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Senator Bennett moved the following amendment:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

On page 11, line 3 through page 14, line 26, delete those lines

and insert:

Section 8. Subsection (15) of section 328.72, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

328.72 Classification; registration; fees and charges; surcharge; disposition of fees; fines; marine turtle stickers.--

(15) DISTRIBUTION OF FEES.--Except for the first \$2,
\$1 of, which shall be remitted to the state for deposit into the Save the Manatee Trust Fund created within the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission and \$1 of which shall be remitted to the state for deposit into the Marine Resources Conservation Trust Fund to fund a grant program for public launching facilities, pursuant to s. 327.47, giving priority consideration to counties with more than 35,000 registered vessels. Moneys designated for the use of the counties, as

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1 specified in subsection (1), shall be distributed by the tax
2 collector to the board of county commissioners for use as
3 provided in this section. Such moneys to be returned to the
4 counties are for the sole purposes of providing recreational
5 channel marking and public launching facilities and other
6 boating-related activities, for removal of vessels and
7 floating structures deemed a hazard to public safety and
8 health for failure to comply with s. 327.53, and for manatee
9 and marine mammal protection and recovery. Counties that
10 demonstrate through an annual detailed accounting report of
11 vessel registration revenues that at least \$1 of the
12 registration fees were spent on boating infrastructure shall
13 only be required to transfer the first \$1 of the fees to the
14 Save the Manatee Trust Fund. This report shall be provided to
15 the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission no later than
16 November 1 of each year. The commission shall provide an
17 exemption letter to the department by December 15 of each year
18 for qualifying counties.

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20 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)

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24 And the title is amended as follows:

25 On page 2, lines 6 through 15, delete those lines

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27 and insert:

28 Legislature; amending s. 328.72, F.S.; revising
29 the distribution of vessel registration fees;
30 providing for a portion of the fees to be
31 designated for certain trust funds; providing

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1 for a grant program for public launching
2 facilities; providing priority consideration
3 for certain counties; requiring certain
4 counties to provide an annual report of the
5 Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission;
6 requiring the commission to provide exemptions
7 for certain counties; creating s. 342.07, F.S.;
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