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Amendment No. ____

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11	Senator Bronson moved the following amendment:		
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13	Senate Amendment (with title amendment)		
14	On page 6, between lines 20 and 21,		
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16	insert:		
17	Section 3. Subsections (1) and (3) of section		
18	373.1501, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:		
19	373.1501 South Florida Water Management District as		
20	local sponsor.--		
21	(1) As used in this section and s. 373.026(8), the		
22	term:		
23	(a) "C-111 Project" means the project identified in		
24	the Central and Southern Florida Flood Control Project, Real		
25	Estate Design Memorandum, Canal 111, South Dade County,		
26	Florida.		
27	(b) "Department" means the Department of Environmental		
28	Protection.		
29	(c) "District" means the South Florida Water		
30	Management District.		
31	(d) "Kissimmee River Restoration Project" means the		

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1 project identified in the Project Cooperation Agreement
2 between the United States Department of the Army and the South
3 Florida Water Management District dated March 22, 1994.

4 (e) "Pal-Mar Project" means the Pal-Mar (West Jupiter
5 Wetlands) lands identified in the Save Our Rivers 2000 Land
6 Acquisition and Management Plan approved by the South Florida
7 Water Management District on September 9, 1999, (Resolution
8 99-94).

9 (f)~~(e)~~ "Project" means the Central and Southern
10 Florida Project.

11 (g)~~(f)~~ "Project Component" means any structural or
12 operational change, resulting from the restudy, to the Central
13 and Southern Florida Project as it existed and was operated as
14 of January 1, 1999.

15 (h)~~(g)~~ "Restudy" means the Comprehensive Review Study
16 of the Central and Southern Florida Project, for which federal
17 participation was authorized by the federal Water Resources
18 Development Acts of 1992 and 1996 together with related
19 Congressional resolutions and for which participation by the
20 South Florida Water Management District is authorized by this
21 section. The term includes all actions undertaken pursuant to
22 the aforementioned authorizations which will result in
23 recommendations for modifications or additions to the Central
24 and Southern Florida Project.

25 (i) "Southern Corkscrew Regional Ecosystem Watershed
26 Project" means the area described in the Critical Restoration
27 Project Contract C-9906 Southern Corkscrew Regional Ecosystem
28 Watershed Project Addition/Imperial River Flowway and approved
29 by the South Florida Water Management District on August 12,
30 1999.

31 (j)~~(h)~~ "Water Preserve Areas" means those areas

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1 located only within Palm Beach and Broward counties that are
 2 designated as Water Preserve Areas, as approved by the South
 3 Florida Water Management District Governing Board on September
 4 11, 1997, and shall also include all of those lands within
 5 Cell II of the East Coast Buffer in Broward County as
 6 delineated in the boundary survey prepared by Stoner and
 7 Associates, Inc., dated January 31, 2000, SWFWMD #10953.

8 (k)(i) "Ten Mile Creek Project" means the Ten Mile
 9 Creek Water Preserve Area identified in the Central and
 10 Southern Florida Ecosystem Critical Project Letter Report
 11 dated April 13, 1998.

12 (3) The Legislature declares that the Kissimmee River
 13 Project, the Ten Mile Creek Project, the Water Preserve Areas,
 14 the Southern Corkscrew Regional Ecosystem Watershed Project,
 15 the Pal-Mar Project,and the C-111 Project are in the public
 16 interest, for a public purpose, and necessary for the public
 17 health and welfare. The governing board of the district is
 18 empowered and authorized to acquire fee title or easement by
 19 eminent domain for the limited purposes of implementing the
 20 Kissimmee River Project, the Ten Mile Creek Project, the Water
 21 Preserve Areas, the Southern Corkscrew Regional Ecosystem
 22 Watershed Project, the Pal-Mar Project, and the C-111 Project.
 23 Any acquisition of real property, including by eminent domain,
 24 for those objectives constitutes a public purpose for which it
 25 is in the public interest to expend public funds.

26 Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, such
 27 properties shall not be removed from the district's plan of
 28 acquisition, and the use of state funds for these properties
 29 is authorized. In the absence of willing sellers, any land
 30 necessary for implementing the projects in this subsection
 31 shall be acquired in accordance with state condemnation law

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1 pursuant to chapters 73 and 74.

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3 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)

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7 And the title is amended as follows:

8 On page 1, line 9, after the semicolon

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10 insert:

11 amending s. 373.1501, F.S.; providing
12 definitions; providing for acquisition of
13 certain land by eminent domain by the South
14 Florida Water Management District;

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