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L1	Senator Burt moved the following amendment:
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L3	Senate Amendment (with title amendment)
L4	Delete everything after the enacting clause
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L6	and insert:
L7	Section 1. Section 215.5601, Florida Statutes, is
L8	amended to read:
L9	215.5601 Lawton Chiles Endowment Fund
20	(1) SHORT TITLEThis section may be cited as the
21	"Lawton Chiles Endowment Fund."
22	(2) DEFINITIONSAs used in this section:
23	(a) "Board" means the State Board of Administration
24	established by s. 16, Art. IX of the State Constitution of
25	1885 and incorporated into s. 9(c), Art. XII of the State
26	Constitution of 1968.
27	(b) "Endowment" means the Lawton Chiles Endowment
28	Fund.
29	(c) "Earnings" means all income generated by
30	investments and the net change in the market value of assets.
31	(d) "Outdoor advertising" means billboards, as well as
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- 1. Any advertisement placed on or outside the premises of retail establishments licensed to sell tobacco products or any retail point-of-sale; or
- 2. Any advertisement or billboard in connection with the sponsorship by a tobacco product manufacturer or importer of any entertainment, sporting, or similar event, such as the National Association for Stock Car Auto Racing (NASCAR) which appears in the State of Florida as part of a national or multi-state tour.
- (e) "Participating manufacturer" means any manufacturer of tobacco products which meets the requirements of subsection (4)(a).
- (f) (d) "State agency" or "state agencies" means the Department of Health, the Department of Children and Family Services, the Department of Elderly Affairs, or the Agency for Health Care Administration, or any combination thereof, as the context indicates.
- "Subscribing participating manufacturer" means any manufacturer of tobacco products which meets the requirements of subsection (4)(c).
- "Transit advertisements" means advertising on (h) private or public vehicles and all advertisements placed at, on, or within any bus stop, taxi stand, waiting area, train station, airport, or similar location.
- (3) LEGISLATIVE INTENT. -- It is the intent of the Legislature to:
- (a) Provide a perpetual source of funding for the future of state children's health programs, child welfare 31 programs, children's community-based health and human services

initiatives, elder programs, and biomedical research activities.

- (b) Ensure that enhancement revenues will be available to finance these important programs and initiatives.
- (c) Use <u>funds received from the</u> Tobacco Settlement <u>Clearing Trust Fund moneys</u> to ensure the financial security of vital health and human services programs for children and elders.
- (d) Encourage the development of community-based solutions to strengthen and improve the quality of life of Florida's most vulnerable citizens, its children and elders.
- (e) Provide funds for cancer research and public-health research for diseases linked to tobacco use.
- (f) Provide tobacco manufacturers the opportunity to voluntarily participate in mitigating the impact of the use of tobacco on the residents of this state.
  - (4) PARTICIPATING MANUFACTURERS; QUALIFICATIONS.--
- (a) A tobacco manufacturer may become a participating manufacturer for purposes of this section if: (i) the manufacturer is a signatory to the August 25, 1997 and December 7,1998 settlement agreements in The State of Florida, et al. v. American Tobacco Company, et al. Fifteenth Judicial Circuit Case No. 95-1466, who is in compliance with all economic and non-economic requirements in those agreements on the date of enactment of this act; and (ii) the manufacturer annually posts a performance bond payable to the Department of Business and Professional Regulation based upon the greater of the manufacturer's actual prior year's sales volume in Florida, or estimated annual Florida sales volume, in an amount sufficient to secure payment of all of the annual

31 | tobacco equity surcharge as prescribed at ss.210.0220,

210.0221, and 210.0222. The bond shall be in such a form as may be approved by the Department, executed by a surety company licensed to do business under the laws of this state as surety thereon, and conditioned upon the prompt filing of true reports, the timely payment to the State of Florida of the manufacturer's monetary agreement obligations, and generally upon faithful compliance with the provisions of the agreement and the laws of this state concerning sale and distribution of cigarettes. The manufacturer shall be the principal obligor, and the state shall be the obligee.

- (b) Any such manufacturer whose obligations under such settlement agreements are abated, excused, nullified, or stayed, in total or in part, due to judicial action after the enactment of this act is not a "participating manufacturer" for purposes of this section.
- (c) A tobacco manufacturer or importer may become a "subscribing participating manufacturer" for purposes of this section, by entering into an agreement with the State of Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation and the Office of the Attorney General, which agreement provides for all of the following:
- 1. Elimination of the subscribing participating manufacturer's outdoor advertising and transit advertisements at the earlier of the expiration of applicable contracts or 4 months after the date the final list of the subscribing participating manufacturer's outdoor advertising signs is supplied to the Attorney General. The manufacturer or importer shall provide a final list of all its outdoor advertising signs and transit advertisements to the Attorney General within 45 days after entering the agreement;
  - 2. Support of legislative initiatives to enact new

laws and administrative initiatives to promulgate new rules
intended to effectuate the following:

- a. Prohibition of the sale of cigarettes in vending machines, except in adult-only locations and facilities;
- b. Strengthening of civil penalties for sales of tobacco products to children under the age of 18, including the suspension or revocation of retail licenses; and
- c. Strengthening of civil penalties for possession of tobacco products by children under the age of 18;
- 3. Prohibition on making or causing to be made, in connection with any motion picture made in the United States, any payment, direct or indirect, to any person to use, display, make reference to or use as a prop any cigarette, cigarette package, advertisement for cigarettes, or any other item bearing the brand name, logo, symbol, motto, selling message, recognizable color or pattern of colors, or any other indicia of product identification identical or similar to, or identifiable with, those used for any brand of domestic tobacco products;
- 4. Prohibition and permanent cessation on marketing, licensing, distributing, selling or offering, directly or indirectly, including by catalogue or direct mail, in the State of Florida, any item (other than tobacco products or any item of which the sole function is to advertise tobacco products) which bears the brand name (alone or in conjunction with any other word), logo, symbol, motto, selling message, recognizable color or pattern of colors, or any other indicia of product identification identical or similar to, or identifiable with, those used for any brand of domestic tobacco products;
  - 5. Payment to the State of Florida, Department of

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December 31, or the last business day of each calendar year,
of a public health tobacco equity contribution for mitigation
of Florida's taxpayer-borne health and other costs and
expenses related to tobacco use;

- 6. The manufacturer annually posts a performance bond payable to the Department of Business and Professional Regulation based upon the greater of the manufacturer's actual prior year's sales volume in Florida, or estimated annual Florida sales volume, in an amount sufficient to secure payment of all of the annual tobacco equity contribution as required herein. The bond shall be in such a form as may be approved by the department, executed by a surety company licensed to do business under the laws of this state as surety thereon, and conditioned upon the prompt filing of true reports, the payment to the department of the tobacco equity contribution and tobacco equity surcharge, and generally upon faithful compliance with the provisions of the agreement and the laws of this state concerning sale and distribution of cigarettes. The manufacturer shall be the principal obligor, and the state shall be the obligee.
- (c) The public health tobacco equity contribution received by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation from subscribing participating manufacturers shall be deposited into the Department of Banking and Finance Tobacco Settlement Clearing Trust Fund.
- (5) Beginning July 1, 2001, \$10 million of the funds collected from subscribing participating manufacturers and the public health tobacco equity surcharge imposed by s. 210.0221 shall be transferred from the Tobacco Settlement Clearing Trust Fund to the Florida Comprehensive Health Association

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29 30 created in s. 627.6488, for coverage of new participants. Effective April 1, 2002, the association may provide coverage for up to 500 persons for the period ending December 31, 2002. On or after January 1, 2003, the association may enroll an additional 1,500 persons. At no time may the association provide coverage for more than 2000 persons.

(6) (4) LAWTON CHILES ENDOWMENT FUND; CREATION; PURPOSES AND USES. --

- (a) There is created the Lawton Chiles Endowment Fund, to be administered by the State Board of Administration. The endowment shall serve as a clearing trust fund not subject to termination pursuant to s. 19(f), Art. III of the State Constitution and shall be funded by settlement moneys received from the Tobacco Settlement Clearing Trust Fund industry and by moneys received from the sale of the state's right, title, and interest in and to the tobacco settlement agreement, including the right to receive payments under such agreement. The endowment fund shall be exempt from the service charges imposed by s. 215.20.
- (b) Funds from the endowment that are available for legislative appropriation pursuant to subsection(8)(6)shall be transferred by the board to the Tobacco Settlement Clearing Trust Fund, created in s. 17.41, in the amounts provided for in this paragraph.
- 1. For fiscal year 2000-2001, funds shall be distributed based on legislative appropriations.
- 2. For fiscal year 2001-2002 and beyond, funds shall be distributed annually as follows:
- Fifty percent shall be deposited into a separate account in the Department of Children and Family Services 31 | Tobacco Settlement Trust Fund to be appropriated pursuant to

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- Thirty-three and one-half percent shall be deposited into the Biomedical Research Trust Fund in the Department of Health to be appropriated pursuant to paragraph (10)(b)<del>(8)(b)</del>, if such a trust fund is created by law; otherwise, the funds shall be deposited into the Department of Health Tobacco Settlement Trust Fund; and
- The remaining funds shall be deposited into a separate account in the Department of Elderly Affairs Tobacco Settlement Trust Fund to be appropriated pursuant to paragraph (10)(a)<del>(8)(a)</del>.
- (c) Subject to legislative appropriations, state agencies shall use distributions from the endowment fund to enhance services for children and elders or to support biomedical research initiatives pursuant to s. 215.5602.
- (d) No later than October 1 of each year, the Secretary of Health, the Secretary of Children and Family Services, and the Secretary of Health Care Administration shall develop a list of the top five funding priorities for children's services eligible for funding from the endowment funds, and the Secretary of Health, the Secretary of Elderly Affairs, and the Secretary Director of Health Care Administration shall develop a list of the top five funding priorities for elder services eligible for funding from the endowment funds. No later than November 15 of each year, the list for children's services must be submitted to the advisory council for children's services created in paragraph(11)(a) 28  $\frac{(9)(a)}{(a)}$ , and the list for elder services must be submitted to the advisory council for elder services created in paragraph  $(11)(b)\frac{(9)(b)}{}$ . The purposes of using the advisory councils 31 are to evaluate the funding priorities of the agencies, to

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29 30 evaluate the request against the mission and goals of the agencies, to allow for public input and advocacy, and to gain consensus for priority requests and recommended endowment funding levels for those priority requests.

- (e) Funds distributed from the endowment fund may not be used to supplant existing revenues.
- When advised by the Revenue Estimating Conference that a deficit will occur with respect to the appropriations from the tobacco settlement trust funds of the state agencies in any fiscal year, the Governor shall develop a plan of action to eliminate the deficit. Before implementing the plan of action, the Governor must comply with the provisions of s. 216.177(2). In developing the plan of action, the Governor shall, to the extent possible, preserve legislative policy and intent, and, absent any specific directions to the contrary in the General Appropriations Act, any reductions in appropriations from the tobacco settlement trust funds of the state agencies for a fiscal year shall be prorated among the purposes for which funds were appropriated from that Tobacco Settlement Clearing Trust Fund for that year.

#### (7) ADMINISTRATION OF THE ENDOWMENT.--

- (a) The board is authorized to invest and reinvest funds of the endowment in those securities listed in s. 215.47, in accordance with the fiduciary standards set forth in s. 215.47(9) and consistent with an investment plan developed by the executive director and approved by the board. Costs and fees of the board for investment services shall be deducted from the earnings accruing to the endowment.
- (b) The endowment shall be managed as an annuity. The investment objective shall be long-term preservation of the 31 | real value of the principal and a specified regular annual

cash outflow for appropriation, as nonrecurring revenue. The schedule of annual cash outflow shall be included within the investment plan adopted pursuant to paragraph (a).

- (c) The board shall establish a separate account for the funds of the endowment. The board shall design and operate an investment portfolio that maximizes the financial return to the endowment, consistent with the risks inherent in each investment, and that is designed to preserve an appropriate diversification of the portfolio.
- (d) No later than August 15 and February 15 of each year, the board shall report on the financial status of the endowment to the Governor, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the President of the Senate, the chairs of the respective appropriations and appropriate substantive committees of each chamber, and the Revenue Estimating Conference.
- (e) Accountability for funds from the endowment which have been appropriated to a state agency shall reside with the state agency. The board is not responsible for the proper expenditure or accountability of funds from the endowment after transfer to the Tobacco Settlement Clearing Trust Fund.
- (f) The board may collect a fee for service from the endowment no greater than that charged to the Florida Retirement System.

#### (8)(6) AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS.--

- (a) Funds from the endowment shall not be available for appropriation to a state agency until July 1, 2000. Beginning July 1, 2000, the maximum annual amount of endowment funds that may be appropriated shall be in accordance with the following, based on earnings averaged over 3 years:
  - 1. Beginning July 1, 2000, no more than a level of

spending representing earnings at a rate of 3 percent.

- Beginning July 1, 2001, no more than a level of spending representing earnings at a rate of 4 percent.
- Beginning July 1, 2002, no more than a level of spending representing earnings at a rate of 5 percent.
- Beginning July 1, 2003, and thereafter, no more than a level of spending representing earnings at a rate of 6 percent.
- (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of s. 216.301 and pursuant to s. 216.351, all unencumbered balances of appropriations as of June 30 or undisbursed balances as of December 31 shall revert to the endowment's principal.
- (9)<del>(7)</del> ENDOWMENT PRINCIPAL. -- The endowment shall receive moneys from the sale of the state's right, title, and interest in and to the tobacco settlement agreement and from amounts transferred from the Department of Banking and Finance Tobacco Settlement Clearing Trust Fund. Amounts to be transferred from the clearing trust fund shall be in the following amounts for the following fiscal years:
  - (a) For fiscal year 1999-2000, \$1.1 billion;
  - (b) For fiscal year 2000-2001, \$200 million;
  - (c) For fiscal year 2001-2002, \$200 million; and
  - (d) For fiscal year 2002-2003, \$200 million; and  $\overline{\cdot}$
  - (e) For all subsequent fiscal years, \$30 million.

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Amounts to be transferred pursuant to paragraphs (b), (c), and (d), and (e)shall be reduced by an amount equal to the lesser of the amount scheduled to be transferred in that fiscal year pursuant to such paragraphs \$200 million or the amount the endowment receives in that fiscal year pursuant to the sale of 31 the state's right, title, and interest in and to the tobacco

settlement agreement.

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(10) (8) APPROPRIATIONS OF THE ENDOWMENT EARNINGS. -- Beginning with fiscal year 2001-2002:

- (a) Appropriations by the Legislature to the Department of Children and Family Services or the Department of Elderly Affairs from the endowment earnings distributed to those departments shall be from a category called Lawton Chiles Endowment Fund Programs. The departments shall distribute such appropriations pursuant to any directions or limitations provided for in the General Appropriations Act and consistent with this section.
- (b) Appropriations by the Legislature to the Department of Health from the endowment earnings distributed to the department shall be from a category called Florida Biomedical Research Program. The department shall spend such funds in accordance with s. 215.5602.
- (11)<del>(9)</del> LAWTON CHILES ENDOWMENT FUND ADVISORY COUNCILS. -- There are established the Lawton Chiles Endowment Fund Advisory Councils, the purpose of which is to evaluate and rank for legislative consideration recommendations submitted to the councils by the agencies for evaluation under paragraph(6)(d) $\frac{(4)(d)}{(d)}$ .
- (a) There is created within the Department of Children and Family Services the Lawton Chiles Endowment Fund Advisory Council for Children.
- The council shall consist of 13 members, including the director of the United Way of Florida, Inc., or a designee, the director of the Florida Federation of Community Foundations or a designee, the director of the Florida Foster Parents Association or a designee, and the director of the 31 | Florida Pediatric Association or a designee. The Governor

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shall appoint the remaining council members, including:

- a. An academic expert in child health policy.
- b. A representative of a children's services council.
- c. A representative of the Guardian Ad Litem Program.
- d. A representative of a child welfare lead agency for community-based care.
- e. A representative of a statewide child advocacy organization.
- f. A youth representing a statewide youth organization.
- g. A professional who has expertise in the area of child development.
  - h. Two consumer caregivers of children.
- 2. The council shall adopt internal organizational procedures, including procedures for the appointment of a chair, as necessary for its efficient organization.
- 3. The department shall provide such staff, information, and other assistance as is reasonably necessary to assist the council in carrying out its responsibilities.
- 4. Members of the council shall serve without compensation, but may receive reimbursement as provided in s. 112.061 for travel and other necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their official duties.
- 5. Before February 1 of each year, the council shall advise the Legislature as to its ranking of the children's programs submitted by the agencies for evaluation under paragraph(6)(d)(4)(d). The responsibilities of the council may include, but are not limited to:
- a. Developing criteria and guiding principles for the ranking of programs to be recommended to the Legislature.
  - b. Evaluating the value of programs or services

submitted by the agencies as they relate to overall enhancement for children.

- c. Providing recommendations on the funding levels to be allocated for the ranked programs.
- d. Participating in periodic program evaluation to determine the need for continued funding.
- e. Soliciting appropriate input from children's advocates and community stakeholders, such as voluntary organizations, community-based care lead agencies, health care delivery systems, business and industry, government agencies, and children's service providers.
- (b) There is created within the Department of Elderly Affairs the Lawton Chiles Endowment Fund Advisory Council for Elders.
- 1. The council shall consist of 13 members, including the director of the United Way of Florida, Inc., or a designee, the director of the Florida Federation of Community Foundations or a designee, the director of the Florida branch of the American Association of Retired Persons or a designee, the director of the Florida Council on Aging or a designee, and the State Long-Term Care Ombudsman or a designee. The Governor shall appoint the remaining council members, including:
  - a. An academic expert in elder health policy.
- b. A professional who has experience with the delivery of home care services.
- c. A physician who is certified in geriatric medical care.
- d. A professional who has experience with the delivery of services in adult congregate care facilities.
  - e. A professional who has experience with the delivery

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- Two persons who are over the age of 60 years to represent elders.
  - g. One consumer caregiver for an elderly person.
- The council shall adopt internal organizational procedures, including the appointment of a chair, as necessary for its efficient organization.
- The department shall provide such staff, information, and other assistance as is reasonably necessary to assist the council in carrying out its responsibilities.
- Members of the council shall serve without compensation, but may receive reimbursement as provided in s. 112.061 for travel and other necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their official duties.
- 5. Before February 1 of each year, the council shall advise the Legislature as to its ranking of the elder programs submitted by the agencies for evaluation under paragraph  $(6)(d)\frac{(4)(d)}{(d)}$ . The responsibilities of the council may include, but are not limited to:
- Developing criteria and guiding principles for the ranking of programs to be recommended to the Legislature.
- Evaluating the value of programs or services submitted by the agencies as they relate to overall enhancement for elders.
- Providing recommendations on the funding levels to be allocated for the ranked programs.
- d. Participating in periodic program evaluation to determine the need for continued funding.
- Soliciting appropriate input from elder advocates e. and community stakeholders, such as voluntary organizations, 31 community-based care lead agencies, health care delivery

systems, business and industry, government agencies, and elder-service providers.

Section 2. Subsection (1) of section 210.15, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

210.15 Permits.--

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(1)(a) Every person, firm, or corporation desiring to deal in cigarettes as a distributing agent, wholesale dealer, or exporter within this state shall file an application for a cigarette permit for each place of business with the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco. Every application for a cigarette permit shall be made on forms furnished by the division and shall set forth the name under which the applicant transacts or intends to transact business, the location of the applicant's place of business within the state, and such other information as the division may require. If the applicant has or intends to have more than one place of business dealing in cigarettes within this state, the application shall state the location of each place of business. If the applicant is an association, the application shall set forth the names and addresses of the persons constituting the association, and if a corporation, the names and addresses of the principal officers thereof and any other information prescribed by the division for the purpose of identification. The application shall be signed and verified by oath or affirmation by the owner, if a natural person, and in the case of an association or partnership, members or partners thereof, and in the case of a corporation, by an executive officer thereof or by any person specifically authorized by the corporation to sign the application, to which shall be attached the written evidence of this 31 | authority. The cigarette permit for a distributing agent shall

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- (b) The holder of any duly issued, annual permit for a distributing agent shall be entitled to a renewal of his or her annual permit from year to year as a matter of course, on or before July 1, upon making application to the division and upon payment of this annual permit fee.
- (c) The permit for a distributing agent, wholesale dealer, or exporter shall be issued only to persons of good moral character, who are not less than 18 years of age. Distributing agent, wholesale dealer, or exporter permits to corporations shall be issued only to corporations whose officers are of good moral character and not less than 18 years of age. There shall be no exemptions from the permit fees herein provided to any persons, association of persons or corporation, any law to the contrary notwithstanding. distributing agent, wholesale dealer, or exporter permit shall be issued to any person who has been convicted within the past 5 years of any offense against the cigarette laws of this state or who has been convicted in this state, any other state, or the United States during the past 5 years of any offense designated as a felony by such state or the United States, or to a corporation, any of whose officers have been so convicted. The term "conviction" shall include an adjudication of guilt on a plea of guilty or a plea of nolo contendere, or the forfeiture of a bond when charged with a crime.
- The division may refuse to issue a distributing agent, wholesale, or exporter permit to any person, firm, or corporation whose permit under the cigarette law has been 31 revoked or to any corporation, an officer of which has had his

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or her permit under the cigarette law revoked, or to any person who is or has been an officer of a corporation whose permit has been revoked under the cigarette law. Any permit issued to a firm or corporation prohibited from obtaining such permit under the cigarette law may be revoked by the division.

- (e) Prior to an application for a distributing agent, wholesale dealer, or exporter permit being approved, the applicant shall file a set of fingerprints on forms provided by the division. The applicant shall also file a set of fingerprints for any person or persons interested directly or indirectly with the applicant in the business for which the permit is being sought, when so required by the division. If the applicant or any person interested with the applicant, either directly or indirectly, in the business for which the permit is sought shall be such a person as is within the definition of persons to whom a distributing agent, wholesale dealer, or exporter permit shall be denied, then the application may be denied by the division. If the applicant is a partnership, all members of the partnership are required to file said fingerprints, or if a corporation, all principal officers of the corporation are required to file said fingerprints. The cigarette permit for a wholesale dealer or exporter shall be originally issued at a fee of \$100, which sum is to cover the cost of the investigation required before issuing such permit.
- (f) The cigarette permit for a wholesale dealer or exporter shall be renewed from year to year as a matter of course, at an annual cost of \$100, on or before July 1, upon making application to the division and upon payment of the annual renewal fee and public health tobacco equity surcharge required in this chapter.

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(g) No tobacco product manufacturer, importer, distributing agent, wholesale dealer, exporter or other person shall use the State of Florida as a conduit to avoid or evade taxes or other payments (including statutorily mandated escrow payments) due or owing to another state, under the law of that state. Each such manufacturer, importer, distributing agent, wholesale exporter or other person shall provide a sworn certification to the distributing agent, wholesale dealer, exporter, or other person of its compliance with the laws of the receiving state. A distributing agent, wholesale dealer, exporter or other person who is transporting or trans-shipping tobacco products through this state for sale and consumption in another state in violation of this subsection shall be subject to revocation of its permits, licenses and bonds in this state. Tobacco products in Florida that are in violation of this part are subject to seizure and destruction by the department.

(h) (g) Permittees, by acceptance of their permits, agree that their places of business or vehicles transporting cigarettes shall always be subject to be inspected and searched without a search warrant for the purpose of ascertaining that all provisions of this part are complied with by authorized employees of the division and also by sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, and police officers during business hours or during any other time such premises are occupied by the permittee or other persons. Retail cigarette dealers and manufacturers' representatives, by dealing in cigarettes, agree that their places of business or vehicles transporting cigarettes shall always be subject to inspection and search without a search warrant for the purpose of ascertaining that 31 | all provisions of this part are complied with by authorized

employees of the division and also by sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, and police officers during business hours or other times when the premises are occupied by the retail dealer or manufacturers' representatives or other persons.

(i)(h) No retail sales of cigarettes may be made at a location for which a wholesale dealer, distributing agent, or exporter permit has been issued. The excise tax on sales made to any traveling location, such as an itinerant store or industrial caterer, shall be paid into the General Revenue Fund unallocated. Cigarettes may be purchased for retail purposes only from a person holding a wholesale dealer permit. The invoice for the purchase of cigarettes must show the place of business for which the purchase is made and the cigarettes cannot be transferred to any other place of business for the purpose of resale.

Section 3. Subsections (19), (20), and (21) are added to section 210.01, Florida Statutes, to read:

210.01 Definitions.--When used in this part the following words shall have the meaning herein indicated:

- (19) "Surcharge" means the Public Health Tobacco
  Equity Surcharge as prescribed in ss. 210.0220, 210.0221, and
  210.0222.
- (20) "Participating Manufacturer" has the meaning ascribed in s. 215.5601(2). However, any such manufacturer whose obligations under such agreements are abated, excused, nullified, or stayed, in total or in part, due to judicial action after the enactment of this act is not a "participating manufacturer" for purposes of this part.
- (21) "Subscribing Participating Manufacturer" has the meaning ascribed in s. 215.5601(2).
  - Section 4. Section 210.0220, Florida Statutes, is

1	created to read:
2	210.0220 Public Health Tobacco Equity Surcharge;
3	Legislative intent and general provisions
4	(1)(a) It is the legislative intent that the Public
5	Health Tobacco Equity Surcharge imposed in this part shall be
6	in addition to all other taxes imposed under this chapter and
7	other provisions of law.
8	(b) It is the legislative intent that the Public
9	Health Tobacco Equity Surcharge imposed in this part shall be
LO	added to the tax imposed by s.210.02; that the Public Health
L1	Tobacco Equity Surcharge imposed in this part shall not be a
L2	substitute for or replace the tax imposed by s.210.02; and
L3	that the Public Health Tobacco Equity Surcharge imposed in
L4	this part shall supplement the tax imposed by s.210.02.
L5	(c) The application of any one tax under this part
L6	shall not preclude application of any or all of the other
L7	taxes or the Public Health Tobacco Equity Surcharge provided
L8	herein.
L9	(2) The provisions of ss. 210.02, 210.04, 210.05,
20	210.06, 210.021, 210.07, 210.08, 210.09, 210.10, 210.11,
21	210.12, 210.13, 210.14, 210.15, 210.16, 210.1605, 210.161,
22	210.18, 210.185, 210.19, and 210.20 shall, as far as lawful or
23	practicable, be applicable to the levy and collection of the
24	Public Health Tobacco Equity Surcharge imposed pursuant to
25	this section as if fully set out in this section and made
26	expressly applicable to the surcharge imposed herein.
27	Section 5. Section 210.0221, Florida Statutes, is
28	created to read:
29	210.0221 Public Health Tobacco Equity Surcharge
30	<pre>Imposed</pre>
31	(1) A surcharge, in addition to all other taxes of

every kind imposed by law, is imposed upon the sale, receipt, purchase, possession, consumption, handling, distribution, and use of cigarettes in this state per package of cigarettes after October 1, 2001 in the amount of \$0.36 per package of cigarettes.

- (2) Cigarettes packed in packages containing less than 20 cigarettes require the same surcharge of \$0.36 per such package.
- (3) The surcharge shall be added to the amount of the tax imposed by s. 210.02.
- (4) This surcharge, like the tax imposed by s. 210.02, shall be paid by the wholesale dealer to the division for deposit and distribution as hereinafter provided upon the first sale or transaction within the state, whether or not such sale or transfer is to the ultimate purchaser or consumer.
- (5) The wholesale dealer shall collect the surcharge from the retail dealer upon the sale of the cigarettes to the retail dealer. The retail dealer shall collect the surcharge from the purchaser or consumer, and the purchaser or consumer shall pay the surcharge to the seller.
- (6) The wholesale dealer shall be responsible for the collection of the surcharge and the payment of the same to the division. The remittance of the surcharge is due not later than the 10th day of the month following the calendar month in which they were incurred, and thereafter shall bear interest at the rate of 1 percent per month. If the amount of surcharge due for a given period is paid without allocating it to any particular month, the interest shall begin with the date of the assessment.
  - (7) Whenever cigarettes are shipped from outside the

enumerated in s. 215.5601(4)(a).

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29 30 state to anyone in Florida other than a distributing agent or wholesale dealer, the person receiving the cigarettes shall be responsible for the surcharge on said cigarettes and the payment of same to the division. Section 6. Section 210.0222, Florida Statutes, is created to read: 210.0222 Credit on the Payment of the Surcharge. --(1)(a) A \$0.36 per package of cigarettes credit of this public health tobacco equity surcharge shall be extended for cigarettes sold in Florida after October 1, 2001 that have been produced or manufactured by each Participating Manufacturer, as defined in s. 215.5601(4)(a). (b) The credit to each Participating Manufacturer shall be computed per package on an annual basis by the division. The total annual credit shall not exceed the amount annually owed by each Participating Manufacturer to the State of Florida under the qualifying settlement agreements

- (2)(a) Cigarettes produced by each Subscribing Participating Manufacturer that fully comply with the agreement entered into with the Attorney General under s. 215.5601(4)(c) shall receive a credit of this public health tobacco equity surcharge for each package of cigarettes sold in Florida after October 1, 2001 that has been produced or manufactured by each Subscribing Participating Manufacturer as defined in s. 215.5601(4)(c).
- (b) A \$0.36 per package of cigarettes credit of this public health tobacco equity surcharge shall be extended for each package of cigarettes sold in Florida after October 1, 2001 that has been produced or manufactured by each 31 | Subscribing Participating Manufacturer, as defined in s.

215.5601(4)(c).

(c) The credit to each Subscribing Participating

Manufacturer shall be computed per package on an annual basis
by the division. The total annual credit shall not exceed the

amount annually paid by each Subscribing Participating

Manufacturer to the State of Florida under the qualifying
settlement agreements enumerated in s. 215.5601(4)(c).

Section 7. Section 210.0223, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

210.0223 Deposit of Proceeds.--The proceeds of the public health tobacco equity surcharge received by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation shall be deposited into the Department of Banking and Finance Tobacco Settlement Clearing Trust Fund. For the purposes of this section, "proceeds" of the surcharge shall mean all funds collected and received by the division hereunder, including interest and penalties on delinquent surcharge payments.

Section 8. Section 210.0224, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

#### 210.0224 Administration.--

- (1) The division shall administer, collect, and enforce the surcharge imposed under this part pursuant to the same procedures used in the administration, collection, and enforcement of the general state excise tax imposed under part I of this chapter, except as provided in this section.
- (2) The division is authorized to adopt rules to implement the provisions of this part.
- (3) The participating manufacturers and subscribing participating manufacturers shall provide to the division on a quarterly basis a complete list of those products produced by such manufacturers and shipped into the State of Florida.

Failure to timely provide the information required by this section shall constitute a waiver of the credit for the reporting period.

(4) The division will quarterly provide the wholesale dealers with a list of those products produced by the Participating Manufacturers and Subscribing Participating Manufacturers that qualify for the credit allowed under s. 210.0222.

Section 9. Section 210.0225, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

210.0225 Declaration of Legislative Intent.--

- phrase or word of this law is for any reason held or declared to be unconstitutional, invalid, inoperative, ineffective, inapplicable, or void, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not be construed to affect the portions of this law not so held to be unconstitutional, void, invalid, or ineffective, or affect the application of this law to other circumstances not so held to be invalid, it being hereby declared to be the express legislative intent that any such unconstitutional, illegal, invalid, ineffective, inapplicable, or void portion or portions of this law did not induce its passage, and that without the inclusion of any such unconstitutional, illegal, invalid, ineffective, or void portions of this law, the Legislature would have enacted the valid and constitutional portions thereof.
- (2) It is hereby declared to be the specific legislative intent to impose the public health tobacco equity surcharge on each and every pack of cigarettes sold in the State of Florida after October 1, 2001. It is further declared to be the specific legislative intent that should any

credit or attempted credit from the public health tobacco
equity surcharge or from the operation or imposition of the
public health tobacco equity surcharge be declared to be
invalid, ineffective, inapplicable, unconstitutional, or void
for any reason, such declaration shall not affect the public
health tobacco equity surcharge imposed herein, but such sales
of cigarettes for which a credit is given or a credit is
attempted to be given from the public health tobacco equity
surcharge, shall be subject to the public health tobacco
equity surcharge and the operation and imposition thereof to
the same extent as if such credit or attempted credit had
never been included herein.

- (3) It is further declared to be the specific legislative intent to provide a credit from the public health tobacco equity surcharge or from the operation or the imposition thereof only to the extent that such credits are in accordance with the provisions of the constitutions of the state and of the United States.
- (4) It is further declared to be the specific legislative intent to impose the public health tobacco equity surcharge on each and every sale of cigarettes in the State of Florida specifically providing a credit therefrom by this law to the extent that such credits are in accordance with the provisions of the constitutions of the state and of the United States.
- (5) It being further declared to be the specific legislative intent that in the event any credit or attempted credit from the public health tobacco equity surcharge imposed by this law is for any reason declared to be unconstitutional, ineffective, inapplicable, or void, that then and in such event each and every such sale of cigarettes shall be subject

to the public health tobacco equity surcharge imposed by this 2 law as fully and to the same extent as if such credit or 3 attempted credit had never been included herein, it being 4 declared to be the specific legislative intent that no unconstitutional, invalid, ineffective, inapplicable, or void 5 credit or attempted credit induced the passage of this law, it 6 7 being further declared to be the specific legislative intent that without the inclusion herein of any such 8 unconstitutional, invalid, ineffective, inapplicable, or void 9 10 credit or attempted credit, the valid portions of this law 11 would have been enacted. 12 (6) It is the legislative intent that the repeal of

- (6) It is the legislative intent that the repeal of any provision heretofore providing a credit in whole or part of any item or transaction from the public health tobacco equity surcharge imposed by this law shall result in the full imposition of the public health tobacco equity surcharge to any such item or transaction.
- Section 10. Subsection (4) of section 17.41, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
- 17.41 Department of Banking and Finance Tobacco Settlement Clearing Trust Fund.--
- (4) Net proceeds of the sale of the tobacco settlement agreement received by the state shall be immediately deposited into the Lawton Chiles Endowment Fund, created in  $\underline{s.\ 215.5601}$   $\underline{s.\ 215.5601(4)}$ , without deposit to the Tobacco Settlement Clearing Trust Fund.
- Section 11. Paragraph (h) of subsection (1) of section 20.435, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
  - 20.435 Department of Health; trust funds.--
- 30 (1) The following trust funds are hereby created, to 31 be administered by the Department of Health:

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- (h) Biomedical Research Trust Fund.
- 1. Funds to be credited to the trust fund shall consist of funds deposited pursuant to s. 215.5601(6)s. 215.5601(4). Funds shall be used for the purposes of the Florida Biomedical Research Program as specified in s. 215.5602. The trust fund is exempt from the service charges imposed by s. 215.20.
- 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of s. 216.301 and pursuant to s. 216.351, any balance in the trust fund at the end of any fiscal year shall remain in the trust fund at the end of the year and shall be available for carrying out the purposes of the trust fund.
- The trust fund shall, unless terminated sooner, be terminated on July 1, 2004.

Section 12. Subsection (1) of section 215.5602, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

215.5602 Florida Biomedical Research Program. --

- (1) There is established within the Department of Health the Florida Biomedical Research Program funded by the proceeds of the Lawton Chiles Endowment Fund pursuant to s. 215.5601 s. 215.5601(4). The purpose of the Florida Biomedical Research Program is to support research initiatives that address the health care problems of Floridians in the areas of cancer, cardiovascular disease, stroke, and pulmonary disease. The long-term goals of the program are to:
- Improve the health of Floridians by researching better prevention, diagnoses, and treatments for cancer, cardiovascular disease, stroke, and pulmonary disease.
- (b) Expand the foundation of biomedical knowledge relating to the prevention, diagnosis, and treatment of 31 diseases related to tobacco use, including cancer,

cardiovascular disease, stroke, and pulmonary disease. 1 2 Improve the quality of the state's academic health 3 centers by bringing the advances of biomedical research into 4 the training of physicians and other health care providers. 5 Increase the state's per capita funding for 6 biomedical research by undertaking new initiatives in 7 biomedical research that will attract additional funding from outside the state. 8 (e) Stimulate economic activity in the state in areas 9 10 related to biomedical research, such as the research and production of pharmaceuticals, biotechnology, and medical 11 12 devices. 13 Section 13. This act shall take effect upon becoming a 14 law. 15 16 17 ======== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ========== And the title is amended as follows: 18 19 Delete everything before the enacting clause 20 21 and insert: 22 An act relating to tobacco; amending s. 215.5601, F.S.; defining the terms 23 24 "participating manufacturer," "subscribing participating manufacturer, " "outdoor 25 26 advertising, " and "transit advertisements"; 27 revising legislative intent; specifying procedures by which a tobacco manufacturer may 28 become a "participating manufacturer"; or a 29 30 "subscribing participating manufacturer"; 31 providing for funds received from participating

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manufacturers and subscribing participating manufacturers to be deposited into the Tobacco Settlement Clearing Trust Fund; providing a portion of such funds to the Florida Comprehensive Health Association; providing for a portion of unappropriated funds to be deposited into the Lawton Chiles Endowment Fund; amending s. 210.15, F.S.; directing wholesalers to pay surcharges required by chapter; prohibiting specific practices by tobacco product manufacturers, importers, distributing agents, wholesale dealers, exporters or others; amending s. 210.01, F.S.; defining the terms "surcharges," "participating manufacturer, and subscribing participating manufacturer"; creating s. 210.0220, F.S.; providing for imposition of the public health tobacco equity surcharge; providing legislative intent; providing applicability of specified provisions of law; creating s. 210.0221, F.S.; imposing the public health tobacco equity surcharge on the sale, receipt, purchase, possession, consumption, handling, distribution, and use of cigarettes in this state; specifying the amount of the surcharge; providing that the surcharge will be paid by the wholesale dealer; providing for collection of surcharge; requiring collection and payment to the division; providing for interest on unpaid amount; providing for responsible party when cigarettes shipped to other than wholesale

dealer; creating s. 210.0222, F.S.; providing credit against surcharge for participating manufacturers and subscribing participating manufacturers; providing amount of credit; creating s. 210.0223, F.S.; providing for deposit of proceeds to the Tobacco Settlement Clearing Trust Fund; defining "proceeds"; creating s.210.0224, F.S.; providing for duties of the division; providing for reports from participating manufacturers and subscribing participating manufacturers; creating s. 210.0225, F.S.; providing intent related to severability and impact of declaration of unconstitutionality; amending s. 17.41, F.S., correcting a cross reference; providing an effective date.