

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to the Department of Children and
3 Family Services; providing conditions for the
4 department to outsource certain housekeeping and
5 environmental functions at specified hospitals;
6 requiring submission of a budget amendment to the
7 Legislative Budget Commission if certain savings can
8 be achieved without outsourcing such functions;
9 providing an effective date.

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

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13 Section 1. Notwithstanding the first two paragraphs of
14 proviso language following Specific Appropriation 350 of the
15 2012-2013 General Appropriations Act, the Department of Children
16 and Family Services shall consider whether the savings required
17 in the 2012-2013 General Appropriations Act can be achieved
18 without outsourcing housekeeping functions and environmental
19 functions at the Florida State Hospital and housekeeping
20 functions at the Northeast Florida State Hospital. If the
21 department determines that these savings can be achieved without
22 outsourcing these functions, the department shall submit a
23 detailed plan describing how the budget savings will be achieved
24 and a budget amendment to the Legislative Budget Commission
25 pursuant to chapter 216, Florida Statutes, to realign the
26 department's budget accordingly. Notwithstanding section
27 216.262, Florida Statutes, the budget amendment may include a
28 request for an increase in authorized positions.

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Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.