

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to firefighter pensions; amending s.
 3 175.032, F.S.; revising the definition of the term
 4 "special fire control district" to include certain
 5 community development districts performing fire
 6 suppression and related services; providing an effective
 7 date.

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

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 11 Section 1. Subsection (16) of section 175.032, Florida
 12 Statutes, is amended to read:

13 175.032 Definitions.--For any municipality, special fire
 14 control district, chapter plan, local law municipality, local
 15 law special fire control district, or local law plan under this
 16 chapter, the following words and phrases have the following
 17 meanings:

18 (16) "Special fire control district" means a special
 19 district, as defined in s. 189.403(1), established for the
 20 purposes of extinguishing fires, protecting life, and protecting
 21 property within the incorporated or unincorporated portions of
 22 any county or combination of counties, or within any combination
 23 of incorporated and unincorporated portions of any county or
 24 combination of counties. The term includes community development
 25 districts providing fire suppression and related services
 26 pursuant to s. 190.012(2)(b). The term does not include any
 27 dependent or independent special district, as defined in s.
 28 189.403(2) and (3), respectively, the employees of which are

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29 | members of the Florida Retirement System pursuant to s.
30 | 121.051(1) or (2).

31 | Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2006.