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See HB

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to trust funds; terminating and
3 re-creating the Employee Benefit Trust Fund
4 within the Department of Corrections without
5 modification; carrying forward current balances
6 and continuing current sources and uses
7 thereof; providing an effective date.

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9 WHEREAS, the Legislature wishes to extend the life of
10 the Employee Benefit Trust Fund within the Department of
11 Corrections, which is otherwise scheduled to be terminated
12 pursuant to constitutional mandate, and

13 WHEREAS, the Legislature has reviewed the trust fund
14 before its scheduled termination date and has found that it
15 continues to meet an important public purpose, and

16 WHEREAS, the Legislature has found that existing public
17 policy concerning the trust fund sets adequate parameters for
18 its use, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

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22 Section 1. (1) The Employee Benefit Trust Fund within
23 the Department of Corrections which has no FLAIR number and
24 which is to be terminated pursuant to Section 19(f), Article
25 III of the State Constitution on July 1, 2006, unless
26 terminated sooner by law, is terminated on November 4, 2004,
27 and re-created.

28 (2) All current balances of the trust fund are carried
29 forward, and all current sources and uses of the trust fund
30 are continued.

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1 Section 2. This act shall take effect November 4,
2 2004.

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5 LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

6 Terminates and re-creates the Employee Benefit Trust Fund
7 within the Department of Corrections in order to
8 synchronize its review cycle with other trust funds of
9 the department.

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