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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Committee on Transportation (Brandes) recommended the following:

1 **Senate Amendment to Amendment (450614) (with title**
2 **amendment)**

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4 Between lines 327 and 328
5 insert:

6 Section 3. Section 348.53, Florida Statutes, is amended to
7 read:

8 348.53 Purposes of the authority.—The authority is created
9 for the purposes and shall have power to construct, reconstruct,
10 improve, extend, repair, maintain and operate the expressway



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11 system. It is hereby found and declared that such purposes are
12 in all respects for the benefit of the people of the State of
13 Florida, City of Tampa and the County of Hillsborough, for the
14 increase of their pleasure, convenience and welfare, for the
15 improvement of their health, to facilitate transportation,
16 including managed lanes, for their recreation and commerce and
17 for the common defense. The authority shall be performing a
18 public purpose and a governmental function in carrying out its
19 corporate purpose and in exercising the powers granted herein.

20 Section 4. Subsection (15) of section 348.54, Florida
21 Statutes, is created to read:

22 348.54 Powers of the authority.—Except as otherwise limited
23 herein, the authority shall have the power:

24 (15) With the consent of the county within whose
25 jurisdiction the following activities occur, the authority shall
26 have the right to construct, operate, and maintain roads,
27 bridges, avenues of access, thoroughfares, boulevards and
28 managed lanes outside the jurisdictional boundaries of
29 Hillsborough County and within the jurisdictional boundaries of
30 counties contiguous to Hillsborough County together with the
31 right to construct, repair, replace, operate, install, and
32 maintain facilities and electronic toll payment systems thereon
33 or incidental thereto, with all necessary and incidental powers
34 to accomplish the foregoing.

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37 And the title is amended as follows:

38 Delete line 643

39 and insert:



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40 348.53, F.S.; revising the Legislative declaration of
41 the Tampa-Hillsborough County Expressway Authority's
42 purposes for the benefit of the people to include
43 managed lanes; amending s. 348.54, F.S.; authorizing
44 the Tampa-Hillsborough County Expressway Authority to
45 construct, operate, and maintain certain
46 transportation facilities within the jurisdictional
47 boundaries of a consenting county contiguous to
48 Hillsborough County, together with the right to
49 construct, operate, and maintain facilities and
50 electronic toll payment systems thereon or incidental
51 thereto; amending s. 343.1003, F.S.; conforming a
52 cross-reference;