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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Committee on Transportation and Economic Development
Appropriations (Storms) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 187 - 191

and insert:

Section 8. Section 106.341, Florida Statutes, is created to
read:

106.341 Expenditure limits.-

(1) Any candidate for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or
Cabinet officer who requests contributions from the Election
Campaign Financing Trust Fund shall limit his or her total
expenditures as follows:



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12 (a) Governor or Lieutenant Governor: \$5 million.

13 (b) Cabinet officer: \$2 million.

14 (2) The expenditure limit for any candidate who has primary
15 election opposition only is 60 percent of the limit provided in
16 subsection (1).

17 (3) The expenditure limit shall be adjusted quadrennially
18 by the Secretary of State to reflect the rate of inflation or
19 deflation as indicated in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban
20 Consumers, U.S. City Average, All Items, 1967=100, or successor
21 reports as reported by the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the
22 United States Department of Labor.

23 (4) As used in this section, the term "expenditure" does
24 not include the payment of compensation for legal and accounting
25 services rendered on behalf of a candidate.

26 Section 9. Sections 1 through 7 of this act shall take
27 effect on the effective date of Senate Joint Resolution 566, or
28 a similar joint resolution having substantially the same
29 specific intent and purpose, if that joint resolution is
30 approved by the electors at the general election to be held in
31 November 2010, and section 8 of this act shall take effect upon
32 becoming a law.

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34 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====
35 And the title is amended as follows:

36 Delete line 9
37 and insert:

38 Constitution; creating s. 106.341, F.S.; providing
39 expenditure limits for certain candidates for
40 statewide office; providing contingent effective



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dates.