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1                                   A bill to be entitled  
 2           An act relating to trust funds; creating s.  
 3           376.90, F.S.; creating the Shooting Range  
 4           Cleanup Trust Fund within the Department of  
 5           Environmental Protection; providing for sources  
 6           of funds and purposes; exempting the trust fund  
 7           from certain service charges; providing for  
 8           interest earnings to be invested and credited  
 9           to the trust fund; providing for the transfer  
 10          and use of moneys in the trust fund upon the  
 11          fund's termination; providing for the annual  
 12          carryforward of funds; providing for future  
 13          review and termination or re-creation of the  
 14          trust fund; providing a contingent effective  
 15          date.

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

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 19           Section 1. Section 376.90, Florida Statutes, is  
 20           created to read:

21           376.90 Shooting Range Cleanup Trust Fund.--  
 22           (1) The Shooting Range Cleanup Trust Fund is created  
 23           within, and shall be administered by, the Department of  
 24           Environmental Protection. The fund shall receive fees as  
 25           provided by law and such other moneys as may be appropriated  
 26           by the Legislature. The purpose of the trust fund is to  
 27           facilitate the cleanup of outdoor shooting ranges pursuant to  
 28           the provisions of s. 790.333.

29           (2) The trust fund is exempt from the service charges  
 30           imposed by s. 215.20. Interest earned on moneys in the trust  
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1 fund shall be invested and reinvested to the credit of the  
2 trust fund in accordance with s. 17.61.

3 (3) Any funds remaining in the trust fund upon its  
4 termination date shall be transferred to the Lifetime Fish and  
5 Wildlife Trust Fund of the Fish and Wildlife Conservation  
6 Commission. Notwithstanding s. 372.105, such funds shall be  
7 used solely to support shooting and hunting activities for  
8 youth through an agreement with the Wildlife Foundation of  
9 Florida, Inc.

10 (4) Notwithstanding s. 216.301 and pursuant to s.  
11 216.351, any balance in the trust fund at the end of any  
12 fiscal year shall remain in the trust fund at the end of the  
13 fiscal year and shall be available for carrying out the  
14 purposes of the trust fund.

15 (5) In accordance with s. 19(f)(2), Art. III of the  
16 State Constitution, the trust fund must, unless terminated  
17 sooner, be terminated on July 1, 2008. Before its scheduled  
18 termination, the trust fund must be reviewed as provided in s.  
19 215.3206(1) and (2).

20 Section 2. This act shall take effect on the effective  
21 date of CS for CS for SB 1156, or similar legislation  
22 providing for the cleanup of outdoor shooting ranges, but it  
23 shall not take effect unless it is enacted by a three-fifths  
24 vote of the membership of each house of the Legislature.

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27 SENATE SUMMARY

28 Creates the Shooting Range Cleanup Trust Fund within the  
29 Department of Environmental Protection. Provides for the  
30 investment of moneys in the trust fund and the annual  
31 carryforward of funds. Provides for future legislative  
review and termination or re-creation of the trust fund.  
(See bill for details.)