$\mathbf{B}\mathbf{y}$ the Committee on Government Efficiency Appropriations; and Senator Dockery

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1	A bill to be entitled
2	An act relating to the Department of State;
3	amending s. 265.285, F.S.; clarifying terms of
4	appointment to the Florida Arts Council;
5	removing obsolete provisions; amending s.
6	265.606, F.S.; deleting a requirement for local
7	sponsoring organizations to submit an annual
8	postaudit to the Division of Cultural Affairs
9	under certain circumstances; requiring the
10	state's matching share of cultural endowment to
11	be returned to the state and deposited into the
12	Florida Fine Arts Trust Fund rather than the
13	General Revenue Fund under certain
14	circumstances; providing for distribution of
15	reverted funds; requiring the authority to
16	disburse funds to be subject to certain notice
17	and review procedures; providing for the
18	reversion of returned funds to the General
19	Revenue Fund under certain circumstances;
20	amending s. 267.174, F.S.; changing the dates
21	for the first meeting of the Discovery of
22	Florida Quincentennial Commemoration
23	Commission, the completion of the initial draft
24	of a specified master plan, and the submission
25	of the completed master plan; amending s.
26	272.129, F.S.; transferring responsibility for
27	the Florida Historic Capitol from the
28	Department of State to the Legislature;
29	providing for allocation of certain space for
30	preservation, museum, and cultural programs of
31	the Legislature; requiring the maintenance of

1 the Florida Historic Capitol pursuant to 2 certain historic preservation standards and guidelines; removing responsibility of the 3 4 Department of Management Services for security 5 of the Historic Capitol and adjacent grounds; 6 amending s. 272.135, F.S.; requiring the 7 Capitol Curator to be appointed by the 8 President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives; deleting rulemaking 9 10 authority of the Department of State, to conform; amending s. 607.193, F.S.; correcting 11 12 references to repealed sections of the Florida 13 Statutes within provisions relating to the annual supplemental corporate fee imposed on 14 each business entity authorized to transact 15 business in this state; providing an effective 16 17 date. 18 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 19 20 21 Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section 22 265.285, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 23 265.285 Florida Arts Council; membership, duties.--(1)(a) The Florida Arts Council is created in the 2.4 department as an advisory body, as defined in s. 20.03(7), to 25 consist of 15 members. Seven members shall be appointed by the 26 27 Governor, four members shall be appointed by the President of 2.8 the Senate, and four members shall be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives. The appointments, to be made 29 in consultation with the Secretary of State, shall recognize 30

the need for geographical representation. Council members

appointed by the Governor shall be appointed for 4-year terms 2 beginning on January 1 of the year of appointment. Council members appointed by the President of the Senate and the 3 Speaker of the House of Representatives shall be appointed for 4 2-year terms beginning on January 1 of the year of 5 6 appointment. Council members serving on July 1, 2002, may 7 serve the remainder of their respective terms. New 8 appointments to the council shall not be made until the 9 retirement, resignation, removal, or expiration of the terms of the initial members results in fewer than 15 members 10 11 remaining. As vacancies occur, the first appointment to the 12 council shall be made by the Governor. The President of the 13 Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the Governor, respectively, shall then alternate appointments 14 15 until the council is composed as required herein. A No member 16 of the council who serves two 4-year terms or two 2-year terms 17 is not will be eligible for reappointment for 1 year during a 18 1 year period following the expiration of the member's second term. A member whose term has expired shall continue to serve 19 on the council until such time as a replacement is appointed. 20 21 Any vacancy on the council shall be filled for the remainder 22 of the unexpired term in the same manner as for the original 23 appointment. Members should have a substantial history of community service in the performing or visual arts, which 2.4 includes, but is not limited to, theatre, dance, folk arts, 2.5 26 music, architecture, photography, and literature. In addition, 27 it is desirable that members have successfully served on 2.8 boards of cultural institutions such as museums and performing 29 arts centers or are recognized as patrons of the arts. 30 Section 2. Subsections (4) and (5) of section 265.606, Florida Statutes, are amended, present subsections (6) and (7)

of that section are redesignated as subsections (8) and (9), respectively, and new subsections (6) and (7) are added to that section, to read:

265.606 Cultural Endowment Program; administration; qualifying criteria; matching fund program levels; distribution.--

- (4) Once the secretary has determined that the sponsoring organization has complied with the criteria imposed by this section, he or she may authorize the transfer of the appropriate state matching funds to the organization. However, the secretary shall ensure that the local group has made prudent arrangements for the trusteeship of the entire endowment, and such trusteeship is hereby created. The sponsoring organization may then expend moneys in the endowment program fund, subject to the following requirements:
- (a) The organization may expend funds only for operating costs incurred while engaged in programs directly related to cultural activities.
- (b) The organization shall annually submit a report to the division, in such form as the division specifies, explaining how endowment program funds were utilized.
- (c) Any contract administered under this section shall require the local sponsoring organization to submit to the division an annual postaudit of its financial accounts conducted by an independent certified public accountant.
- (5) The \$240,000 state matching fund endowment for each individual endowment shall be returned to the state, shall be deposited into revert to the Florida Fine Arts Trust Fund, and shall be awarded to the first organization on the Cultural Endowment Program priority list pursuant to subsection (9) that has not previously received a cultural

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- (a) The recipient sponsoring organization <u>is no longer</u> able to manage an endowment ceases operations.
- (b) The recipient sponsoring organization files for protection under federal bankruptcy provisions.
- (c) The recipient sponsoring organization willfully expends a portion of the endowment principal of any individual endowment.
- (6) In the event an endowment is returned to the state under subsection (5), authority to disburse funds shall be subject to the notice and review procedures set forth in s. 216.177.
- (7) If there is no other qualified organization on the Cultural Endowment Program priority list, returned funds shall revert to the General Revenue Fund at the end of the fiscal year.
- Section 3. Paragraph (d) of subsection (5) and paragraph (c) of subsection (7) of section 267.174, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:
- 267.174 Discovery of Florida Quincentennial Commemoration Commission.--
 - (5) OFFICERS; BYLAWS; MEETINGS.--
- (d) The initial meeting of the commission shall be held no later than <u>July 31, 2008</u> January 31, 2007. Subsequent meetings shall be held upon the call of the chair or vice chair acting in the absence of the chair, and in accordance with the commission's bylaws.
 - (7) DUTIES; MASTER PLAN.--
- (c) The commission shall establish a timetable and budget for completion for all parts of the master plan which

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shall be made a part of the plan. An initial draft of the plan shall be completed and submitted to the Governor, the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the Secretary of State by May 2009

January 2008 with the completed master plan submitted to such officials by May 2010 January 2009.

Section 4. Section 272.129, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

272.129 Florida Historic Capitol; space allocation; maintenance, repair, and security.--

- assure that all space in the Florida Historic Capitol is restored in a manner consistent with the 1902 form and made available for allocation. Notwithstanding the provisions of ss. 255.249 and 272.04 that relate to space allocation in state-owned buildings, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall have responsibility and authority for the allocation of all space in the restored Florida Historic Capitol, provided:
- (a) The rotunda, corridors, Senate chamber, House of Representatives chamber, and Supreme Court chamber shall not be used as office space.
- (b) The <u>Legislature</u> Department of State shall be allocated sufficient space for program and administrative functions relating to the preservation, museum, and cultural programs of the <u>Legislature</u> department.
- (2) The Florida Historic Capitol shall be maintained in accordance with good historic preservation practices as specified in the National Park Service Preservation Briefs and the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation and Guidelines for Rehabilitating Historic Buildings.

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(3)(2) Custodial and preventive maintenance and, repair, and security of the entire Historic Capitol and the grounds located adjacent thereto shall be the responsibility of the Department of Management Services, subject to the special requirements of the building as determined by the Capitol Curator.

Section 5. Section 272.135, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

272.135 Florida Historic Capitol Curator.--

- (1) The position of Capitol Curator is created within the <u>Legislature</u> Department of State, which shall establish the qualifications for the position. The curator shall be appointed by and serve at the pleasure of the <u>President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives</u>

 Secretary of State.
 - (2) The Capitol Curator shall:
- (a) Promote and encourage throughout the state knowledge and appreciation of the Florida Historic Capitol.
- (b) Collect, research, exhibit, interpret, preserve, and protect the history, artifacts, objects, furnishings, and other materials related to the Florida Historic Capitol, except for archaeological research and resources.
- (c) Develop, direct, supervise, and maintain the interior design and furnishings of all space within the Florida Historic Capitol in a manner consistent with the restoration of the Florida Historic Capitol in its 1902 form.
- (3) The Department of State shall promulgate rules to implement this section.
- Section 6. Subsections (1) and (2) of section 607.193, 30 Florida Statutes, are amended to read:
 - 607.193 Supplemental corporate fee.--

1	(1) In addition to any other taxes imposed by law, an
2	annual supplemental corporate fee of \$88.75 is imposed on each
3	business entity that is authorized to transact business in
4	this state and is required to file an annual report with the
5	Department of State under s. 607.1622, s. 608.452, or s.
6	<u>620.1210</u> 620.177 .
7	(2)(a) The business entity shall remit the
8	supplemental corporate fee to the Department of State at the
9	time it files the annual report required by s. 607.1622, s.
10	608.452, or s. <u>620.1210</u> 620.177 .
11	(b) In addition to the fees levied under ss. 607.0122,
12	608.452 , and $\underline{620.1109}$ $\underline{620.182}$ and the supplemental corporate
13	fee, a late charge of \$400 shall be imposed if the
14	supplemental corporate fee is remitted after May 1 except in
15	circumstances in which a business entity did not receive the
16	uniform business report prescribed by the department.
17	Section 7. This act shall take effect July 1, 2006.
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1		STATEMENT OF SUBSTANTIAL CHANGES CONTAINED IN COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
2		<u>SB 2384</u>
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4	The	committee substitute for SB 2384:
5	1)	Removes the first section of the bill, which established a dedicated funding source for cultural and historical grants and provided for distribution of funds from that
7		dedicated source.
8	2)	Establishes the start date for appointments to the Florida Arts Council, both Governor and legislative, as January 1; and deletes outdated language on appointments
9		to the Council.
10	3)	Revises language governing the Cultural Endowment Program to remove an audit requirement to conform to Single
11		Audit Act requirements; broaden one of the criteria for reversion of the state funding portion of an endowment;
12		and require that reverted money not go into General Revenue but be used to fund the next organization on the
13		priority list for funding.
14	4)	Revises language related to the Discovery of Florida Ouincentennial Commemoration Commission to move forward
15		by 1 year the requirements for the first meeting of the Commission, the initial draft of the master plan, and the
16		submission of the master plan to the Legislature.
17	5)	Revises language governing the Florida Historic Capitol to transfer to the Legislature the responsibilities of
18		the Florida Historic Capitol that are currently under the Department of State; ensures that the Florida Historic
19 20		Capitol is maintained in accordance with good historic preservation practices; and transfer the Florida Historic Capitol Curator responsibilities to the Legislature from
21		the Department of State.
22	6)	Corrects a cross reference related to supplemental corporate fees.
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