

1                                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to terrorism response;  
3           establishing a council to coordinate resources  
4           and deal with acts of terrorism; providing for  
5           membership; providing purposes; providing an  
6           effective date.

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

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10           Section 1. A council is established to coordinate  
11 available resources in this state and to create an action plan  
12 to deal with acts of terrorism in this state. The council  
13 shall consist of the Lieutenant Governor, who shall be the  
14 council chair, and one representative each from the Department  
15 of Health, the pharmaceutical industry, nonprofit hospitals  
16 and for-profit hospitals, and the law enforcement community.  
17 The purpose of the council is to ensure that the state can  
18 provide, on short notice, medical attention, housing,  
19 security, and law enforcement to the people of this state in  
20 the wake of any terrorist attack, action, or emergency. The  
21 council shall meet at the call of the chair and shall report  
22 monthly to the Governor, the President of the Senate, and the  
23 Speaker of the House of Representatives.

24           Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a  
25 law.

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28                                   HOUSE SUMMARY

29           Establishes a council to coordinate resources in this  
30 state and deal with acts of terrorism.

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