

By the Committee on Budget

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1                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to pollution control; amending s.  
3           403.1835, F.S.; revising requirements for the deposit  
4           of funds used in providing financial assistance for  
5           water pollution control; requiring that such funds be  
6           deposited into the department's Federal Grants Trust  
7           Fund rather than the department's Grants and Donations  
8           Trust Fund; specifying additional uses of moneys  
9           deposited into the Federal Grants Trust Fund;  
10          providing an effective date.

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

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14           Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subsection (9) of section  
15           403.1835, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

16           403.1835 Water pollution control financial assistance.—

17           (9) Funds for the loans and grants authorized under this  
18           section must be managed as follows:

19           (b) Revenues from the loan grant allocations authorized  
20           under subsection (4), federal appropriations used for the  
21           purpose of administering this section, ~~state matching funds for~~  
22           ~~grants authorized by federal statute or other federal action,~~  
23           and service fees, and all earnings thereon, shall be deposited  
24           into the department's Federal Grants ~~and Donations~~ Trust Fund.  
25           Service fees and all earnings thereon must be used solely for  
26           program administration and other water quality activities  
27           specifically authorized pursuant to the Federal Water Pollution  
28           Control Act (Clean Water Act), Pub. L. No. 92-500, as amended,  
29           and set forth in 40 C.F.R. part 35, Guidance on Fees Charged by

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30 States to Recipients of Clean Water State Revolving Fund Program  
31 Assistance. The loan grant allocation revenues and earnings  
32 thereon must be used solely for the purpose of making grants to  
33 financially disadvantaged small communities. Federal  
34 appropriations and state matching funds for grants authorized by  
35 federal statute or other federal action, and earnings thereon,  
36 must be used solely for the purposes authorized. All deposits  
37 into the department's Federal Grants ~~and Donations~~ Trust Fund  
38 under this section, and earnings thereon, must be accounted for  
39 separately from all other moneys deposited into the fund.

40 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2011.