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CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

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1 Senator Saunders moved the following **amendment**:

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3 **Senate Amendment (with title amendments)**

4 Between line(s) 327 and 328

5 insert:

6 Section 7. Section 403.08601, Florida Statutes, is created
7 to read:

8 403.08601 Leah Schad Memorial Ocean Outfall Program.—

9 The Legislature declares that as funds become available the
10 state may assist the local governments and agencies responsible
11 for implementing the Leah Schad Memorial Ocean Outfall Program
12 pursuant to s. 403.086 (9). Funds received from other sources
13 provided for in law, the General Appropriations Act, from gifts
14 designated for implementation of the plan from individuals,
15 corporations, or other entities, or federal funds appropriated by
16 Congress for implementation of the plan, may be deposited into an



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17 account of the Ecosystem Management and Restoration Trust Fund
18 created pursuant to s. 403.1651.

19 Section 8. Subsection (1) of section 403.1651, Florida
20 Statutes, is amended to read:

21 403.1651 Ecosystem Management and Restoration Trust Fund.--

22 (1) There is created the Ecosystem Management and
23 Restoration Trust Fund to be administered by the Department of
24 Environmental Protection for the purposes of:

25 (a) Funding the detailed planning for and implementation of
26 programs for the management and restoration of ecosystems.

27 (b) Funding the development and implementation of surface
28 water improvement and management plans and programs under ss.
29 373.451-373.4595.

30 (c) Funding activities to restore polluted areas of the
31 state, as defined by the department, to their condition before
32 pollution occurred or to otherwise enhance pollution control
33 activities.

34 (d) Funding activities to restore or rehabilitate injured
35 or destroyed coral reefs.

36 (e) Funding activities by the department to recover moneys
37 as a result of actions against any person for a violation of
38 chapter 373.

39 (f) Funding activities authorized for the implementation of
40 the Leah Schad Memorial Ocean Outfall Program implemented in s.
41 403.086 (9).

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43 (Renumber subsequent sections)

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45 And the title is amended as follows:

46 Between line(s) 38 and 39



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47 | insert:
48 | creating s. 403.08601, F.S., establishing the Leah Schad
49 | Memorial Ocean Outfall Program; establishing a funding
50 | mechanism and providing a statutory cross reference;
51 | amending s. 403.1651, F.S.; providing a dedicated account
52 | within the Ecosystem Management and Restoration Trust
53 | Fund;