

By Senator Dean

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1                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to enterprise zones; creating s.  
3           290.00729, F.S.; authorizing Citrus County to apply to  
4           the Department of Economic Opportunity for designation  
5           of an enterprise zone; providing an application  
6           deadline and requirements; authorizing the department  
7           to designate an enterprise zone in Citrus County;  
8           requiring the department to establish the effective  
9           date of the enterprise zone; providing an effective  
10          date.

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

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14           Section 1. Section 290.00729, Florida Statutes, is created  
15 to read:

16           290.00729 Enterprise zone designation for Citrus County.-  
17 Citrus County may apply to the department for designation of one  
18 enterprise zone for an area within Citrus County. The  
19 application must have been submitted by December 31, 2012, and  
20 must comply with the requirements of s. 290.0055.  
21 Notwithstanding s. 290.0065 limiting the total number of  
22 enterprise zones designated and the number of enterprise zones  
23 within a population category, the department may designate one  
24 enterprise zone under this section. The department shall  
25 establish the initial effective date of the enterprise zone  
26 designated under this section.

27           Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2012.