

By the Committee on Fiscal Policy

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A bill to be entitled
An act relating to the re-creation of the Plant
Industry Trust Fund without modification;
re-creating the Plant Industry Trust Fund;
carrying forward current balances and
continuing current sources and uses thereof;
providing an effective date.

WHEREAS, the Legislature wishes to extend the life of
the Plant Industry Trust Fund, which is otherwise scheduled to
be terminated pursuant to constitutional mandate, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature has reviewed the Plant
Industry Trust Fund before its scheduled termination date and
has found that it continues to meet an important public
purpose, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature has found that existing public
policy concerning the Plant Industry Trust Fund sets adequate
parameters for its use, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. (1) The Plant Industry Trust Fund, FLAIR
number 42-2-507, which was created within the Department of
Agriculture and Consumer Services from the Nursery Inspection
Trust Fund pursuant to chapter 84-60, Laws of Florida, and
which is to be terminated pursuant to Section 19(f), Article
III of the State Constitution on November 4, 2000, is
re-created.

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

1 Section 2. This act shall take effect November 4,
2 2000.

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5 SENATE SUMMARY

6 Re-creates the Plant Industry Trust Fund within the
7 Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.

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