

By the Committee on Transportation & Economic Development
Appropriations and Representative Merchant

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to trust funds; re-creating the
3 Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund within
4 the Department of Transportation without
5 modification; carrying forward current balances
6 and continuing current sources and uses
7 thereof; providing an effective date.

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9 WHEREAS, the Legislature wishes to extend the life of
10 the Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund within the
11 Department of Transportation, which is otherwise scheduled to
12 be terminated pursuant to constitutional mandate, and

13 WHEREAS, the Legislature has reviewed the
14 Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund within the Department
15 of Transportation before its scheduled termination date and
16 has found that it continues to meet an important public
17 purpose, and

18 WHEREAS, the Legislature has found that existing public
19 policy concerning the Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund
20 within the Department of Transportation sets adequate
21 parameters for its use, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

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25 Section 1. The Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund
26 within the Department of Transportation, SAMAS number 552731,
27 which was created by section 427.0159, Florida Statutes, and
28 which is to be terminated pursuant to Section 19(f), Article
29 III of the State Constitution on November 4, 2000, is
30 re-created.

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