

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to the exercise of eminent domain by
 3 municipalities; authorizing municipalities to exercise the
 4 power of eminent domain for public school purposes;
 5 providing for future expiration; providing an effective
 6 date.

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

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 10 Section 1. A municipality may exercise the power of
 11 eminent domain for the purpose of obtaining lands to be conveyed
 12 by the municipality to the school board of the school district
 13 within which the municipality is located if the school board of
 14 that county requests in writing that the municipality obtain
 15 such land for conveyance to the school board and promises to use
 16 the land to establish a public school thereon. Fulfilling the
 17 purpose of this section is recognized as constituting a valid
 18 municipal public purpose. This section expires January 1, 2006.
 19 Such expiration does not affect an action in eminent domain
 20 which was filed before January 1, 2006.

21 Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.