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A bill to be entitled
An act relating to enterprise zones; amending
s. 290.0065, F.S.; authorizing certain
additional counties to apply to the Office of
Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development to
amend the boundaries of certain enterprise
zones or communities for certain purposes;
providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Subsection (9) of section 290.0065, Florida
Statutes, is amended to read:

290.0065 State designation of enterprise zones.--

(9)(a) Before December 31, 2002 ~~1998~~, the governing
body of a county in which an enterprise zone designated
pursuant to paragraph (5)(b) is located may apply to the
Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development to amend
the boundaries of the enterprise zone for the purpose of
replacing areas not suitable for development.

(b) Before December 31, 2002, the governing body of a
county in which an enterprise zone designated pursuant to
subparagraph (3)(a)2. is located may apply to the Office of
Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development to amend the
boundaries of the enterprise zone for the purpose of replacing
areas not suitable for development.

The Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development shall
approve the application if it does not increase the overall
size of the enterprise zone. Except that upon the request of
the governing body of a home rule charter county, or any

1 county the government of which has been consolidated with the
2 government of one or more municipalities in accordance with s.
3 9, Art. VIII of the State Constitution of 1885, as preserved
4 by s. 6(e), Art. VIII of the State Constitution as revised in
5 1968 and subsequently amended, the Office of Tourism, Trade,
6 and Economic Development may amend the boundaries of an area
7 designated as an enterprise zone upon the receipt of a
8 resolution adopted by such governing body describing the
9 amended boundaries, so long as the added area does not
10 increase the overall size of the expanded zone more than its
11 original size or 20 square miles, whichever is larger, and is
12 consistent with the categories, criteria, and limitations
13 imposed by s. 290.0055.

14 Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a
15 law.

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18 LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

19 Expands counties eligible to apply to the Office of
20 Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development to amend
21 enterprise zone boundaries to replace areas not suitable
22 for development without expanding the boundaries. (See
23 bill for details.)
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