

CHAPTER 2016-191

Senate Bill No. 716

An act relating to the Florida Holocaust Memorial; creating s. 265.005, F.S.; providing legislative intent; establishing the Florida Holocaust Memorial; providing for administration by the Department of Management Services; prohibiting the department from constructing and placing the memorial until certain conditions are met; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 265.005, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

265.005 Florida Holocaust Memorial.—

(1) It is the intent of the Legislature to recognize and commemorate the millions of people, including six million Jews, murdered by the Nazis and their collaborators before and during World War II in Europe and to honor the survivors of the Holocaust through the establishment of the Florida Holocaust Memorial.

(2) There is established the Florida Holocaust Memorial.

(a) The memorial is administered by the Department of Management Services.

(b) The Department of Management Services shall set aside an appropriate public area for the memorial on the premises of the Capitol Complex, as defined in s. 281.01, but not including the State Capital Circle Office Complex. The department shall construct and place the Florida Holocaust Memorial after it has considered the recommendations of the Florida Historical Commission as required pursuant to ss. 265.111 and 267.0612(9) and coordinated with the Division of Historical Resources of the Department of State regarding the memorial's design and placement.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2016.

Approved by the Governor April 6, 2016.

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