1   A bill to be entitled

2   An act relating to easements; amending s.

3   704.08, F.S.; granting an easement for ingress

4   and egress for purposes of visiting or

5   maintenance of a cemetery to members of

6   not-for-profit organizations whose purposes

7   include the preservation of Florida's history;

8   providing an effective date.

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

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12   Section 1. Section 704.08, Florida Statutes, is

13   amended to read:

14   704.08 Cemeteries; right of ingress and egress for

15   visiting or maintenance.--The relatives and descendants of any

16   person buried in a cemetery and the members of any

17   not-for-profit organization whose purposes include the

18   preservation of Florida's history shall have an easement for

19   ingress and egress for the purpose of visiting the cemetery at

20   reasonable times and in a reasonable manner. The owner of the

21   land may designate the easement. If the cemetery is abandoned

22   or otherwise not being maintained, such relatives and

23   descendants and members of such organizations may request the

24   owner to provide for reasonable maintenance of the cemetery,

25   and, if the owner refuses or fails to maintain the cemetery,

26   the relatives and descendants and members of such

27   organizations shall have the right to maintain the cemetery.

28   Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2001.

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2   HOUSE SUMMARY

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     Grants an easement for ingress and egress for purposes of
4   visiting or maintenance of a cemetery to members of
     not-for-profit organizations whose purposes include the
5   preservation of Florida's history.

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