#### HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS TRUST FUND RE-CREATION ANALYSIS

BILL #: HB 1311

**RELATING TO:** Terminating and re-creating the Wireless EmergencyTelephone System Trust Fund

**SPONSOR(S):** General Government Appropriations, Representative(s) Dockery and others

TIED BILL(S):

## ORIGINATING COMMITTEE(S)/COUNCIL(S)/COMMITTEE(S) OF REFERENCE:

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# I. <u>SUMMARY</u>:

This legislation terminates the Wireless Emergency Telephone System Trust Fund, Flair #72-2-344, effective November 4, 2004 and re-creates the same, without modification on November 4, 2004. The Wireless Emergency Telephone System Trust Fund is administered by the Department of Management Services. This fund was created by Chapter 99-203, Laws of Florida.

## II. SUBSTANTIVE ANALYSIS:

## A. PRESENT SITUATION:

## 1. MAJOR STATUTES THAT CONTROL THE TRUST FUND:

Section 365.173, F.S., creates the trust fund, provides purpose and revenue sources.

2. BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE FUND'S USES OR PURPOSES:

The Wireless Emergency Telephone System Trust Fund provides funds to counties and to service providers for payment of costs incurred to provide 911 or E911 service and administrative costs.

#### 3. MAJOR SOURCES OF REVENUE FOR THE FUND:

The major source of revenues for the Wireless Emergency Telephone System Trust Fund is derived from the E911 fee levied on subscribers under section 365.172, F.S., which must be paid into the State Treasury on or before the 15<sup>th</sup> day of each month.

#### B. EFFECT OF PROPOSED CHANGES:

This bill terminates and re-creates the trust fund without modification.

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## III. FISCAL ANALYSIS & ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT:

This legislation has no fiscal impact on state agencies or state funds, on local governments as a whole or on the private sector. It simply terminates and re-creates, without modification, an existing state trust fund and continues the current use of the fund.

IV. <u>COMMENTS</u>:

N/A

V. AMENDMENTS OR COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE CHANGES:

N/A

VI. <u>SIGNATURES</u>:

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