modes in a comprehensive intermodal transportation system. In developing the Florida Transportation Plan, the department shall consider the following:

- (d) International border crossings and access to ports, airports, spaceports, intermodal transportation facilities, major freight distribution routes, national parks, recreation and scenic areas, monuments and historic sites, and military installations.
- (w) The spaceport master plan approved by the Spaceport Florida Authority.

Section 9. Paragraph (a) of subsection (2), paragraph (b) of subsection (5), paragraph (a) of subsection (6), paragraphs (a) and (c) of subsection (7), and paragraph (a) of subsection (9) of section 339.175, Florida Statutes, 1998 Supplement, are amended to read:

339.175 Metropolitan planning organization. -- It is the intent of the Legislature to encourage and promote the development of transportation systems embracing various modes of transportation in a manner that will maximize the mobility of people and goods within and through urbanized areas of this state and minimize, to the maximum extent feasible, and together with applicable regulatory government agencies, transportation-related fuel consumption and air pollution. accomplish these objectives, metropolitan planning organizations, referred to in this section as M.P.O.'s, shall develop, in cooperation with the state, transportation plans and programs for metropolitan areas. Such plans and programs 31 | must provide for the development of transportation facilities

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that will function as an intermodal transportation system for the metropolitan area. The process for developing such plans and programs shall be continuing, cooperative, and comprehensive, to the degree appropriate, based on the complexity of the transportation problems.

- (2) VOTING MEMBERSHIP. --
- (a) The voting membership of an M.P.O. shall consist of not fewer than 5 or more than 19 apportioned members, the exact number to be determined on an equitable geographic-population ratio basis by the Governor, based on an agreement among the affected units of general-purpose local government as required by federal rules and regulations. The Governor, in accordance with 23 U.S.C. s. 134, as amended by the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1991, may also provide for M.P.O. members who represent municipalities to alternate with representatives from other municipalities within the designated urban area that do not have members on the M.P.O. County commission members shall compose not less than one-third of the M.P.O. membership, except for an M.P.O. with more than 15 members located in a county with a five-member county commission or an M.P.O. with 19 members located in a county with no more than 6 county commissioners, in which case county commission members may compose less than one-third percent of the M.P.O. membership, but all county commissioners must be members. All voting members shall be elected officials of general-purpose governments, except that an M.P.O. may include, as part of its apportioned voting members, a member of a statutorily authorized planning board, or an official of an agency that operates or administers a major mode of transportation, or an official of the Spaceport Florida Authority. In metropolitan

areas in which authorities or other agencies have been, or may be, created by law to perform transportation functions that are not under the jurisdiction of a general-purpose local government represented on the M.P.O., they shall be provided voting membership on the M.P.O. The county commission shall compose not less than 20 percent of the M.P.O. membership if an official of an agency that operates or administers a major mode of transportation has been appointed to an M.P.O.

- (5) POWERS, DUTIES, AND RESPONSIBILITIES.—The powers, privileges, and authority of an M.P.O. are those specified in this section or incorporated in an interlocal agreement authorized under s. 163.01. Each M.P.O. shall perform all acts required by federal or state laws or rules, now and subsequently applicable, which are necessary to qualify for federal aid. It is the intent of this section that each M.P.O. shall be involved in the planning and programming of transportation facilities, including, but not limited to, airports, intercity and high-speed rail lines, seaports, and intermodal facilities, to the extent permitted by state or federal law.
- (b) In developing the long-range transportation plan and the transportation improvement program required under paragraph (a), each M.P.O. must, at a minimum, consider:
- 1. The preservation of existing transportation facilities and, where practical, ways to meet transportation needs by using existing facilities more efficiently;
- 2. The consistency of transportation planning with applicable federal, state, and local energy conservation programs, goals, and objectives;
- 30 3. The need to relieve congestion and prevent congestion from occurring where it does not yet occur;

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- The likely effect of transportation policy decisions on land use and development and the consistency of transportation plans and programs with all applicable short-term and long-term land use and development plans;
- The programming of transportation enhancement activities as required by federal law;
- The effect of all transportation projects to be undertaken in the metropolitan area, without regard to whether such projects are publicly funded;
- The provision of access to seaports, airports, spaceports, intermodal transportation facilities, major freight distribution routes, national and state parks, recreation areas, monuments and historic sites, and military installations;
- The need for roads within the metropolitan area to efficiently connect with roads outside the metropolitan area;
- The transportation needs identified through the use of transportation management systems required by federal or state law;
- 10. The preservation of rights-of-way for construction of future transportation projects, including the identification of unused rights-of-way that may be needed for future transportation corridors and the identification of corridors for which action is most needed to prevent destruction or loss;
- 11. Any available methods to enhance the efficient movement of freight;
- The use of life-cycle costs in the design and engineering of bridges, tunnels, or pavement;
- 13. The overall social, economic, energy, and 31 | environmental effects of transportation decisions;

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- Any available methods to expand or enhance transit services and increase the use of such services; and
- The possible allocation of capital investments to increase security for transit systems.
- (6) LONG-RANGE PLAN. -- Each M.P.O. must develop a long-range transportation plan that addresses at least a 20-year planning horizon. The plan must include both long-range and short-range strategies and must comply with all other state and federal requirements. The long-range plan must be consistent, to the maximum extent feasible, with future land use elements and the goals, objectives, and policies of the approved local government comprehensive plans of the units of local government located within the jurisdiction of the M.P.O. The approved long-range plan must be considered by local governments in the development of the transportation elements in local government comprehensive plans and any amendments thereto. The long-range plan must, at a minimum:
- (a) Identify transportation facilities, including, but not limited to, major roadways, airports, seaports, spaceports, commuter rail systems, transit systems, and intermodal or multimodal terminals that will function as an integrated metropolitan transportation system. The long-range plan must give emphasis to those transportation facilities that serve national, statewide, or regional functions, and must consider the goals and objectives identified in the Florida Transportation Plan as provided in s. 339.155.

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In the development of its long-range plan, each M.P.O. must provide affected public agencies, representatives of transportation agency employees, private providers of 31 | transportation, other interested parties, and members of the Bill No. CS for SB 2540 Amendment No. \_\_\_\_

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general public with a reasonable opportunity to comment on the long-range plan. The long-range plan must be approved by the M.P.O.

- (7) TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM. -- Each M.P.O. shall, in cooperation with the state and affected public transportation operators, develop a transportation improvement program for the area within the jurisdiction of the M.P.O. the development of the transportation improvement program, each M.P.O. must provide affected public transit agencies, representatives of transportation agency employees, private providers of transportation, other interested parties, and members of the general public with a reasonable opportunity to comment on the transportation improvement program.
- (a) Each M.P.O. is responsible for developing, annually, a list of project priorities and a transportation improvement program. The transportation improvement program will be used to initiate federally aided transportation facilities and improvements as well as other transportation facilities and improvements including transit, rail, aviation, spaceport, and port facilities to be funded from the State Transportation Trust Fund within its metropolitan area in accordance with existing and subsequent federal and state laws and rules and regulations related thereto. The transportation improvement program shall be consistent, to the maximum extent feasible, with the approved local government comprehensive plans of the units of local government whose boundaries are within the metropolitan area of the M.P.O.
- The transportation improvement program must, at a (C) minimum:
- Include projects and project phases to be funded 31 with state or federal funds within the time period of the

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transportation improvement program and which are recommended for advancement during the next fiscal year and 4 subsequent fiscal years. Such projects and project phases must be consistent, to the maximum extent feasible, with the approved local government comprehensive plans of the units of local government located within the jurisdiction of the M.P.O. For informational purposes, the transportation improvement program shall also include a list of projects to be funded from local or private revenues.

- 2. Include projects within the metropolitan area which are proposed for funding under 23 U.S.C. s. 134 of the Federal Transit Act and which are consistent with the long-range plan developed under subsection (6).
- Provide a financial plan that demonstrates how the transportation improvement program can be implemented; indicates the resources, both public and private, that are reasonably expected to be available to accomplish the program; and recommends any innovative financing techniques that may be used to fund needed projects and programs. Such techniques may include the assessment of tolls, the use of value capture financing, or the use of congestion pricing. transportation improvement program may include a project or project phase only if full funding can reasonably be anticipated to be available for the project or project phase within the time period contemplated for completion of the project or project phase.
- Group projects and project phases of similar urgency and anticipated staging into appropriate staging periods.
- 5. Indicate how the transportation improvement program 31 relates to the long-range plan developed under subsection (6),

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including providing examples of specific projects or project phases that further the goals and policies of the long-range plan.

- Indicate whether any project or project phase is inconsistent with an approved comprehensive plan of a unit of local government located within the jurisdiction of the M.P.O. If a project is inconsistent with an affected comprehensive plan, the M.P.O. must provide justification for including the project in the transportation improvement program.
- 7. Indicate how the improvements are consistent, to the maximum extent feasible, with affected seaport, and airport, and spaceport master plans and with public transit development plans of the units of local government located within the jurisdiction of the M.P.O.
  - (9) AGREEMENTS. --
- (a) Each M.P.O. shall execute the following written agreements, which shall be reviewed, and updated as necessary, every 5 years:
- 1. An agreement with the department clearly establishing the cooperative relationship essential to accomplish the transportation planning requirements of state and federal law.
- 2. An agreement with the metropolitan and regional intergovernmental coordination and review agencies serving the metropolitan areas, specifying the means by which activities will be coordinated and how transportation planning and programming will be part of the comprehensive planned development of the area.
- 3. An agreement with operators of public transportation systems, including transit systems, commuter 31 | rail systems, airports, and seaports, and spaceports,

describing the means by which activities will be coordinated and specifying how public transit, commuter rail, aviation, and seaport, and aerospace planning and programming will be part of the comprehensive planned development of the metropolitan area.

Section 10. <u>Commission on the Future of Aeronautics</u> and Space in Florida.--

- (1) The Legislature finds that the aviation and aerospace industries comprise an important segment of Florida's present and future economy. Yet, there exists intense nationwide competition for future development of these industries. The state has the resources to help these industries meet the challenges and opportunities of competition and to establish itself as a prime location for aviation and aerospace industries, thus creating a prime environment for economic development and employment opportunities. However, effective action and the necessary coordination of resources must be based on a reliable assessment of the present climate for such industries in the state. Further, the various options available for legislative action should be carefully considered.
- (2) There is created the Commission on the Future of Aeronautics and Space in Florida. The commission shall be composed of the following 11 members:
- (a) The chairs of the Transportation Committees of the Senate and the House of Representatives.
- (b) A representative of the Aviation Office of the Department of Transportation, appointed by the Secretary of Transportation.
- 30 (c) A representative of the Spaceport Florida
  31 Authority, appointed by the board of supervisors of the

authority.

- (d) Two members appointed by the Governor who are not members of the Legislature.
- (f) Two members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.
- (g) An active manager of an airport in Florida appointed by the Florida Airport Manager's Association.
- (3) The members appointed pursuant to paragraphs
  (2)(d), (e), and (f), shall be selected so as to equitably
  provide knowledge concerning and experience in the following
  areas: commercial aviation; aviation manufacturing; aviation
  operations and maintenance; aerospace manufacturing; aerospace
  operations and maintenance; and aeronautics-related education.
- (4) The members of the commission shall be appointed within 30 days after the effective date of this act. The commission shall serve until adjournment sine die of the 2001 Regular Session of the Legislature. Vacancies on the commission shall be filled in the same manner as the original appointment.
- (5) Upon appointment of its members, the commission shall meet to organize and select a chair and vice chair.

  Meetings shall be held upon the call of the chair, but not less frequently than quarterly.
- (6) The members of the commission shall serve without compensation but shall be entitled to be reimbursed for per diem and travel expenses as provided in section 112.061,

  Florida Statutes. The Department of Transportation shall provide administrative staff support and travel and per diem expenses for the commission.

(7) The commission shall:

(a) Survey current state and local laws, ordinances, and rules that affect the development and regulation of the aviation and aerospace industries in Florida and recommend ways in which these regulations can be streamlined and revised to operate more efficiently. The commission should also consider whether regulation and oversight in the fields of aviation and aerospace should be centralized under one governmental agency.

- (b) Examine the ways in which aviation and aerospace industries, including the component elements of manufacturing, assembly, marketing, servicing, maintenance, logistical support, human resources, and related research and development, can be attracted to locate permanently in the state, and recommend actions that can be taken by state and local governments to accomplish this goal.
- (c) Review existing studies to evaluate the availability of commercial air services in Florida, identify underserved locations, and recommend actions that can be taken to improve the availability, efficiency, and economy of the state's commercial air services.
- (d) Identify the advances that can be expected in the future in aeronautics and aerospace operations, air transport, aeronautical education, and other aeronautical areas, and make recommendations regarding how the state can anticipate, encourage, and accommodate such advances.
- (e) Identify aid that is available at the federal level to assist in efforts to improve Florida's aeronautical and aerospace competitive position, and recommend ways in which the state can be most effective in obtaining that aid.
  - (f) Determine whether Florida's secondary and

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              The commission shall prepare a preliminary report
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   final report by January 15, 2001. Copies of the reports shall
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   be submitted to the Governor, the President and the Minority
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   And the title is amended as follows:
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           amending s. 330.30, F.S.; exempting certain
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           spaceports from a provision of law relating to
           the approval of airport sites and the licensing
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           of airports; amending s. 331.303, F.S.;
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           Spaceport Florida Authority Act; amending s.
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           331.304, F.S.; revising the boundaries of
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           spaceport territory; amending s. 331.360, F.S.;
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1 providing for the development of a spaceport 2 master plan; creating s. 332.008, F.S.; 3 providing limitation on the application of 4 chapter 332, F.S.; amending s. 334.03, F.S.; 5 redefining the term "transportation facility"; amending s. 334.30, F.S.; authorizing a fixed 6 7 guideway transportation system operating within the Department of Transportation's right-of-way 8 9 to operate at any safe speed; amending s. 339.155, F.S.; revising a provision of law 10 governing transportation planning to include 11 12 reference to spaceport master plans; amending 13 s. 339.175, F.S.; including reference to 14 spaceports and aerospace development with 15 respect to metropolitan planning organizations; creating the Commission on the Future of 16 17 Aeronautics and Space in Florida; providing for qualifications and appointment of members; 18 19 directing the commission to study and make 20 recommendations regarding specified areas relating to aeronautics and aerospace in the 21 state; requiring reports; 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30