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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to the Florida Keys Mosquito Control District, Monroe County; amending chapter 2002-346, Laws of Florida; increasing the amount of money which may be borrowed from \$150,000 for a period of time not to exceed 2 years to \$1 million for a period of time not to exceed 5 years; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 5 of chapter 2002-346, Laws of Florida, is amended to read:

Section 5. Powers of the board of commissioners. -- The board of commissioners shall have all the powers of a body corporate, including the power to sue and be sued as a corporation in said name in any court; to contract; to adopt and use a common seal and alter the same at pleasure; to purchase, hold, lease, and convey such real estate and personal property as a majority of the board may deem proper to carry out the purposes of this act; to prescribe rules and regulations for the marking of such property; to employ a director and such experts, agents, and employees as the board may require; to participate with employees in a group hospitalization insurance plan providing the entire cost of such a plan; to contract and cooperate with county, state, and other governmental agencies in regard to mosquito control or suppression; to borrow money in an amount not to exceed \$1 million \$150,000 for a period of time not to exceed 5 2 years; and to issue negotiable promissory notes and bonds or such necessary instruments to secure said loan to enable it to carry out the provisions of this act.

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

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