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1                                   A bill to be entitled  
 2           An act relating to funding for school districts;  
 3           authorizing district school boards to expend in their  
 4           operating budgets nonvoted capital improvement millage;  
 5           specifying certain conditions and restrictions; providing  
 6           for transfer of proceeds by budget amendment approved by  
 7           the district school board; providing an effective date.

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

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 11           Section 1. (1) Notwithstanding any other provision of  
 12 law, if a district school board or the governing authority in a  
 13 county is levying, or in the past 10 years has levied, at least  
 14 a 0.5-percent sales surtax for public school capital outlay  
 15 authorized by s. 212.055, Florida Statutes, the district school  
 16 board is authorized to expend in its operating budget as  
 17 nonrecurring funds up to 2 mills of its nonvoted capital  
 18 improvement millage levied pursuant to s. 1011.71(2), Florida  
 19 Statutes. This authorized use of proceeds from the millage levy  
 20 is in addition to the authorized uses set forth in s. 1011.71,  
 21 Florida Statutes. Any proceeds from this millage levy shall be  
 22 transferred by budget amendment approved by the district school  
 23 board at a regular meeting of the district school board.

24           (2) A district school board shall be authorized to expend  
 25 in its operating budget the nonvoted capital improvement millage  
 26 specified in subsection (1) for 10 years after the date the  
 27 sales surtax specified in subsection (1) expired. The district  
 28 school board shall submit to the Department of Education  
 29 certified notice that it will not request additional capital  
 30 outlay funds for 5 years following each year it expends in its



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31 operating budget the nonvoted capital improvement millage  
32 specified in subsection (1).

33       Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2003.