

By the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; and
Senator Silver

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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to trust funds; amending s.
3 215.22, F.S.; providing an exemption to service
4 charges for the Florida Center for Nursing
5 Trust Fund; creating s. 464.0198, F.S.;
6 creating the Florida Center for Nursing Trust
7 Fund; providing for sources of funds and
8 purposes; providing for annual carryforward of
9 funds; providing for future review and
10 termination or re-creation of the trust fund;
11 providing a contingent effective date.

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

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15 Section 1. Paragraph (x) is added to subsection (1) of
16 section 215.22, Florida Statutes, to read:

17 215.22 Certain income and certain trust funds
18 exempt.--

19 (1) The following income of a revenue nature or the
20 following trust funds shall be exempt from the deduction
21 required by s. 215.20(1):

22 (x) The Florida Center for Nursing Trust Fund.

23 Section 2. Section 464.0198, Florida Statutes, is
24 created to read:

25 464.0198 Florida Center for Nursing Trust Fund.--

26 (1) There is created the Florida Center for Nursing
27 Trust Fund to be administered by the Department of Health.
28 Funds provided pursuant to s. 464.0195(3) for the Florida
29 Center for Nursing shall be deposited into this trust fund.
30 Other funds from grants and donations, federal funds, or other
31 funds from other sources specified by law may be deposited

1 into this trust fund and used for purposes of the Florida
2 Center for Nursing. Moneys deposited into this trust fund
3 shall be used as provided in s. 464.0195. The trust fund is
4 exempt from the service charges imposed by s. 215.20.

5 (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of s. 216.301 and
6 pursuant to s. 216.351, any balance in the trust fund at the
7 end of any fiscal year shall remain in the trust fund at the
8 end of the year and shall be available for carrying out the
9 purposes of the trust fund.

10 (3) In accordance with s. 19(f)(2), Art. III of the
11 State Constitution, the Florida Center for Nursing Trust Fund
12 shall, unless terminated sooner, be terminated on July 1,
13 2006. Before its scheduled termination, the trust fund shall
14 be reviewed as provided in s. 215.3206(1) and (2).

15 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2002, if
16 SB 1808 or similar legislation is adopted in the same
17 legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes law.

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19 STATEMENT OF SUBSTANTIAL CHANGES CONTAINED IN
20 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
21 Senate Bill 1806

22 The CS for SB 1806 exempts the Florida Center for Nursing
23 Trust Fund from the service charges imposed on trust funds.
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