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An act relating to trust funds; creating the Florida Wild-Caught Food Shrimp Economic Development Trust Fund within the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission; providing for sources of funds and purposes; providing for future review and termination or re-creation of the trust fund; providing a contingent effective date.

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

Section 1. Florida Wild-Caught Food Shrimp Economic Development Trust Fund.--

(1) There is created the Florida Wild-Caught Food Shrimp Economic Development Trust Fund within the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission. The purpose of the trust fund is to receive funds collected by the commission from the annual fee imposed on individuals, firms, and corporations engaged in the commercial taking of Florida wild-caught food shrimp. Moneys in the trust fund shall be used for the purpose of protecting and promoting markets for Florida wild-caught food shrimp.

(2) In accordance with s. 19(f)(2), Art. III of the State Constitution, the trust fund must, unless terminated sooner, be terminated on July 1, 2010. Before its scheduled termination, the trust fund must be reviewed as provided in s. 215.3206(1) and (2), Florida Statutes.

Section 2. This act shall take effect on the effective date of Senate Bill \_\_\_\_, or similar legislation, but it shall not take effect unless it is enacted by a three-fifths vote of

1 the membership of each house of the Legislature and unless  
2 Senate Bill \_\_\_\_, or similar legislation, becomes law.

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Creates the Florida Wild-Caught Food Shrimp Economic  
Development Trust Fund within the Fish and Wildlife  
Conservation Commission. Describes funding source and  
purpose and provides for future review of the fund.