CHAPTER 2024-22

Senate Bill No. 1720

An act relating to marine encroachment on military operations; amending s. 163.3175, F.S.; requiring local governments to cooperate with certain major military installations and ranges to encourage compatible land use in associated areas; making technical changes; providing an effective date.

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

- Section 1. Subsection (2) of section 163.3175, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
- 163.3175 Legislative findings on compatibility of development with military installations; exchange of information between local governments and military installations <u>and ranges.</u>—
- (2) Certain major military installations <u>and ranges</u>, due to their mission and activities, have a greater potential for experiencing compatibility and coordination issues than others. Consequently, this section and the provisions in s. 163.3177(6)(a), relating to compatibility of land development with military installations, apply to specific affected local governments in proximity to and in association with specific military installations <u>and ranges</u>, as follows:
- (a) Avon Park Air Force Range, associated with Highlands, Okeechobee, Osceola, and Polk Counties and Avon Park, Sebring, and Frostproof.
- (b) Camp Blanding, associated with Clay, Bradford, and Putnam Counties.
- (c) Eglin Air Force Base and Hurlburt Field, associated with Gulf, Okaloosa, Santa Rosa, and Walton Counties and Cinco Bayou, Crestview, Destin, DeFuniak Springs, Fort Walton Beach, Freeport, Laurel Hill, Mary Esther, Niceville, Shalimar, and Valparaiso.
- (d) Homestead Air Reserve Base, associated with Miami-Dade County and Homestead.
- (e) Jacksonville Training Range Complex, associated with Lake, Marion, Putnam, and Volusia Counties.
 - (f) MacDill Air Force Base, associated with Tampa.
- (g) Naval Air Station Jacksonville, Marine Corps Support Facility-Blount Island, and outlying landing field Whitehouse, associated with Jacksonville.

- (h) Naval Air Station Key West, including various annexes across Boca Chica Key and Key West as well as the Fleming Bay/Patton Water Drop Zone training range used by the Army Special Forces Underwater Operations School, associated with Monroe County and Key West.
- (i) Naval Support Activity Orlando, including Bugg Spring and Naval Ordnance Test Unit, associated with Orange County and Orlando.
- (j) Naval Support Activity Panama City, associated with Bay County, Panama City, and Panama City Beach.
 - (k) Naval Air Station Pensacola, associated with Escambia County.
- (1) Naval Air Station Whiting Field and its outlying landing fields, associated with Santa Rosa and Escambia Counties.
- (m) Naval Station Mayport, associated with Atlantic Beach and Jacksonville.
- (n) Patrick Space Force Base and Cape Canaveral Space Force Station, associated with Brevard County and Satellite Beach.
- (o) Tyndall Air Force Base, associated with Bay County and Mexico Beach and Parker.
- (p) United States Southern Command, associated with Miami-Dade County and Doral.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2024.

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