

1                                   A bill to be entitled  
 2           An act relating to Hernando County special election  
 3           validation; validating all acts and proceedings had and  
 4           taken in connection with the special election held in the  
 5           county on March 9, 2004, to authorize the levy of the one-  
 6           half-cent local option sales tax in the county for the  
 7           purpose of providing funds to finance the cost of new  
 8           facilities consisting of new schools, equipment, and such  
 9           improvements associated with such schools within the  
 10          county; declaring such special election legal and valid;  
 11          providing severability; providing an effective date.

12  
 13   Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

14  
 15           Section 1. All acts and proceedings heretofore had and  
 16           taken in connection with the special election held in Hernando  
 17           County on March 9, 2004, including, but not limited to, any acts  
 18           in connection with the notice of such election to authorize the  
 19           levy of the one-half-cent local option sales tax on tangible  
 20           personal property sold in Hernando County for the purpose of  
 21           providing funds to finance the cost of new facilities consisting  
 22           of new schools, equipment, and such improvements associated with  
 23           such schools within the county, are hereby ratified, validated,  
 24           and confirmed and said special election is hereby declared to be  
 25           valid and legal in all respects.

26           Section 2. If any provision of this section or the  
 27           application thereof to any person or circumstance is held  
 28           invalid, the invalidity shall not affect other provisions or

HB 1183

2006

29 | applications of this act which can be given effect without the  
30 | invalid provisions or application, and to this end the  
31 | provisions of this section are declared severable.

32 |       Section 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.