

By the Committee on Health and Human Services Appropriations;
and Senator Saunders

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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to trust funds; creating s.
20.1971, F.S.; creating the Operations and
Maintenance Trust Fund within the Agency for
Persons with Disabilities; providing sources of
funds and purposes; providing for annual
carryforward of funds; providing for future
review and termination or re-creation of the
trust fund; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 20.1971, Florida Statutes, is
created to read:

20.1971 Agency for Persons with Disabilities; trust
funds.--The following trust funds are created and shall be
administered by the Agency for Persons with Disabilities:

(2) The Operations and Maintenance Trust Fund.

(a) Funds to be credited to the trust fund shall
consist of receipts from third-party payers of health care
services such as Medicaid. Funds shall be used for the purpose
of providing health care services to agency clients and for
other such purposes as may be appropriate and shall be
expended only pursuant to legislative appropriation or an
approved amendment to the agency's operating budget pursuant
to the provisions of chapter 216.

(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of 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.

1 (c) In accordance with s. 19(f)(2), Art. III of the
2 State Constitution, the Operations and Maintenance Trust Fund
3 shall, unless terminated earlier, be terminated on July 1,
4 2009. Before its scheduled termination, the trust fund shall
5 be reviewed as provided in s. 215.3206(1) and (2).

6 Section 2. This act shall take effect on July 1, 2005.

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8 STATEMENT OF SUBSTANTIAL CHANGES CONTAINED IN
9 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
10 Senate Bill 1408

11 The committee substitute incorporates a technical amendment to
12 correct the title of the trust fund.