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Representatives Rivera and Llorente offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. It is the intent of the Legislature that the implementing and administering provisions of this act apply to the General Appropriations Act for the 2009-2010 fiscal year.

Section 2. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 3 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, subsection (5) is added to section 1009.534, Florida Statutes, to read:

1009.534 Florida Academic Scholars award.--

(5) Notwithstanding subsections (2) and (4), a Florida Academic Scholar is eligible for an award equal to the amount specified in the General Appropriations Act for the 2009-2010 academic year. This subsection expires July 1, 2010.

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Section 3. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 3 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, subsection (4) is added to section 1009.535, Florida Statutes, to read:

1009.535 Florida Medallion Scholars award.--

(4) Notwithstanding subsection (2), a Florida Medallion Scholar is eligible for an award equal to the amount specified in the General Appropriations Act for the 2009-2010 academic year. This subsection expires July 1, 2010.

Section 4. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 3 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, subsection (5) is added to section 1009.536, Florida Statutes, to read:

1009.536 Florida Gold Seal Vocational Scholars award.—The Florida Gold Seal Vocational Scholars award is created within the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program to recognize and reward academic achievement and career preparation by high school students who wish to continue their education.

(5) Notwithstanding subsection (2), a Florida Gold Seal Vocational Scholar is eligible for an award equal to the amount specified in the General Appropriations Act for the 2009-2010 academic year. This subsection expires July 1, 2010.

Section 5. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 1514 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, subsection (8) of section 215.559, Florida Statutes, is amended, and a new subsection (8) is added to that section, to read:

215.559 Hurricane Loss Mitigation Program. --

(8) (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of this section and for the 2009-2010 fiscal year only, the \$7 million

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appropriation provided for in paragraph (2)(a) shall be
allocated as follows:

- 1. The sum of \$3.5 million shall be transferred to the Department of Financial Services for the My Safe Florida Home Program as provided for in s. 215.5586.
- 2. The sum of \$3,421,764 shall be used for programs to improve the wind resistance of residences and mobile homes, including loans, subsidies, grants, demonstration projects, and direct assistance; educating persons concerning the Florida

 Building Code cooperative programs with local governments and the Federal Government; and other efforts to prevent or reduce losses or reduce the cost of rebuilding after a disaster.
- 3. The sum of \$78,236 shall be allocated for operational purposes of the department as specified in the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act.
 - (b) This subsection expires July 1, 2010.
- (8) (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of this section and for the 2008-2009 fiscal year only, the \$10 million appropriation provided for in subsection (1) shall be allocated as follows:
- 1. The sum of \$2.8 million shall be used to inspect and improve tie-downs for mobile homes for the same purpose as specified in paragraph (3)(a).
- 2. The sum of \$700,000 shall be allocated to the Florida International University for the same purpose as specified in subsection (4).
- 3. The sum of \$6,421,764 shall be used to install emergency power generators in special-needs hurricane evacuation 070157

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shelters as provided in s. 1, ch. 2006-71, Laws of Florida, except that such funds may not be used for administrative purposes.

- 4. The sum of \$78,236 shall be allocated for operational purposes of the department as specified in the 2008-2009 General Appropriations Act.
 - (b) This subsection expires July 1, 2009.
- Section 6. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 1998 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, subsection (8) of section 332.007, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
- 332.007 Administration and financing of aviation and airport programs and projects; state plan.--
- (8) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the department is authorized to fund security projects, including operational and maintenance assistance, at publicly owned public-use airports. For projects in the current adopted work program, or projects added using the available budget of the department, airports may request the department change the project purpose in accordance with this provision notwithstanding the provisions of s. 339.135(7). For purposes of this subsection, the department may fund up to 100 percent of eligible project costs that are not funded by the Federal Government. This subsection shall expire on June 30, 2012.
- Statutes, made by this act shall expire July 1, 2010, and the text of that subsection shall revert to that in existence on June 30, 2009, except that any amendments to such text enacted other than by this act shall be preserved and continue to 070157

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operate to the extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the portions of such text which expire pursuant to this section.

Section 8. In order to implement section 23 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (a) of subsection (4) and subsection (5) of section 339.135, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

339.135 Work program; legislative budget request; definitions; preparation, adoption, execution, and amendment.--

- (4) FUNDING AND DEVELOPING A TENTATIVE WORK PROGRAM. --
- To assure that no district or county is penalized for local efforts to improve the State Highway System, the department shall, for the purpose of developing a tentative work program, allocate funds for new construction to the districts, except for the turnpike enterprise, based on equal parts of population and motor fuel tax collections. Funds for resurfacing, bridge repair and rehabilitation, bridge fender system construction or repair, public transit projects except public transit block grants as provided in s. 341.052, and other programs with quantitative needs assessments shall be allocated based on the results of these assessments. The department may not transfer any funds allocated to a district under this paragraph to any other district except as provided in subsection (7). Funds for public transit block grants shall be allocated to the districts pursuant to s. 341.052. Funds for the intercity bus program provided for under s. 5311(f) of the federal nonurbanized area formula program shall be administered and allocated directly to eligible bus carriers as defined in s. 070157

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- 341.031(12) at the state level rather than the district. In order to provide state funding to support the intercity bus program provided for under provisions of the federal 5311(f) program, the department shall allocate an amount equal to the federal share of the 5311(f) program from amounts calculated pursuant to s. 206.46(3).
- 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of subparagraph 1., the department shall allocate at least 50 percent of any new discretionary highway capacity funds to the Florida Strategic Intermodal System created pursuant to s. 339.61. Any remaining new discretionary highway capacity funds shall be allocated to the districts for new construction as provided in subparagraph 1. For the purposes of this subparagraph, the term "new discretionary highway capacity funds" means any funds available to the department above the prior year funding level for capacity improvements, which the department has the discretion to allocate to highway projects.
- 3. Notwithstanding subparagraph 1. and ss. 206.46(3), 334.044(26), and 339.2819(3), and for the fiscal year 2009-2010 only, the department shall reduce work program levels to balance the finance plan to the revised funding levels resulting from any reduction in the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act. This subparagraph expires July 1, 2010.
- 4. For the fiscal year 2009-2010 only, prior to any project or phase thereof being deferred, the reductions in subparagraph 3. shall be made to financial projects not programmed for contract letting as identified with a work program contract class code 8 and the box code RV, excluding 070157

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reserves for public transit project development. These reductions shall not negatively impact safety, preservation, maintenance, or project contingency levels as of July 1, 2009. This subparagraph expires July 1, 2010.

(5) (a) ADOPTION OF THE WORK PROGRAM. --

The original approved budget for operational and fixed capital expenditures for the department shall be the Governor's budget recommendation and the first year of the tentative work program, as both are amended by the General Appropriations Act and any other act containing appropriations. In accordance with the appropriations act, the department shall, prior to the beginning of the fiscal year, adopt a final work program which shall only include the original approved budget for the department for the ensuing fiscal year together with any roll forwards approved pursuant to paragraph (6)(c) and the portion of the tentative work program for the following 4 fiscal years revised in accordance with the original approved budget for the department for the ensuing fiscal year together with said roll forwards. The adopted work program may include only those projects submitted as part of the tentative work program developed under the provisions of subsection (4) plus any projects which are separately identified by specific appropriation in the General Appropriations Act and any roll forwards approved pursuant to paragraph (6)(c). However, any transportation project of the department which is identified by specific appropriation in the General Appropriations Act shall be deducted from the funds annually distributed to the respective district pursuant to paragraph (4)(a). In addition, 070157

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the department shall not in any year include any project or allocate funds to a program in the adopted work program that is contrary to existing law for that particular year. Projects shall not be undertaken unless they are listed in the adopted work program.

(b) Notwithstanding paragraph (a), and for the $\underline{2009-2010}$ $\underline{2008-2009}$ fiscal year only, the Department of Transportation shall transfer funds to the Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development in an amount equal to $\underline{\$20,300,000}$ $\underline{\$36,750,000}$ for the purpose of funding transportation-related needs of economic development projects, space and aerospace infrastructure, and other economic development projects. This transfer shall not reduce, delete, or defer any existing projects funded, as of July 1, $\underline{2009}$ $\underline{2008}$, in the Department of Transportation's 5-year work program. This paragraph expires July 1, $\underline{2010}$ $\underline{2009}$.

(c) Notwithstanding paragraph (a) or subparagraph (4)(a)1., and for the 2008-2009 fiscal year only, the Department of Transportation shall fund projects in Specific Appropriations 2063, 2071, 2077, 2079, 2102, 2106, 2109, and 2116 of the 2008-2009 General Appropriations Act. Funding for these specific appropriations shall be from projects or phases thereof within the department's fiscal year 2008-2009 work program not programmed for contract letting as identified with a work program contract class code 8 and the box code RV. This funding shall not negatively impact safety, preservation, maintenance, or project contingency levels as of July 1, 2008. This paragraph expires July 1, 2009.

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Section 9. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 1986 through 2095 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, section 337.025, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

337.025 Innovative highway projects; department to establish program.--

The department is authorized to establish a program for highway projects demonstrating innovative techniques of highway construction, maintenance, and finance which have the intended effect of controlling time and cost increases on construction projects. Such techniques may include, but are not limited to, state-of-the-art technology for pavement, safety, and other aspects of highway construction and maintenance; innovative bidding and financing techniques; accelerated construction procedures; and those techniques that have the potential to reduce project life cycle costs. To the maximum extent practical, the department must use the existing process to award and administer construction and maintenance contracts. When specific innovative techniques are to be used, the department is not required to adhere to those provisions of law that would prevent, preclude, or in any way prohibit the department from using the innovative technique. However, prior to using an innovative technique that is inconsistent with another provision of law, the department must document in writing the need for the exception and identify what benefits the traveling public and the affected community are anticipated to receive. The department may enter into no more than \$120 million in contracts annually for the purposes authorized by this section. However, the annual cap on contracts provided in 070157

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this section shall not apply to turnpike enterprise projects nor shall turnpike enterprise projects be counted toward the department's annual cap.

- (2) For the 2009-2010 fiscal year only, the annual cap provided in subsection (1) shall not apply to transportation projects funded by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009. This subsection expires July 1, 2010.
- Section 10. In order to implement the transfer of moneys to the General Revenue Fund from trust funds in the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of section 215.32, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:
 - 215.32 State funds; segregation.--
- (2) The source and use of each of these funds shall be as follows:
- (b)1. The trust funds shall consist of moneys received by the state which under law or under trust agreement are segregated for a purpose authorized by law. The state agency or branch of state government receiving or collecting such moneys shall be responsible for their proper expenditure as provided by law. Upon the request of the state agency or branch of state government responsible for the administration of the trust fund, the Chief Financial Officer may establish accounts within the trust fund at a level considered necessary for proper accountability. Once an account is established within a trust fund, the Chief Financial Officer may authorize payment from that account only upon determining that there is sufficient cash and releases at the level of the account.

- 2. In addition to other trust funds created by law, to the extent possible, each agency shall use the following trust funds as described in this subparagraph for day-to-day operations:
- a. Operations or operating trust fund, for use as a depository for funds to be used for program operations funded by program revenues, with the exception of administrative activities when the operations or operating trust fund is a proprietary fund.
- b. Operations and maintenance trust fund, for use as a depository for client services funded by third-party payors.
- c. Administrative trust fund, for use as a depository for funds to be used for management activities that are departmental in nature and funded by indirect cost earnings and assessments against trust funds. Proprietary funds are excluded from the requirement of using an administrative trust fund.
- d. Grants and donations trust fund, for use as a depository for funds to be used for allowable grant or donor agreement activities funded by restricted contractual revenue from private and public nonfederal sources.
- e. Agency working capital trust fund, for use as a depository for funds to be used pursuant to s. 216.272.
- f. Clearing funds trust fund, for use as a depository for funds to account for collections pending distribution to lawful recipients.
- g. Federal grant trust fund, for use as a depository for funds to be used for allowable grant activities funded by restricted program revenues from federal sources.

To the extent possible, each agency must adjust its internal accounting to use existing trust funds consistent with the requirements of this subparagraph. If an agency does not have trust funds listed in this subparagraph and cannot make such adjustment, the agency must recommend the creation of the necessary trust funds to the Legislature no later than the next scheduled review of the agency's trust funds pursuant to s. 215.3206.

- 3. All such moneys are hereby appropriated to be expended in accordance with the law or trust agreement under which they were received, subject always to the provisions of chapter 216 relating to the appropriation of funds and to the applicable laws relating to the deposit or expenditure of moneys in the State Treasury.
- 4.a. Notwithstanding any provision of law restricting the use of trust funds to specific purposes, unappropriated cash balances from selected trust funds may be authorized by the Legislature for transfer to the Budget Stabilization Fund and General Revenue Fund in the General Appropriations Act.
- b. This subparagraph does not apply to trust funds required by federal programs or mandates; trust funds established for bond covenants, indentures, or resolutions whose revenues are legally pledged by the state or public body to meet debt service or other financial requirements of any debt obligations of the state or any public body; the State Transportation Trust Fund; the trust fund containing the net annual proceeds from the Florida Education Lotteries; the Florida Retirement System Trust Fund; trust funds under the 070157

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management of the State Board of Education or the Board of Governors of the State University System, where such trust funds are for auxiliary enterprises, self-insurance, and contracts, grants, and donations, as those terms are defined by general law; trust funds that serve as clearing funds or accounts for the Chief Financial Officer or state agencies; trust funds that account for assets held by the state in a trustee capacity as an agent or fiduciary for individuals, private organizations, or other governmental units; and other trust funds authorized by the State Constitution.

Section 11. Paragraph (d) is added to subsection (11) of section 216.181, Florida Statutes, to read:

216.181 Approved budgets for operations and fixed capital outlay.--

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(d) For the fiscal year 2009-2010 only, changes in the amounts appropriated for fixed capital outlay projects may be approved by the Legislative Budget Commission pursuant to the request of a state agency filed with the Executive Office of the Governor if the project's funding is derived from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009. This paragraph expires July 1, 2010.

The provisions of this subsection are subject to the notice and objection procedures set forth in s. 216.177.

Section 12. In order to implement section 23 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, subsection (4) is added to section 339.08, Florida Statutes, to read:

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339.08 Use of moneys in State Transportation Trust Fund. --

- (4) For the 2009-2010 fiscal year only and notwithstanding the provisions of this section and ss. 339.09(1) and 215.32(2)(b)4., funds may be transferred from the State Transportation Trust Fund to the General Revenue Fund as specified in the General Appropriations Act. Notwithstanding ss. 206.46(3) and 206.606(2), the total amount transferred shall be reduced from total state revenues deposited into the State Transportation Trust Fund for the calculation requirements of ss. 206.46(3) and 206.606(2). This subsection expires July 1, 2010.
- Section 13. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 316 through 346 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, subsection (3) of section 394.908, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
- 394.908 Substance abuse and mental health funding equity; distribution of appropriations.—In recognition of the historical inequity in the funding of substance abuse and mental health services for the department's districts and regions and to rectify this inequity and provide for equitable funding in the future throughout the state, the following funding process shall be used:
- (3) (a) Any additional funding beyond the 2005-2006 fiscal year base appropriation for alcohol, drug abuse, and mental health services shall be allocated to districts for substance abuse and mental health services based on:
- 1. Epidemiological estimates of disabilities that apply to the respective target populations.

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- 2. A pro rata share distribution that ensures districts below the statewide average funding level per person in each target population of "persons in need" receive funding necessary to achieve equity.
- (b) Notwithstanding paragraph (a) and for the 2008-2009 fiscal year only, funds appropriated for forensic mental health treatment services shall be allocated to the areas of the state having the greatest demand for services and treatment capacity. This paragraph expires July 1, 2009.
- (c) Notwithstanding paragraph (a) and for the 2009-2010 2008-2009 fiscal year only, additional funds appropriated for mental health services from funds available through the Community-Based Medicaid Administrative Claiming Program shall be allocated in proportion to contributed provider earnings after administrative costs incurred by the department are covered as provided in the 2008-2009 General Appropriations Act and in proportion to contributed provider earnings. Where these mental health funds are used in lieu of funds from the General Revenue Fund, the allocation of funds shall be unchanged from the allocation for those funds for the 2007-2008 fiscal year. This paragraph expires July 1, 2010 2009.

Section 14. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
279 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, the Department
of Children and Family Services shall ensure that all public and
private agencies and institutions participating in child welfare
cases enter information specified by rule of the department into
the Florida Safe Families Network in order to maintain the
accuracy and usefulness of the system. The department shall
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coordinate with the Office of the State Courts Administrator for the purpose of providing any judge or magistrate assigned to a dependency court case with access to information in the Florida Safe Families Network relating to a child welfare case which is required to be filed with the court pursuant to chapter 39, Florida Statutes. The department shall report to the Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by September 1, 2009, with respect to progress on providing access to the Florida Safe Families Network as provided in this section. This section expires July 1, 2010.

Section 15. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 448, 450, 456, 458, and 459 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (b) of subsection (14) of section 287.057, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

287.057 Procurement of commodities or contractual services.--

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(b) The Department of Health shall enter into an agreement, not to exceed 20 years, with a private contractor to finance, design, and construct a hospital, of no more than 50 beds, for the treatment of patients with active tuberculosis and to operate all aspects of daily operations within the facility. The contractor may sponsor the issuance of tax-exempt certificates of participation or other securities to finance the project, and the state may enter into a lease-purchase agreement for the facility. The department shall begin the implementation of this initiative by July 1, 2008. This paragraph expires July 1, 2010 2009.

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Section 16. Paragraph (d) is added to subsection (3) of section 400.23, Florida Statutes, to read:

400.23 Rules; evaluation and deficiencies; licensure status.--

(3)

(d) Notwithstanding any other provision of this subsection and for the 2009-2010 fiscal year only, the agency may not impose sanctions against a nursing home for failure to meet the staffing ratios in paragraph (a), as long as the certified nursing assistant ratio is not below 2.6 hours per resident per day and the licensed nurse ratio is not below 1 hour per resident per day. This paragraph expires July 1, 2010.

Section 17. Paragraph (d) of subsection (15) of section 400.141, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

- 400.141 Administration and management of nursing home facilities.—Every licensed facility shall comply with all applicable standards and rules of the agency and shall:
- (15) Submit semiannually to the agency, or more frequently if requested by the agency, information regarding facility staff-to-resident ratios, staff turnover, and staff stability, including information regarding certified nursing assistants, licensed nurses, the director of nursing, and the facility administrator. For purposes of this reporting:
- (d) $\underline{1}$. A nursing facility that has failed to comply with state minimum-staffing requirements for 2 consecutive days is prohibited from accepting new admissions until the facility has achieved the minimum-staffing requirements for a period of 6 consecutive days. For the purposes of this paragraph, any person 070157

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who was a resident of the facility and was absent from the facility for the purpose of receiving medical care at a separate location or was on a leave of absence is not considered a new admission. Failure to impose such an admissions moratorium constitutes a class II deficiency.

2. Notwithstanding the provisions of subparagraph 1. and for the 2009-2010 fiscal year only, the agency may not impose sanctions against a nursing home for failure to impose a moratorium on new admissions under subparagraph 1., as long as the licensed nurse ratio is not below 1 hour per resident per day and the certified nursing assistant ratio is not below 2.6 hours per resident per day. This subparagraph expires July 1, 2010.

Nothing in this section shall limit the agency's ability to impose a deficiency or take other actions if a facility does not have enough staff to meet the residents' needs.

Facilities that have been awarded a Gold Seal under the program established in s. 400.235 may develop a plan to provide certified nursing assistant training as prescribed by federal regulations and state rules and may apply to the agency for approval of their program.

Section 18. <u>In order to fulfill legislative intent</u>

regarding the use of funds contained in Specific Appropriations

617, 631, 644, and 1112 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations

Act, the Department of Corrections and the Department of

Juvenile Justice may expend appropriated funds to assist in

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municipality or county and associated with opening or operating a facility under the authority of the respective department that is located within that municipality or county. The amount that is to be paid under this section for any facility may not exceed 1 percent of the facility construction cost, less building impact fees imposed by the municipality or by the county if the facility is located in the unincorporated portion of the county. This section expires July 1, 2010.

Section 19. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 607 through 706 and 738 through 773 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, subsection (4) of section 216.262, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

216.262 Authorized positions. --

(4) Notwithstanding the provisions of this chapter on increasing the number of authorized positions, and for the 2009-2010 2008-2009 fiscal year only, if the actual inmate population of the Department of Corrections exceeds the inmate population projections of the February 16, 2009 February 15, 2008, Criminal Justice Estimating Conference by 1 percent for 2 consecutive months or 2 percent for any month, the Executive Office of the Governor, with the approval of the Legislative Budget Commission, shall immediately notify the Criminal Justice Estimating Conference, which shall convene as soon as possible to revise the estimates. The Department of Corrections may then submit a budget amendment requesting the establishment of positions in excess of the number authorized by the Legislature and additional appropriations from unallocated general revenue 070157

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sufficient to provide for essential staff, fixed capital improvements, and other resources to provide classification, security, food services, health services, and other variable expenses within the institutions to accommodate the estimated increase in the inmate population. All actions taken pursuant to the authority granted in this subsection shall be subject to review and approval by the Legislative Budget Commission. This subsection expires July 1, 2010 2009.

Section 20. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
1231, 1251, 1272, and 1282 of the 2009-2010 General
Appropriations Act, the Department of Legal Affairs is
authorized to transfer cash remaining after required
disbursements from Attorney General case number 16-2008-CA-01
3142CV-C from FLAIR account 41-74-2-601001-41100100-00-181076-00
to the Operating Trust Fund within the Department of Legal
Affairs to pay salaries and benefits. This section expires July
1, 2010.

Section 21. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 1205 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, subsection (14) of section 790.065, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 790.065 Sale and delivery of firearms.--

(14) This section is repealed effective October 1, $\underline{2010}$ $\underline{2009}$.

Section 22. In order to implement Specific Appropriations for salaries and benefits in the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (b) of subsection (3) of section 112.24, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

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112.24 Intergovernmental interchange of public employees. -- To encourage economical and effective utilization of public employees in this state, the temporary assignment of employees among agencies of government, both state and local, and including school districts and public institutions of higher education is authorized under terms and conditions set forth in this section. State agencies, municipalities, and political subdivisions are authorized to enter into employee interchange agreements with other state agencies, the Federal Government, another state, a municipality, or a political subdivision including a school district, or with a public institution of higher education. State agencies are also authorized to enter into employee interchange agreements with private institutions of higher education and other nonprofit organizations under the terms and conditions provided in this section. In addition, the Governor or the Governor and Cabinet may enter into employee interchange agreements with a state agency, the Federal Government, another state, a municipality, or a political subdivision including a school district, or with a public institution of higher learning to fill, subject to the requirements of chapter 20, appointive offices which are within the executive branch of government and which are filled by appointment by the Governor or the Governor and Cabinet. Under no circumstances shall employee interchange agreements be utilized for the purpose of assigning individuals to participate in political campaigns. Duties and responsibilities of interchange employees shall be limited to the mission and goals of the agencies of government.

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- (3) Salary, leave, travel and transportation, and reimbursements for an employee of a sending party that is participating in an interchange program shall be handled as follows:
- (b)1. The assignment of an employee of a state agency either on detail or on leave of absence may be made without reimbursement by the receiving party for the travel and transportation expenses to or from the place of the assignment or for the pay and benefits, or a part thereof, of the employee during the assignment.
- 2. For the 2009-2010 2008-2009 fiscal year only, the assignment of an employee of a state agency as provided in subparagraph 1. may be made if recommended by the Governor or Chief Justice, as appropriate, and approved by the chairs of the Senate Policy and Steering Committee on Ways and Means and the House Full Appropriations Council on General Government and Health Care Senate Fiscal Policy and Calendar Committee and the House Policy and Budget Council. Such actions shall be deemed approved if neither chair provides written notice of objection within 14 days after the chair's receiving notice of the action pursuant to s. 216.177. This subparagraph expires July 1, 2010 2009.
- Section 23. In order to implement the appropriation of funds in Special Categories-Risk Management Insurance of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, and pursuant to the notice, review, and objection procedures of s. 216.177, Florida Statutes, the Executive Office of the Governor is authorized to transfer funds appropriated in the appropriation category 070157

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"Special Categories-Risk Management Insurance" of the 2009-2010

General Appropriations Act between departments in order to align

the budget authority granted with the premiums paid by each

department for risk management insurance. This section expires

July 1, 2010.

Section 24. In order to implement the appropriation of funds in Special Categories-Transfer to Department of Management Services-Human Resources Services Purchased Per Statewide Contract of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, and pursuant to the notice, review, and objection procedures of s. 216.177, Florida Statutes, the Executive Office of the Governor is authorized to transfer funds appropriated in the appropriation category "Special Categories-Transfer to Department of Management Services-Human Resources Services Purchased Per Statewide Contract" of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act between departments in order to align the budget authority granted with the assessments that must be paid by each agency to the Department of Management Services for human resource management services. This section expires July 1, 2010.

Section 25. In order to implement specific appropriations for salaries and benefits in the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (a) of subsection (12) of section 110.123, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

- 110.123 State group insurance program. --
- (12) HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS.--The department is authorized to establish health savings accounts for full-time and part-time state employees in association with a health 070157

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insurance plan option authorized by the Legislature and conforming to the requirements and limitations of federal provisions relating to the Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003.

- (a)1. A member participating in this health insurance plan option shall be eligible to receive an employer contribution into the employee's health savings account from the State Employees Health Insurance Trust Fund in an amount to be determined by the Legislature. A member is not eligible for an employer contribution upon termination of employment. For the 2009-2010 2008-2009 fiscal year, the state's monthly contribution for employees having individual coverage shall be \$41.66 and the monthly contribution for employees having family coverage shall be \$83.33.
- 2. A member participating in this health insurance plan option shall be eligible to deposit the member's own funds into a health savings account.
- Section 26. Effective June 30, 2009, in order to implement Specific Appropriations 2677 and 2678 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (c) is added to subsection (1) of section 11.13, Florida Statutes, to read:
 - 11.13 Compensation of members.--
- 652 (1)
 - (c) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph (b) and for the 2009-2010 fiscal year only, the authorized salary of a member of the Legislature in effect on June 30, 2009, shall be reduced by 5 percent. In addition, the authorized salary of a member of the Legislature shall be reduced by 100 percent upon 070157

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the voluntary election in writing by the member on or before

June 30, 2009. This paragraph expires July 1, 2010.

Section 27. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 2741 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (b) of subsection (1) of section 255.518, Florida Statutes, as amended by section 27 of chapter 2008-153, Laws of Florida, is amended to read:

255.518 Obligations; purpose, terms, approval, limitations.--

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(b) Payment of debt service charges and any reserves on obligations during the construction of any facility financed by such obligations shall be made from funds other than proceeds of obligations.

Statutes, by this act shall expire July 1, 2010, and the text of that paragraph shall revert to that in existence on June 30, 2009, except that any amendments to such text enacted other than by this act shall be preserved and continue to operate to the extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the portions of such text which expire pursuant to this section.

Section 29. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 1294 through 1454 of the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act, section 570.20, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

570.20 General Inspection Trust Fund.--

(1) All donations and all inspection fees and other funds authorized and received from whatever source in the enforcement of the inspection laws administered by the department shall be 070157

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paid into the General Inspection Trust Fund of Florida, which is created in the office of the Chief Financial Officer. All expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions of the inspection laws shall be paid from this fund as other funds are paid from the State Treasury. A percentage of all revenue deposited in this fund, including transfers from any subsidiary accounts, shall be deposited in the General Revenue Fund pursuant to chapter 215, except that funds collected for marketing orders shall pay at the rate of 3 percent.

(2) For the 2009-2010 2008-2009 fiscal year only and notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, in addition to the spending authorized in subsection (1), moneys in the General Inspection Trust Fund may be appropriated for programs operated by the department which are related to the programs authorized by this chapter. This subsection expires July 1, 2010 2009.

Section 30. A section of this act that implements a specific appropriation or specifically identified proviso language in the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act is void if the specific appropriation or specifically identified proviso language is vetoed. A section of this act that implements more than one specific appropriation or more than one portion of specifically identified proviso language in the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act is void if all the specific appropriations or portions of specifically identified proviso language are vetoed.

Section 31. <u>If any other act passed in 2009 contains a provision that is substantively the same as a provision in this 070157</u>

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act, but that removes or is otherwise not subject to the future repeal applied to such provision by this act, the Legislature intends that the provision in the other act shall take precedence and shall continue to operate, notwithstanding the future repeal provided by this act.

Section 32. If any provision of this act or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this act are severable.

Section 33. Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act and except for this section, which shall take effect upon this act becoming a law, this act shall take effect July 1, 2009; or, if this act fails to become a law until after that date, it shall take effect upon becoming a law and shall operate retroactively to July 1, 2009.

TITLE AMENDMENT

735 Remove the entire title and insert:

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to implementing the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act; providing legislative intent; amending ss. 1009.534, 1009.535, and 1009.536, F.S.; providing that Florida Academic Scholars, Florida Medallion Scholars, and Florida Gold Seal Vocational Scholars are eligible for

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awards equal to the amount specified in the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act; amending s. 215.559, F.S.; providing for allocation of funds appropriated to the Hurricane Loss Mitigation Program for specified purposes; amending s. 332.007, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Transportation to fund operational and maintenance assistance security projects at publicly owned public-use airports; providing for the future expiration of such authority and the reversion of statutory text; amending s. 339.135, F.S.; providing for use of transportation revenues; providing for revised funding levels for Department of Transportation projects; requiring the Department of Transportation to transfer funds to the Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development for the purpose of funding transportation-related needs of economic development; removing an obsolete provision; amending s. 337.025, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Transportation to utilize innovative contracting methods for projects funded under the American Recovery Reinvestment Act of 2009; reenacting s. 215.32(2)(b), F.S., relating to the source and use of certain trust funds in order to implement the transfer of moneys to the General Revenue Fund from trust funds in the 2009-2010 General Appropriations Act; amending s. 216.181, F.S.; permitting the Legislative Budget Commission to approve changes appropriated for fixed capital outlay projects when a state agency request is filed with the Executive Office of the Governor and funding is derived from the

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American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009; amending s. 339.08, F.S.; authorizing the transfer of specified moneys from the State Transportation Trust Fund to the General Revenue Fund; reducing the amount transferred from certain transportation calculation requirements; amending s. 394.908, F.S.; requiring that funds appropriated through the Community-Based Medicaid Administrative Claiming Program be allocated proportionately to contributed provider earnings; providing allocation requirements for specified funds appropriated for mental health services; requiring the Department of Children and Family Services to ensure information is entered into the Florida Safe Families Network; requiring coordination between the department and the Office of the State Courts Administrator to provide information relating to child welfare cases; requiring a report to the Governor and Legislature; amending s. 287.057, F.S.; extending authorization of the Department of Health to enter into an agreement with a private contractor relating to a facility for the treatment of patients with tuberculosis; amending s. 400.23, F.S.; prohibiting sanctions against a nursing home relating to failure to meet certain staffing ratios; amending s. 400.141, F.S.; prohibiting sanctions against a nursing home relating to failure to impose a moratorium on new admissions as long as the licensed nurse ratio is not below a specified level; authorizing the Department of Corrections and the Department of Juvenile Justice to make certain expenditures to defray costs incurred by a

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municipality or county as a result of opening or operating a facility under authority of the respective department; amending s. 216.262, F.S.; providing for additional positions to operate additional prison bed capacity under certain circumstances; authorizing the Department of Legal Affairs to transfer certain funds to pay salaries and benefits; amending s. 790.065, F.S.; extending date of sunset of firearms purchase program; amending s. 112.24, F.S.; providing conditions on the assignment of an employee of a state agency without reimbursement from the receiving agency; authorizing the Executive Office of the Governor to transfer funds between departments for purposes of aligning amounts paid for risk management premiums and for purposes of aligning amounts paid for human resource management services; amending s. 110.123, F.S.; providing for the state's monthly contribution for employees under the state group insurance program; amending s. 11.13, F.S.; providing for reduction in legislator salaries; amending s. 255.518, F.S.; revising provisions relating to payment of obligations during the construction of any facility financed by such obligations; amending s. 570.20, F.S.; delaying the expiration of provisions authorizing moneys in the General Inspection Trust Fund to be appropriated for certain programs operated by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; providing for future expiration of various provisions; providing for the effect of a veto of one or more specific appropriations or proviso to which

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