

Bill No. SB 1070

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The Committee on Community Affairs (Clary) recommended the following amendment:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

On page 8, lines 8-26, delete those lines

and insert:

(7) A unit of local government certified as owning an eligible convention center may use proceeds provided pursuant to s. 212.20(6)(d)7.e. solely to encourage and provide economic development for the attraction, recruitment, and retention of corporate headquarters and of high-technology, manufacturing, research and development, entertainment, and tourism industries as designated by the unit of local government by resolution of its governing body, and to assist the eligible convention centers to attract more business and expand their offerings, including developing their own events and shows.

(8) The Auditor General may conduct an audit, as provided in s. 11.45, to verify that the distributions under this section have been expended as required by this section.

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1 If the Auditor General determines that the distributions have  
 2 not been expended as required by this section, the Auditor  
 3 General may pursue recovery of such proceeds, and the unit of  
 4 local government shall be further barred from receiving future  
 5 distributions of proceeds authorized in this section.

6 (9) Failure to use the proceeds as provided in this  
 7 section shall be grounds for revoking certification.

8 (10) This section is repealed June 30, 2008.

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12 And the title is amended as follows:

13 On page 1, lines 18 and 19, delete the phrase  
 14 "Department of Revenue"

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16 and insert:

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