

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

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1 Representative(s) Sansom offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

5 Section 1. Paragraph (d) of subsection (1) of section  
6 201.15, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

7 201.15 Distribution of taxes collected.--All taxes  
8 collected under this chapter shall be distributed as follows and  
9 shall be subject to the service charge imposed in s. 215.20(1),  
10 except that such service charge shall not be levied against any  
11 portion of taxes pledged to debt service on bonds to the extent  
12 that the amount of the service charge is required to pay any  
13 amounts relating to the bonds:

14 (1) Sixty-two and sixty-three hundredths percent of the  
15 remaining taxes collected under this chapter shall be used for  
16 the following purposes:

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17 (d) The remainder of the moneys distributed under this  
18 subsection, after the required payments under paragraphs (a),  
19 (b), and (c), shall be paid into the State Treasury to the  
20 credit of:

21 1. The State Transportation Trust Fund in the Department  
22 of Transportation in the amount of \$541.75 million in each  
23 fiscal year, to be paid in quarterly installments and used for  
24 the following specified purposes, notwithstanding any other law  
25 to the contrary:

26 a. For the purposes of capital funding for the New Starts  
27 Transit Program, authorized by Title 49, U.S.C. s. 5309 and  
28 specified in s. 341.051, 10 percent of these funds;

29 b. For the purposes of the Small County Outreach Program  
30 specified in s. 339.2818, 5 percent of these funds;

31 c. For the purposes of the Strategic Intermodal System  
32 specified in ss. 339.61, 339.62, 339.63, and 339.64, 75 percent  
33 of these funds after allocating for the New Starts Transit  
34 Program described in sub-subparagraph a. and the Small County  
35 Outreach Program described in sub-subparagraph b.; and

36 d. For the purposes of the Transportation Regional  
37 Incentive Program specified in s. 339.2819, 25 percent of these  
38 funds after allocating for the New Starts Transit Program  
39 described in sub-subparagraph a. and the Small County Outreach  
40 Program described in sub-subparagraph b.

41 2. The Water Protection and Sustainability Program Trust  
42 Fund in the Department of Environmental Protection in the amount  
43 of \$100 million in each fiscal year, to be paid in quarterly  
44 installments and used as required by s. 403.890.

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45       ~~3. The Public Education Capital Outlay and Debt Service~~  
46 ~~Trust Fund in the Department of Education in the amount of \$105~~  
47 ~~million in each fiscal year, to be paid in monthly installments~~  
48 ~~with \$75 million used to fund the Classrooms for Kids Program~~  
49 ~~created in s. 1013.735, and \$30 million to be used to fund the~~  
50 ~~High Growth County District Capital Outlay Assistance Grant~~  
51 ~~Program created in s. 1013.738. If required, new facilities~~  
52 ~~constructed under the Classrooms for Kids Program must meet the~~  
53 ~~requirements of s. 1013.372.~~

54       3.4. The Grants and Donations Trust Fund in the Department  
55 of Community Affairs in the amount of \$3.25 million in each  
56 fiscal year to be paid in monthly installments, with \$3 million  
57 to be used to fund technical assistance to local governments and  
58 school boards on the requirements and implementation of this act  
59 and \$250,000 to be used to fund the Century Commission  
60 established in s. 163.3247.

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62 Moneys distributed pursuant to this paragraph may not be pledged  
63 for debt service unless such pledge is approved by referendum of  
64 the voters.

65       Section 2. Subsection (7) of section 1013.64, Florida  
66 Statutes, is amended to read:

67       1013.64 Funds for comprehensive educational plant needs;  
68 construction cost maximums for school district capital  
69 projects.--Allocations from the Public Education Capital Outlay  
70 and Debt Service Trust Fund to the various boards for capital  
71 outlay projects shall be determined as follows:

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72       ~~(7) Moneys distributed to the Public Education Capital~~  
73 ~~Outlay and Debt Service Trust Fund pursuant to s. 201.15(1)(d)~~  
74 ~~to fund the Classrooms for Kids Program created in s. 1013.735~~  
75 ~~and the High Growth County District Capital Outlay Assistance~~  
76 ~~Grant Program created in s. 1013.738 shall be distributed as~~  
77 ~~provided by those sections.~~

78       Section 3. Paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of section  
79 1013.65, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

80       1013.65 Educational and ancillary plant construction  
81 funds; Public Education Capital Outlay and Debt Service Trust  
82 Fund; allocation of funds.--

83       (2) (a) The Public Education Capital Outlay and Debt  
84 Service Trust Fund shall be comprised of the following sources,  
85 which are hereby appropriated to the trust fund:

86       1. Proceeds, premiums, and accrued interest from the sale  
87 of public education bonds and that portion of the revenues  
88 accruing from the gross receipts tax as provided by s. 9(a)(2),  
89 Art. XII of the State Constitution, as amended, interest on  
90 investments, and federal interest subsidies.

91       2. General revenue funds appropriated to the fund for  
92 educational capital outlay purposes.

93       3. All capital outlay funds previously appropriated and  
94 certified forward pursuant to s. 216.301.

95       ~~4.a. Funds paid pursuant to s. 201.15(1)(d).~~

96       ~~b. The sum of \$41.75 million of such funds shall be~~  
97 ~~appropriated annually for expenditure to fund the Classrooms for~~  
98 ~~Kids Program created in s. 1013.735 and shall be distributed as~~  
99 ~~provided by that section.~~

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100 Section 4. Subsection (4) of section 1013.738, Florida  
101 Statutes, is amended to read:

102 1013.738 High Growth District Capital Outlay Assistance  
103 Grant Program.--

104 ~~(4) Moneys distributed to the Public Education Capital~~  
105 ~~Outlay and Debt Service Trust Fund pursuant to s. 201.15(1)(d)~~  
106 ~~for the High Growth District Capital Outlay Assistance Grant~~  
107 ~~Program created in this section shall be distributed as provided~~  
108 ~~by this section.~~

109 Section 5. This act shall take effect July 1, 2007.

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111 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

112 Remove the entire title and insert:

113 A bill to be entitled

114 An act relating to the distribution of documentary stamp  
115 taxes; amending s. 201.15, F.S.; deleting a provision  
116 relating to distribution of proceeds from the excise tax  
117 on documents to the Public Education Capital Outlay and  
118 Debt Service Trust Fund; amending s. 1013.64, F.S. ;  
119 deleting provisions relating to distributions from such  
120 trust fund for specified programs; amending s. 1013.65,  
121 F.S.; deleting reference to certain moneys paid into such  
122 trust fund and to moneys set aside for distribution to a  
123 specified program; amending s. 1013.738, F.S.; deleting a  
124 provision relating to distributions from such trust fund  
125 for a specified program; providing an effective date.

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