By the Committee on Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations and Representative Fuller  $\,$ 

A bill to be entitled 1 2 An act relating to trust funds; re-creating the 3 Ringling Museum Investment Trust Fund within the Department of State without modification; 4 5 carrying forward current balances and continuing current sources and uses thereof; 6 7 providing an effective date. 8 9 WHEREAS, the Legislature wishes to extend the life of 10 the Ringling Museum Investment Trust Fund within the 11 Department of State, which is otherwise scheduled to be terminated pursuant to constitutional mandate, and 12 13 WHEREAS, the Legislature has reviewed the trust fund before its scheduled termination date and has found that it 14 continues to meet an important public purpose, and 15 16 WHEREAS, the Legislature has found that existing public 17 policy concerning the trust fund sets adequate parameters for its use, NOW, THEREFORE, 18 19 20 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 21 22 Section 1. (1) The Ringling Museum Investment Trust 23 Fund within the Department of State, FLAIR number 45-2-411, which is to be terminated pursuant to Section 19(f), Article 24 III of the State Constitution on November 4, 2000, is 25 26 re-created. (2) All current balances of the trust fund are carried 27 28 forward, and all current sources and uses of the trust fund 29 are continued. 30 Section 2. This act shall take effect November 4, 2000.