

Senate Bill No. 2100

An act relating to trust funds; re-creating the Shared County/State Juvenile Detention Trust Fund within the Department of Juvenile Justice without modification; repealing s. 985.6015(3), F.S.; abrogating provisions relating to the termination of the trust fund, to conform; amending s. 985.686, F.S.; requiring counties to deposit funds for the costs for juvenile detention into the Shared County/State Juvenile Detention Trust Fund rather than the Juvenile Justice Grants and Donations Trust Fund; providing an effective date.

WHEREAS, the Legislature wishes to extend the life of the Shared County/State Juvenile Detention Trust Fund within the Department of Juvenile Justice, which is otherwise scheduled to be terminated pursuant to constitutional mandate, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature has reviewed the trust fund before its scheduled termination date and has found 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. The Shared County/State Juvenile Detention Trust Fund within the Department of Juvenile Justice, FLAIR number 80-2-685, which is to be terminated pursuant to Section 19(f), Article III of the State Constitution on July 1, 2009, is re-created.

Section 2. Subsection (3) of section 985.6015, Florida Statutes, is repealed.

Section 3. Subsection (6) of section 985.686, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

985.686 Shared county and state responsibility for juvenile detention.—

(6) Each county shall pay to the department for deposit into the Shared County/State Juvenile Detention ~~Juvenile Justice Grants and Donations~~ Trust Fund its share of the county's total costs for juvenile detention, based upon calculations published by the department with input from the counties.

Section 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008.

Approved by the Governor April 21, 2008.

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