

CHAPTER 2021-53

Senate Bill No. 312

An act relating to the Florida Statutes; amending ss. 335.066, 339.81, and 380.276, F.S., and repealing s. 338.065, F.S., to conform to the directive of the Legislature in section 9 of chapter 2012-116, Laws of Florida, codified as section 11.242(5)(j), Florida Statutes, to prepare a reviser's bill to omit all statutes and laws, or parts thereof, which grant duplicative, redundant, or unused rulemaking authority; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Subsection (3) of section 335.066, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

335.066 Safe Paths to Schools Program.—

~~(3) The department may adopt appropriate rules pursuant to ss. 120.536(1) and 120.54 for the administration of the Safe Paths to Schools Program.~~

Section 2. Section 338.065, Florida Statutes, is repealed.

Section 3. Subsection (7) of section 339.81, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

339.81 Florida Shared-Use Nonmotorized Trail Network.—

~~(7) The department may adopt rules to aid in the development and maintenance of components of the network.~~

Section 4. Subsections (2) and (5) of section 380.276, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

380.276 Beaches and coastal areas; display of uniform warning and safety flags at public beaches; placement of uniform notification signs; beach safety education.—

(2) The Department of Environmental Protection, through the Florida Coastal Management Program, shall direct and coordinate the uniform warning and safety flag program. The purpose of the program shall be to encourage the display of uniform warning and safety flags at public beaches along the coast of the state and to encourage the placement of uniform notification signs that provide the meaning of such flags. Unless additional safety and warning devices are authorized pursuant to subsection ~~(6)~~ (7), only warning and safety flags developed by the department shall be displayed. Participation in the program shall be open to any government having jurisdiction over a public beach along the coast, whether or not the beach has lifeguards.

~~(5) The Department of Environmental Protection may adopt rules pursuant to ss. 120.536(1) and 120.54 necessary to administer this section.~~

Reviser's note.—This act amends or repeals provisions of the Florida Statutes pursuant to the directive of the Legislature in s. 9, ch. 2012-116, Laws of Florida, codified as s. 11.242(5)(j), Florida Statutes, to prepare a reviser's bill to omit all statutes and laws, or parts thereof, which grant duplicative, redundant, or unused rulemaking authority.

Section 5. This act shall take effect on the 60th day after adjournment sine die of the session of the Legislature in which enacted.

Approved by the Governor June 4, 2021.

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