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Senator Detert moved the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Delete lines 2498 - 2572

and insert:

3. The Attorney General or his or her designee.

4. The Commissioner of Agriculture of his or her designee.

~~5.3.~~ The chairperson of the board of directors of Workforce  
Florida, Inc.

~~6.4.~~ The Secretary of State or the secretary's designee.

~~7.5.~~ Twelve members from the private sector, six of whom  
shall be appointed by the Governor, three of whom shall be  
appointed by the President of the Senate, and three of whom  
shall be appointed by the Speaker of the House of



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14 Representatives. Members appointed by the Governor ~~All~~  
15 ~~appointees~~ are subject to Senate confirmation.

16 Section 80. Paragraph (d) of subsection (2) and subsection  
17 (3) of section 288.980, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

18 288.980 Military base retention; legislative intent; grants  
19 program.—

20 (2)

21 (d) In making grant awards the department ~~office~~ shall  
22 consider, at a minimum, the following factors:

23 1. The relative value of the particular military  
24 installation in terms of its importance to the local and state  
25 economy relative to other military installations vulnerable to  
26 closure.

27 2. The potential job displacement within the local  
28 community should the military installation be closed.

29 3. The potential adverse impact on industries and  
30 technologies which service the military installation.

31 (3) The Florida Economic Reinvestment Initiative is  
32 established to respond to the need for this state and defense-  
33 dependent communities in this state to develop alternative  
34 economic diversification strategies to lessen reliance on  
35 national defense dollars in the wake of base closures and  
36 reduced federal defense expenditures and the need to formulate  
37 specific base reuse plans and identify any specific  
38 infrastructure needed to facilitate reuse. The initiative shall  
39 consist of the following three ~~two~~ distinct grant programs to be  
40 administered by the department:

41 (a) The Florida Defense Planning Grant Program, through  
42 which funds shall be used to analyze the extent to which the



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43 state is dependent on defense dollars and defense infrastructure  
44 and prepare alternative economic development strategies. The  
45 state shall work in conjunction with defense-dependent  
46 communities in developing strategies and approaches that will  
47 help communities make the transition from a defense economy to a  
48 nondefense economy. Grant awards may not exceed \$250,000 per  
49 applicant and shall be available on a competitive basis.

50 (b) The Florida Defense Implementation Grant Program,  
51 through which funds shall be made available to defense-dependent  
52 communities to implement the diversification strategies  
53 developed pursuant to paragraph (a). Eligible applicants include  
54 defense-dependent counties and cities, and local economic  
55 development councils located within such communities. Grant  
56 awards may not exceed \$100,000 per applicant and shall be  
57 available on a competitive basis. Awards shall be matched on a  
58 one-to-one basis.

59 (c) The Florida Military Installation Reuse Planning and  
60 Marketing Grant Program, through which funds shall be used to  
61 help counties, cities, and local economic development councils  
62 develop and implement plans for the reuse of closed or realigned  
63 military installations, including any necessary infrastructure  
64 improvements needed to facilitate reuse and related marketing  
65 activities.

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67 Applications for grants under this subsection must include  
68 a coordinated program of work or plan of action delineating how  
69 the eligible project will be administered and accomplished,  
70 which must include a plan for ensuring close cooperation between  
71 civilian and military authorities in the conduct of the funded



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72 activities and a plan for public involvement.

73 Section 81. Section 331.3081, Florida Statutes, is amended  
74 to read:

75 331.3081 Board of directors; ~~advisory board.~~

76 ~~(1)~~ Space Florida shall be governed by a 13-member ~~12-~~

77 ~~member~~ independent board of directors that consists of the

78 members appointed to the board of directors of Enterprise

79 Florida, Inc., by the Governor, the President of the Senate, and

80 the Speaker of the House of Representatives pursuant to s.

81 288.901(5)(a)7 ~~288.901(5)(a)5~~. The Governor or the Governor's

82 designee shall be

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85 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

86 And the title is amended as follows:

87 Delete line 31

88 and insert:

89 s. 288.901, F.S.; adding the Attorney General and the

90 Commissioner of Agriculture to the board of directors

91 of Enterprise Florida, Inc.; limiting the requirement

92 that