By the Committee on Appropriations; and Senator Gibson

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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to trust funds; creating s. 20.151, F.S.; creating the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Matching Endowment Scholarship Trust Fund within the Department of Education; providing for the purpose of the trust fund and source of funds; providing for future review and termination or recreation of the trust fund; providing a contingent effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 20.151, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

20.151 Historically Black Colleges and Universities Matching Endowment Scholarship Trust Fund.—

(1) The Historically Black Colleges and Universities

Matching Endowment Scholarship Trust Fund is created within the

Department of Education.

(2) The trust fund is established for use as a depository for funds to be used for purposes of the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Matching Endowment Scholarship Program established under s. 1009.894.

(3) Moneys to be credited to the trust fund shall consist of an appropriation from the Legislature and matching funds from participating historically black colleges and universities in the state.

(4) In accordance with s. 19(f)(2), Art. III of the State Constitution, the trust fund shall, unless terminated sooner, be

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terminated on July 1, 2022. Before its scheduled termination, the trust fund shall be reviewed as provided in s. 215.3206(1) and (2).

Section 2. This act shall take effect on the same date that SB 1526 or similar legislation takes effect if such legislation is enacted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes law, and only if this act is enacted by a three-fifths vote of the membership of each house of the Legislature.