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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Senator Brandes moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 227 - 239

and insert:

Section 8. Subsection (4) of section 338.165, Florida Statutes, is amended, and subsection (11) is added to that section, to read:

338.165 Continuation of tolls.—

(4) Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, pursuant to s. 11, Art. VII of the State Constitution, and subject to the requirements of subsection (2), the Department of Transportation



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12 may request the Division of Bond Finance to issue bonds secured
13 by toll revenues collected on the Alligator Alley ~~and~~ the
14 Sunshine Skyway Bridge, ~~the Beeline East Expressway, the Navarre~~
15 ~~Bridge, and the Pinellas Bayway~~ to fund transportation projects
16 located within the county or counties in which the project is
17 located and contained in the adopted work program of the
18 department.

19 (11) The department's Pinellas Bayway System may be
20 transferred by the department and become part of the turnpike
21 system under the Florida Turnpike Enterprise Law. The transfer
22 does not affect the rights of the parties, or their successors
23 in interest, under the settlement agreement and final judgment
24 in Leonard Lee Ratner, Esther Ratner, and Leeco Gas and Oil Co.
25 v. State Road Department of the State of Florida, No. 67-1081
26 (Fla. 2nd Cir. Ct. 1968). Upon transfer of the Pinellas Bayway
27 System to the turnpike system, the department shall also
28 transfer to the Florida Turnpike Enterprise the funds deposited
29 in the reserve account established by chapter 85-364, Laws of
30 Florida, as amended by chapters 95-382 and 2014-223, Laws of
31 Florida, which funds shall be used by the Florida Turnpike
32 Enterprise solely to help fund the costs of repair or
33 replacement of the transferred facilities.

34 Section 9. Chapter 85-364, Laws of Florida, as amended by
35 chapters 95-382 and section 48 of 2014-223, Laws of Florida, is
36 repealed.

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

39 And the title is amended as follows:

40 Delete line 34



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41 and insert:

42 secure bonds; authorizing the department's Pinellas
43 Bayway System to be transferred by the department and
44 become part of the turnpike system under the Florida
45 Turnpike Enterprise Law; providing applicability;
46 repealing chapter 85-364, Laws of Florida, as amended,
47 relating to the Pinellas Bayway; amending s. 338.231,
48 F.S.; relating to