

By Senator Wise

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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to environmental control; directing
3 the Department of Environmental Protection to develop
4 a plan for the implementation of an expedited
5 permitting process for nuclear power plants; directing
6 the department to develop a plan for the
7 implementation of an offshore drilling program;
8 providing requirements for the plans; requiring the
9 plans to be submitted to the Legislature by a
10 specified date; providing an effective date.

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

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14 Section 1. The Department of Environmental Protection is
15 directed to develop a plan, including legislative
16 recommendations, for the implementation of an expedited
17 permitting process for the development and construction of
18 nuclear power plants that reduces the amount of time for
19 granting such a permit by half. The plan must be submitted to
20 the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of
21 Representatives no later than December 31, 2009.

22 Section 2. The Department of Environmental Protection is
23 directed to develop a plan, including legislative
24 recommendations, for the implementation of an offshore oil
25 drilling program. The plan must be submitted to the President of
26 the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives no
27 later than December 31, 2009.

28 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009.