

By the Committee on General Appropriations and
Representative Sembler

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to trust funds; creating s.
3 372.127, F.S.; creating a Conservation and
4 Recreation Lands Program Trust Fund within the
5 Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission;
6 providing for purpose and sources of funds;
7 providing for annual carryforward of funds;
8 providing for future review and termination or
9 re-creation of the trust fund; providing an
10 effective date.

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

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14 Section 1. Section 372.127, Florida Statutes, is
15 created to read:

16 372.127 Conservation and Recreation Lands Program
17 Trust Fund of the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission.--

18 (1) There is created a Conservation and Recreation
19 Lands Program Trust Fund within the Fish and Wildlife
20 Conservation Commission. The purpose of the trust fund is to
21 provide for the management of conservation and recreation
22 lands by the commission. Funds may be appropriated to the
23 trust fund from the Conservation and Recreation Lands Trust
24 Fund in the Department of Environmental Protection, as created
25 by s. 259.032(2), or from such other sources as the
26 Legislature may determine.

27 (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of s. 216.301 and
28 pursuant to s. 216.351, any balance in the trust fund at the
29 end of any fiscal year shall remain in the trust fund at the
30 end of the year and shall be available for carrying out the
31 purposes of the trust fund.

1 (3) Pursuant to the provisions of s. 19(f)(2), Art.
2 III of the State Constitution, the trust fund shall, unless
3 terminated sooner, be terminated on July 1, 2004. Prior to its
4 scheduled termination, the trust fund shall be reviewed as
5 provided in s. 215.3206(1) and (2).

6 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2000.

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9 HOUSE SUMMARY

10 Creates a Conservation and Recreation Lands Program Trust
11 Fund within the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission
12 to provide for management of conservation and recreation
13 lands by the commission. Provides funding through the
14 Conservation and Recreation Lands Trust Fund in the
15 Department of Environmental Protection and other
16 legislatively determined sources. Provides for annual
17 carryforward of funds. Provides for future review and
18 termination or re-creation of the trust fund.
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