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Senator Bennett moved the following amendment:

Senate Amendment

On page 86, line 24, through
page 88, line 23, delete those lines

and insert:

Section 39. The Florida Housing Finance Corporation is authorized to provide funds to eligible entities for affordable housing recovery in those areas of the state which sustained housing damage due to hurricanes during 2004 and 2005. The Florida Housing Finance Corporation shall utilize data provided by the Federal Emergency Management Agency to assist in its allocation of funds to local jurisdictions. To administer these programs, the Florida Housing Finance Corporation shall be guided by the "Hurricane Housing Work Group Recommendations to Assist in Florida's Long Term Housing Recovery Efforts" report dated February 16, 2005, and may adopt emergency rules pursuant to s. 120.54, Florida Statutes. The Legislature finds that emergency rules adopted pursuant to this section meet the health, safety, and welfare requirement

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1 of s. 120.54(4), Florida Statutes. The Legislature finds that
 2 such emergency rulemaking power is necessary for the
 3 preservation of the rights and welfare of the people in order
 4 to provide additional funds to assist those areas of the state
 5 that sustained housing damage due to hurricanes during 2004
 6 and 2005. Therefore, in adopting such emergency rules, the
 7 corporation need not make the findings required by s.
 8 120.54(4)(a), Florida Statutes. Emergency rules adopted under
 9 this section are exempt from s. 120.54(4)(c), Florida
 10 Statutes. The sum of \$15 million is appropriated from the
 11 Local Government Housing Trust Fund to the Florida Housing
 12 Finance Corporation for the Farmworker Housing Recovery
 13 Program and the Special Housing Assistance and Development
 14 Program, the sum of \$100,000 for technical and training
 15 assistance, the sum of \$60.9 million for the Rental Recovery
 16 Loan Program, and an additional \$32 million from the State
 17 Housing Trust Fund for the Rental Recovery Loan Program.

18 Section 40. The sum of \$82,904,000 is appropriated
 19 from the Florida Small Cities Community Development Block
 20 Grant Program Fund to the Department of Community Affairs.
 21 These funds shall be used consistent with the Federal
 22 Register, Vol. 71, No. 29, February 13, 2006, Docket No.
 23 FR-5051-N-01, and the Action Plan for Disaster Recovery
 24 approved by the United States Department of Housing and Urban
 25 Development to meet the needs of communities impacted by
 26 Hurricanes Wilma and Katrina, with a prioritization toward
 27 affordable housing in the most impacted areas of the state.

28 Section 41. The sum of \$50 million is appropriated
 29 from the Local Government Housing Trust Fund to the Florida
 30 Housing Finance Corporation for fiscal year 2006-2007 to
 31 implement the Community Workforce Housing Innovation Pilot

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1 Program.

2 Section 42. The sum of \$30 million is appropriated
3 from the Local Government Housing Trust Fund to the Florida
4 Housing Finance Corporation for fiscal year 2006-2007 to
5 assist in the production of housing units for
6 extremely-low-income persons as defined in s. 420.0004(8),
7 Florida Statutes.

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9 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)

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