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11	Representative(s) Barreiro offered the following:		
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13	Amendment (with title amendment)		
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16	insert:		
17	Section 4. Effective October 1, 2001, if section 35 of		
18	chapter 2000-260, Laws of Florida, is repealed by section 58		
19	of said chapter, paragraph (e) of subsection (6) of section		
20	212.20, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:		
21	212.20 Funds collected, disposition; additional powers		
22	of department; operational expense; refund of taxes		
23	adjudicated unconstitutionally collected		
24	(6) Distribution of all proceeds under this chapter		
25	shall be as follows:		
26	(e) The proceeds of all other taxes and fees imposed		
27	pursuant to this chapter shall be distributed as follows:		
28	1. In any fiscal year, the greater of \$500 million,		
29	minus an amount equal to 4.6 percent of the proceeds of the		
30	taxes collected pursuant to chapter 201, or 5 percent of all		
31	other taxes and fees imposed pursuant to this chapter shall be		

deposited in monthly installments into the General Revenue Fund.

- 2. Two-tenths of one percent shall be transferred to the Solid Waste Management Trust Fund.
- 3. After the distribution under subparagraphs 1. and 2., 9.653 percent of the amount remitted by a sales tax dealer located within a participating county pursuant to s. 218.61 shall be transferred into the Local Government Half-cent Sales Tax Clearing Trust Fund.
- 4. After the distribution under subparagraphs 1., 2., and 3., 0.065 percent shall be transferred to the Local Government Half-cent Sales Tax Clearing Trust Fund and distributed pursuant to s. 218.65.
- 5. For proceeds received after July 1, 2000, and after the distributions under subparagraphs 1., 2., 3., and 4., 2.25 percent of the available proceeds pursuant to this paragraph shall be transferred monthly to the Revenue Sharing Trust Fund for Counties pursuant to s. 218.215.
- 6. For proceeds received after July 1, 2000, and after the distributions under subparagraphs 1., 2., 3., and 4., 1.0715 percent of the available proceeds pursuant to this paragraph shall be transferred monthly to the Revenue Sharing Trust Fund for Municipalities pursuant to s. 218.215. If the total revenue to be distributed pursuant to this subparagraph is at least as great as the amount due from the Revenue Sharing Trust Fund for Municipalities and the Municipal Financial Assistance Trust Fund in state fiscal year 1999-2000, no municipality shall receive less than the amount due from the Revenue Sharing Trust Fund for Municipalities and the Municipal Financial Assistance Trust Fund in state fiscal year 1999-2000. If the total proceeds to be distributed are

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less than the amount received in combination from the Revenue Sharing Trust Fund for Municipalities and the Municipal Financial Assistance Trust Fund in state fiscal year 1999-2000, each municipality shall receive an amount proportionate to the amount it was due in state fiscal year 1999-2000.

- 7. Of the remaining proceeds:
- Beginning July 1, 2000, and in each fiscal year thereafter, the sum of \$29,915,500 shall be divided into as many equal parts as there are counties in the state, and one part shall be distributed to each county. The distribution among the several counties shall begin each fiscal year on or before January 5th and shall continue monthly for a total of 4 months. If a local or special law required that any moneys accruing to a county in fiscal year 1999-2000 under the then-existing provisions of s. 550.135 be paid directly to the district school board, special district, or a municipal government, such payment shall continue until such time that the local or special law is amended or repealed. covenants with holders of bonds or other instruments of indebtedness issued by local governments, special districts, or district school boards prior to July 1, 2000, that it is not the intent of this subparagraph to adversely affect the rights of those holders or relieve local governments, special districts, or district school boards of the duty to meet their obligations as a result of previous pledges or assignments or trusts entered into which obligated funds received from the distribution to county governments under then-existing s. This distribution specifically is in lieu of funds 550.135. distributed under s. 550.135 prior to July 1, 2000.
 - b. The department shall distribute \$166,667 monthly

pursuant to s. 288.1162 to each applicant that has been 1 2 certified as a "facility for a new professional sports 3 franchise" or a "facility for a retained professional sports 4 franchise" pursuant to s. 288.1162. Up to \$41,667 shall be 5 distributed monthly by the department to each applicant that has been certified as a "facility for a retained spring 6 7 training franchise" pursuant to s. 288.1162; however, not more 8 than \$208,335 may be distributed monthly in the aggregate to all certified facilities for a retained spring training 9 10 franchise. Distributions shall begin 60 days following such certification and shall continue for not more than 30 years. 11 12 Nothing contained in this paragraph shall be construed to 13 allow an applicant certified pursuant to s. 288.1162 to 14 receive more in distributions than actually expended by the 15 applicant for the public purposes provided for in s. 288.1162(6). However, a certified applicant is entitled to 16 17 receive distributions up to the maximum amount allowable and undistributed under this section for additional renovations 18 and improvements to the facility for the franchise without 19 additional certification. 20

- c. Beginning 30 days after notice by the Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development to the Department of Revenue that an applicant has been certified as the professional golf hall of fame pursuant to s. 288.1168 and is open to the public, \$166,667 shall be distributed monthly, for up to 300 months, to the applicant.
- d. Beginning 30 days after notice by the Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development to the Department of Revenue that the applicant has been certified as the International Game Fish Association World Center facility pursuant to s. 288.1169, and the facility is open to the

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public, \$83,333 shall be distributed monthly, for up to 168 months, to the applicant. This distribution is subject to reduction pursuant to s. 288.1169. A lump sum payment of \$999,996 shall be made, after certification and before July 1, 2000.

- e. Beginning 30 days after notice by the Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development to the Department of Revenue that the applicant has been certified as a motorsports entertainment complex pursuant to s. 288.1170 and is open to the public, an amount not to exceed \$83,333 shall be distributed monthly, for up to 360 months, to the applicant unless the Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development notifies the Department of Revenue that the applicant is no longer a certified motorsports entertainment complex, in which case the distributions will cease within 30 days of the receipt of such notice. This distribution is subject to reduction pursuant to s. 288.1170.
- 8. All other proceeds shall remain with the General Revenue Fund.
- Section 5. Effective October 1, 2001, if section 35 of chapter 2000-260, Laws of Florida, is not repealed by section 58 of said chapter, paragraph (e) of subsection (6) of section 212.20, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
- 212.20 Funds collected, disposition; additional powers of department; operational expense; refund of taxes adjudicated unconstitutionally collected.--
- (6) Distribution of all proceeds under this chapter and s. 202.18(1)(b) and (2)(b) shall be as follows:
- (e) The proceeds of all other taxes and fees imposed pursuant to this chapter or remitted pursuant to ${\tt s.}$
- 202.18(1)(b) and (2)(b) shall be distributed as follows:

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- In any fiscal year, the greater of \$500 million, minus an amount equal to 4.6 percent of the proceeds of the taxes collected pursuant to chapter 201, or 5 percent of all other taxes and fees imposed pursuant to this chapter or remitted pursuant to s. 202.18(1)(b) and (2)(b) shall be deposited in monthly installments into the General Revenue Fund.
- 2. . Two-tenths of one percent shall be transferred to the Solid Waste Management Trust Fund.
- 3. After the distribution under subparagraphs 1. and 2., 9.653 percent of the amount remitted by a sales tax dealer located within a participating county pursuant to s. 218.61 shall be transferred into the Local Government Half-cent Sales Tax Clearing Trust Fund.
- 4. After the distribution under subparagraphs 1., 2., and 3., 0.065 percent shall be transferred to the Local Government Half-cent Sales Tax Clearing Trust Fund and distributed pursuant to s. 218.65.
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- The department shall distribute \$166,667 monthly pursuant to s. 288.1162 to each applicant that has been certified as a "facility for a new professional sports franchise" or a "facility for a retained professional sports franchise" pursuant to s. 288.1162. Up to \$41,667 shall be distributed monthly by the department to each applicant that has been certified as a "facility for a retained spring training franchise" pursuant to s. 288.1162; however, not more than \$208,335 may be distributed monthly in the aggregate to all certified facilities for a retained spring training franchise. Distributions shall begin 60 days following such certification and shall continue for not more than 30 years. Nothing contained in this paragraph shall be construed to allow an applicant certified pursuant to s. 288.1162 to receive more in distributions than actually expended by the applicant for the public purposes provided for in s. 288.1162(6). However, a certified applicant is entitled to receive distributions up to the maximum amount allowable and undistributed under this section for additional renovations and improvements to the facility for the franchise without additional certification.
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- e. Beginning 30 days after notice by the Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development to the Department of Revenue that the applicant has been certified as a motorsports entertainment complex pursuant to s. 288.1170 and is open to the public, an amount not to exceed \$83,333 shall be distributed monthly, for up to 360 months, to the applicant unless the Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development notifies the Department of Revenue that the applicant is no longer a certified motorsports entertainment complex, in which case the distributions will cease within 30 days of the receipt of such notice. This distribution is subject to reduction pursuant to s. 288.1170.
- All other proceeds shall remain with the General Revenue Fund.
- Section 6. Effective October 1, 2001, section 288.1170, Florida Statutes, is created to read:
- 288.1170 Motorsports entertainment complex; definitions; certification; duties .--
- (1) As used in this section, the following terms shall have the following meanings:
 - "Applicant" means the owner of a motorsports

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- (b) "Motorsports entertainment complex" means a closed-course racing facility, with ancillary grounds and facilities, which:
- 1. Has not fewer than 70,000 permanent seats for race patrons.
- 2. Has not fewer than 7 scheduled days of motorsports events each calendar year.
 - 3. Has paid admissions of more than 200,000 annually.
- 4. Serves food at the facility during sanctioned motorsports races.
 - 5. Engages in tourism promotion.
- (c) "Motorsports event" means a motorsports race and its ancillary activities, which have been sanctioned by a sanctioning body.
- (d) "Office" means the Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development of the Executive Office of the Governor.
- (e) "Owner" means a person who owns or operates a motorsports entertainment complex, or a person who leases a motorsports entertainment complex or the land on which a motorsports entertainment complex is located from the Federal Government, the state, or a county, municipality, or special district, and operates the motorsports entertainment complex.
- (f) "Sanctioning body" means the American Motorcycle
 Association (AMA), Championship Auto Racing Teams (CART),
 Grand American Road Racing Association (Grand Am), Indy Racing
 League (IRL), National Association for Stock Car Auto Racing
 (NASCAR), National Hot Rod Association (NHRA), Professional
 Sportscar Racing (PSR), Sports Car Club of America (SCCA),
 United States Auto Club (USAC), or any successor organization,
- 31 or any other nationally recognized governing body of

motorsports that establishes an annual schedule of motorsports events and grants rights to conduct such events, has established and administers rules and regulations governing all participants involved in such events and all persons conducting such events, and requires certain liability assurances, including insurance.

- (g) "Unit of local government" has the meaning ascribed in s. 218.369.
- Development shall serve as the state agency for screening applicants for state funding pursuant to s. 212.20 and for certifying an applicant as a motorsports entertainment complex. The office shall develop and adopt rules for the receipt and processing of applications for funding pursuant to s. 212.20. The office shall make a determination regarding any application filed by an applicant not later than 120 days after the application is filed.
- (3) Prior to certifying an applicant as a motorsports entertainment complex, the office must determine that:
- (a) A unit of local government holds title to the land on which the motorsports entertainment complex is located, holds title to the motorsports entertainment complex, or is responsible for the construction, management, and operation of the motorsports entertainment complex.
- (b) Seven scheduled days of motorsports events were held at the motorsports entertainment complex in the most recently completed calendar year or seven scheduled days of motorsports events are scheduled to be held at the motorsports entertainment complex in the calendar year which begins after the submission of the application. The applicant shall submit certifications from the appropriate officials of the relevant

sanctioning bodies that such sanctioned motorsports events were or will be held at the motorsports entertainment complex.

- (c) The applicant has an independent analysis or study, verified by the office, which demonstrates that the motorsports entertainment complex will attract, or in the most recently completed calendar year has attracted, paid attendance of more than 200,000 annually.
- (d) The applicant has an independent analysis or study, verified by the office, which demonstrates that the amount of the revenues generated by the taxes imposed under chapter 212 with respect to the use and operation of the motorsports entertainment complex will equal or exceed \$1 million annually.
- (e) The applicant has demonstrated that it is capable of providing, or has financial or other commitments to provide, more than one-half of the costs that will be incurred after certification under this section for the improvement and development or continued improvement and development of the motorsports entertainment complex which will enable the motorsports entertainment complex to retain or add motorsports events sanctioned by a sanctioning body.
- (f) The municipality in which the motorsports
 entertainment complex is located, or the county if the
 motorsports entertainment complex is located in an
 unincorporated area, has certified by resolution after a
 public hearing that the application serves a public purpose.
- (g) The motorsports entertainment complex is located in a county defined in s. 125.011(1).
- (4) Upon determining that an applicant meets the requirements of subsection (3), the office shall notify the applicant and the executive director of the Department of

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Revenue of such certification by means of an official letter granting certification. If the applicant fails to meet the certification requirements of subsection (3), the office shall notify the applicant not later than 10 days following such determination.

- (5) The office must recertify each year that the motorsports entertainment complex continues to generate \$1 million of sales tax revenues annually as required pursuant to paragraph (3)(d). If the motorsports entertainment complex fails to generate \$1 million of sales tax revenues annually as required pursuant to paragraph (3)(d), the distribution of revenues pursuant to s. 212.20(6)(e)7.e. shall be reduced to an amount equal to \$83,333 multiplied by a fraction, the numerator of which is the actual revenues generated and the denominator of which is \$1 million. Such reduction shall remain in effect until revenues generated by the motorsports entertainment complex in a consecutive 12-month period equal or exceed \$1 million. The office must notify the Department of Revenue if it determines that the motorsports entertainment complex is no longer certified to receive distributions pursuant to s. 212.20, F.S., or if the amount of such distribution is to be adjusted.
- (6) No motorsports entertainment complex which has been previously certified under this section and has received funding under such certification shall be eligible for any additional certification.
- (7) An applicant certified as a motorsports
 entertainment complex may use funds provided pursuant to s.
 212.20 only for the following public purposes:
- (a) Paying for the construction, reconstruction,
 expansion, or renovation of a motorsports entertainment

complex.

- (b) Paying debt service reserve funds, arbitrage rebate obligations, or other amounts payable with respect to bonds issued for the construction, reconstruction, expansion, or renovation of the motorsports entertainment complex or for the reimbursement of such costs or the refinancing of bonds issued for such purposes.
- (c) Paying for construction, reconstruction,
 expansion, or renovation of transportation or other
 infrastructure improvements related to, necessary for, or
 appurtenant to the motorsports entertainment complex,
 including, without limitation, paying debt service reserve
 funds, arbitrage rebate obligations, or other amounts payable
 with respect to bonds issued for the construction,
 reconstruction, expansion, or renovation of such
 transportation or other infrastructure improvements, and for
 the reimbursement of such costs or the refinancing of bonds
 issued for such purposes.
- (d) Paying for programs of advertising and promotion of or related to the motorsports entertainment complex or the municipality in which the motorsports entertainment complex is located, or the county if the motorsports entertainment complex is located in an unincorporated area, provided such programs of advertising and promotion are designed to increase paid attendance at the motorsports entertainment complex or increase tourism in or promote the economic development of the community in which the motorsports entertainment complex is located.
- (8) The Department of Revenue may audit, as provided in s. 213.34, to verify that the distributions pursuant to this section have been expended as required in this section.

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   And the title is amended as follows:
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           amending s. 212.20, F.S.; providing for
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           distribution of a portion of revenues from the
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