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An act relating to trust funds; creating the Primary Care Services Trust Fund within the Agency for Health Care Administration; providing for administration of the trust fund and use of moneys therein; requiring balances to remain in the trust fund; providing for future review and termination or re-creation of the trust fund; providing a contingent effective date.

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

- Section 1. (1) The Primary Care Services Trust Fund is created within the Agency for Health Care Administration. All proceeds from the cigarette tax distributed pursuant to s. 210.205(1)(b) and (2)(a), Florida Statutes, shall be deposited in the trust fund and shall be used for the sole purpose of distribution to county health department clinics, free clinics, and federally qualified health centers.
- (2) Notwithstanding s. 216.301, Florida Statutes, and pursuant to s. 216.351, Florida Statutes, any balance in the trust fund at the end of any fiscal year shall remain in the trust fund and be available for carrying out the purposes of the trust fund.
- (3) Pursuant to the provisions of s. 19(f)(2), Art. III of the State Constitution, the trust fund shall, unless terminated sooner, be terminated on July 1, 2013. Prior to its scheduled termination, the trust fund shall be reviewed as provided in s. 215.3206(1) and (2), Florida Statutes.

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Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009, if House Bill 7A or similar legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law.

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