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A bill to be entitled
 An act relating to trust funds; creating s. 550.2632,
 F.S.; creating the Video Lottery Thoroughbred Trust Fund
 within the Department of Business and Professional
 Regulation; providing for source of moneys and purposes;
 providing for annual carryforward of funds; providing for
 future review and termination or re-creation of the trust
 fund; providing for construction of the act in pari
 materia with laws enacted during the 2003 Regular Session
 or the 2003 Special Session A of the Legislature;
 providing a contingent effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 550.2632, Florida Statutes, is created
 to read:

550.2632 Video Lottery Thoroughbred Trust Fund.--

(1) The Video Lottery Thoroughbred Trust Fund is created,
to be administered by the Department of Business and
Professional Regulation. Funds shall be credited to the trust
fund as provided in s. 24.132, and shall be distributed as
provided in s. 24.133, to be used for the purposes specified in
that section.

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

(3) Pursuant to s. 19(f)(2), Art. III of the State
Constitution, the trust fund shall, unless terminated sooner, be
terminated on July 1, 2007. However, prior to its scheduled



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31 termination, the trust fund shall be reviewed as provided in s.
32 215.3206(1) and (2).

33 Section 2. If any law amended by this act was also amended
34 by a law enacted at the 2003 Regular Session of the Legislature
35 or at the 2003 Special Session A of the Legislature, such laws
36 shall be construed as if they had been enacted at the same
37 session of the Legislature, and full effect shall be given to
38 each if possible.

39 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2003, if
40 House Bill 13B or similar legislation is adopted in the same
41 legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes law.