

HB 647

2017

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to the Hillsborough County Public
3 Transportation Commission; prohibiting the commission
4 from incurring additional obligations or indebtedness;
5 requiring the commission to wind down its affairs,
6 liquidate its assets, and satisfy its obligations and
7 indebtedness by a specified date; repealing chs. 98-
8 451, 2001-299, 2007-297, 2008-290, 2010-265, 2010-272,
9 and 2012-247, Laws of Florida; dissolving the
10 commission; amending ch. 2000-445, Laws of Florida, as
11 amended; correcting a cross reference; providing
12 effective dates.

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

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16 Section 1. Effective upon this act becoming a law, the
17 Hillsborough County Public Transportation Commission shall not
18 incur any additional obligations or indebtedness and shall avoid
19 wasting its assets. By December 31, 2017, the Hillsborough
20 County Public Transportation Commission shall wind down its
21 affairs, including liquidating all of its assets and satisfying
22 all of its obligations and indebtedness.

23 Section 2. Chapters 98-451, 2001-299, 2007-297, 2008-290,
24 2010-265, 2010-272, and 2012-247, Laws of Florida, are repealed.

25 Section 3. Notwithstanding s. 189.072(2), Florida
 26 Statutes, the Hillsborough County Public Transportation
 27 Commission is dissolved.

28 Section 4. Subsection (1) of section 4 of chapter 2000-
 29 445, Laws of Florida, as amended by chapter 2014-230, Laws of
 30 Florida, is amended to read:

31 Section 4. Application.—

32 (1) The provisions of this act apply to all classified
 33 personnel employed by the following agencies or authorities
 34 within the county: the commission, the county administrator,
 35 clerk of the circuit court, supervisor of elections, property
 36 appraiser, tax collector, sheriff, environmental protection
 37 commission, aviation authority, port authority, planning
 38 commission, ~~public transportation commission~~, expressway
 39 authority, law library, legislative delegation, soil and water
 40 conservation district, civil service board, sports authority,
 41 children's board, county attorney, arts council, victim
 42 assistance, and any other agency or authority not expressly
 43 exempt from this act. Each municipality in the county, the
 44 judiciary, and the District School Board of the county are
 45 expressly exempt from this act until and unless each executes an
 46 interlocal agreement with the board pursuant to general law.
 47 Positions within the Administrative Office of the Courts which
 48 were classified as of January 1, 1998, and which are funded by
 49 the county are subject to section 13 of this act.

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50 Section 5. Except as otherwise expressly provided in this
51 act and except for this section, which shall take effect upon
52 this act becoming a law, this act shall take effect December 31,
53 2017.