By Senator Burt

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1 A bill to be entitled 2 An act relating to the City of Daytona Beach, Volusia County; providing for the lease of 3 4 certain submerged lands to the city by the state; providing for the duration of the lease; specifying the amount of the lease; providing for the purpose of the lease; providing that

> the lease is contingent upon the city's acquisition of the pier situated upon the leased lands; providing additional terms of the

lease; providing for severability; providing an effective date.

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WHEREAS, the City of Daytona Beach has undertaken a major downtown redevelopment effort designed to foster economic enterprise, to enhance tourism, and to restore certain historic city attributes, and

WHEREAS, the historic pier situated centrally within the redevelopment area is a key feature of the redevelopment endeavor and the lease of the submerged lands underlying the pier to the City of Daytona Beach is an essential component for this multi-faceted project, and

WHEREAS, it is the intention of the City of Daytona Beach to acquire ownership of the pier and establish it as the center point of the redevelopment project, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature finds that it is in the public interest to provide for a lease of the lands underlying the historic pier to the City of Daytona Beach for the purposes stated in this act, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

1 Section 1. The lessor, State of Florida, hereby leases 2 the following described property to the lessee, City of 3 Daytona Beach, Florida: 4 5 A parcel of sovereign submerged land in Volusia 6 County, Florida, more particularly described 7 as: 8 A portion of submerged land in the Atlantic 9 10 Ocean and adjacent to Block 2, Plan of 11 Seabreeze Subdivision as recorded in Deed Book 12 "O" Page 301, Public Records of Volusia County, Florida, and being more particularly described 13 as follows. As a point of reference, commence 14 at the northeast corner of Block 5, said plan 15 of Seabreeze Subdivision, thence north 89 16 17 degrees 49 minutes 35 seconds east along the southerly original right-of-way line of Main 18 19 Street and along its extension thereof, 488.65 feet more or less, to the mean high-water line 20 21 of the Atlantic Ocean beach and to the point of beginning. Thence continue north 89 degrees 49 22 23 minutes 35 seconds east 1000.00 feet, thence 24 south 00 degrees 10 minutes 25 seconds east 240.30 feet, thence south 89 degrees 49 minutes 25 35 seconds west, 999.57 feet, more or less to 26 27 the aforementioned high-water line, thence 28 north 05 degrees 07 minutes 29 seconds west 29 along the said mean high-water line 30 approximately 142.80 feet to the point of 31 beginning.

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Section 2. The term of this lease commences on July 1, 2001, and terminates on June 30, 2051, unless extended by further act of the Legislature. During the term of this lease, the lessee shall pay the sum of \$5,000 annually to the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund, which shall be used to monitor and administer the provisions of this lease.

Section 3. The submerged lands described in this act are leased for the purpose of furthering the city's downtown redevelopment initiative, including the city's acquisition of the historic pier situated upon the leased lands. If the city is unable to acquire the historic pier or, once having purchased the pier, relinquishes ownership, this lease is void.

Section 4. This lease is specifically contingent upon the City of Daytona Beach acquiring ownership of the pier, and this lease does not become effective unless and until such acquisition is secured.

Section 5. This lease may not be assigned or otherwise transferred without further legislative action.

Section 6. The lessee must at all times comply with all laws of this state and all administrative rules adopted under state law which are not inconsistent with this act.

Section 7. If any provision of this act or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this act are severable.

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Section 8. This act shall take effect upon becoming a
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