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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to collective bargaining; amending s. 447.203, F.S.; specifying that for resolution of a collective bargaining impasse certain constitutional officers are each deemed the "legislative body" with respect to their employees; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Subsection (10) of section 447.203, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

447.203 Definitions.—As used in this part:

(10) "Legislative body" means the State Legislature, the board of county commissioners, the district school board, the governing body of a municipality, or the governing body of an instrumentality or unit of government having authority to appropriate funds and establish policy governing the terms and conditions of employment and which, as the case may be, is the appropriate legislative body for the bargaining unit. For purposes of s. 447.403, the Board of Governors of the State University System, or the board's designee, shall be deemed to be the legislative body with respect to all employees of each constituent state university. For purposes of s. 447.403, the board of trustees of a community college shall be deemed to be the legislative body with respect to all employees of the community college. For purposes of s. 447.403, the sheriff, tax collector, property appraiser, supervisor of elections, and

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28	clerk of the circuit court shall each be deemed to be the
29	legislative body for their respective employees.
30	Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010.