

1                                   A bill to be entitled  
 2           An act relating to trust funds; creating s. 944.73,  
 3           F.S.; creating the State-Operated Institutions Inmate  
 4           Welfare Trust Fund within the Department of  
 5           Corrections; providing a purpose; providing for future  
 6           review and termination or re-creation of the trust  
 7           fund; providing a contingent effective date.

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

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11           Section 1.   Section 944.73, Florida Statutes, is created to  
 12   read:

13           944.73 State-Operated Institutions Inmate Welfare Trust  
 14   Fund.—

15           (1) The State-Operated Institutions Inmate Welfare Trust  
 16   Fund is created within the department. The purpose of the trust  
 17   fund is the benefit and welfare of inmates incarcerated in  
 18   state-operated correctional facilities.

19           (2) Moneys shall be deposited in and expenditures made  
 20   from the trust fund as provided in s. 945.215.

21           (3) In accordance with s. 19(f)(2), Art. III of the State  
 22   Constitution, the State-Operated Institutions Inmate Welfare  
 23   Trust Fund shall, unless terminated sooner, be terminated on  
 24   July 1, 2020. Before its scheduled termination, the trust fund  
 25   shall be reviewed as provided in s. 215.3206(1) and (2).

26           Section 2.   This act shall take effect on the same date

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27 | that HB 755 or similar legislation takes effect, if such  
28 | legislation is enacted in the same legislative session or an  
29 | extension thereof and becomes law, and only if this act is  
30 | enacted by a three-fifths vote of the membership of each house  
31 | of the Legislature.