

By Senator Lawson

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1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to enterprise zones; creating
 3 s. 290.00686, F.S.; authorizing the Office of
 4 Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development to
 5 designate an enterprise zone in Leon County;
 6 providing an effective date.

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

10 Section 1. Section 290.00686, Florida Statutes, is
 11 created to read:

12 290.00686 Enterprise zone designation for Leon
 13 County.--Leon County may apply to the Office of Tourism,
 14 Trade, and Economic Development for designation of one
 15 enterprise zone encompassing an area within the county. The
 16 application must be submitted by December 31, 2002, and must
 17 comply with the requirements of s. 290.0055. Notwithstanding
 18 the provisions of s. 290.0065 limiting the total number of
 19 enterprise zones designated and the number of enterprise zones
 20 within a population category, the Office of Tourism, Trade,
 21 and Economic Development may designate one enterprise zone
 22 under this section. The Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic
 23 Development shall establish the initial effective date of the
 24 enterprise zone designated pursuant to this section.

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

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29 SEBATE SUMMARY

30 Authorizes the Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic
 31 Development to designate an enterprise zone in Leon
 County.