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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to coastal management; amending s.
3 163.3178, F.S.; including certain port-related
4 industrial or commercial project facilities within the
5 list of facilities that are not developments of
6 regional impact under certain circumstances; providing
7 an effective date.
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9 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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11 Section 1. Subsection (3) of section 163.3178, Florida
12 Statutes, is amended to read:

13 163.3178 Coastal management.—

14 (3) Expansions to port harbors, spoil disposal sites,
15 navigation channels, turning basins, harbor berths, and other
16 related inwater harbor facilities of ports listed in s.
17 403.021(9); port transportation facilities and projects listed
18 in s. 311.07(3)(b); ~~and~~ intermodal transportation facilities
19 identified pursuant to s. 311.09(3); and facilities determined
20 by the Department of Community Affairs and the applicable
21 general-purpose government to be port-related industrial or
22 commercial projects that are located within or within 3 miles of
23 a port master plan area and that rely upon the use of port and
24 intermodal transportation facilities shall not be developments
25 of regional impact where such expansions, projects, or
26 facilities are consistent with comprehensive master plans that
27 are in compliance with this section.

28 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009.