

Senate Bill No. 824

An act relating to trust funds; re-creating the Juvenile Welfare Trust Fund within the Department of Juvenile Justice without modification; carrying forward current balances and continuing current sources and uses thereof; repealing s. 985.4041(3), F.S., relating to termination and review of the trust fund, to conform; providing an effective date.

WHEREAS, the Legislature wishes to extend the life of the Juvenile Welfare Trust Fund within the Department of Juvenile Justice, which is otherwise scheduled to be terminated pursuant to law, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature has reviewed the trust fund before its scheduled termination date and has found that it continues to meet an important public purpose, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature has found that existing public policy concerning the trust fund sets adequate parameters for its use, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. (1) The Juvenile Welfare Trust Fund within the Department of Juvenile Justice, which has no FLAIR number and which is to be terminated on July 1, 2002, pursuant to section 985.4041(3), Florida Statutes, in accordance with Section 19(f), Article III of the State Constitution, is re-created.

(2) All current balances of the trust fund are carried forward, and all current sources and uses of the trust fund are continued.

Section 2. Subsection (3) of section 985.4041, Florida Statutes, is repealed.

Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2002.

Approved by the Governor April 23, 2002.

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