

# CHAPTER 97-97

## Senate Bill No. 424

An act relating to the official Florida Statutes; amending ss. 11.2421, 11.2422, 11.2424, and 11.2425, Florida Statutes; adopting the Florida Statutes 1997 and designating the portions thereof that are to constitute the official law of the state; providing that the Florida Statutes 1997 shall be effective immediately upon publication; providing that general laws enacted during the 1995 regular legislative session and prior thereto and not included in the Florida Statutes 1997 are repealed; providing that general laws enacted during the 1996 regular session and the 1997 regular session are not repealed by this adoption act.

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

Section 1. Section 11.2421, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

11.2421 Florida Statutes 1997 ~~1995~~ adopted.—The accompanying revision, consolidation, and compilation of the public statutes of 1995 ~~1993~~ of a general and permanent nature, excepting tables, rules, indexes, and other related matter contained therein, prepared by the joint committee under the provisions of s. 11.242, together with corrections, changes, and amendments to and repeals of provisions of Florida Statutes 1995 ~~1993~~ enacted in additional reviser's bill or bills by the 1997 ~~1995~~ Legislature, is adopted and enacted as the official statute law of the state under the title of "Florida Statutes 1997 ~~1995~~" and shall take effect immediately upon publication. Said statutes may be cited as "Florida Statutes 1997 ~~1995~~," "Florida Statutes," or "F.S. 1997 ~~1995~~."

Section 2. Section 11.2422, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

11.2422 Statutes repealed.—Every statute of a general and permanent nature enacted by the State or by the Territory of Florida at or prior to the regular 1995 and ~~special~~ ~~1993~~ legislative sessions up to and including the ~~special session of May 24 to May 28, 1993,~~ and every part of such statute, not included in Florida Statutes 1997 ~~1995~~, as adopted by s. 11.2421, as amended, or recognized and continued in force by reference therein or in ss. 11.2423 and 11.2424, as amended, is repealed, ~~provided that chapter 92-121, Laws of Florida, shall not be repealed and shall be codified.~~

Section 3. Section 11.2424, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

11.2424 Laws not repealed.—Laws enacted at the 1996 ~~November 1993~~ ~~special session, the 1994~~ regular session, and the 1997 ~~1995~~ regular session are not repealed by the adoption and enactment of the Florida Statutes 1997 ~~1995~~ by s. 11.2421, as amended, but shall have full effect as if enacted after its said adoption and enactment.

Section 4. Section 11.2425, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

11.2425 Rights reserved under repealed statutes.—The repeal of any statute by the adoption and enactment of Florida Statutes 1997 ~~1995~~, by s. 11.2421, as amended, shall not affect any right accrued before such repeal or any civil remedy where a suit is pending.

Became a law without the Governor's approval May 24, 1997.

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