

SENATE STAFF ANALYSIS AND ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT

(This document is based only on the provisions contained in the legislation as of the latest date listed below.)

BILL: CS/SB 1650

SPONSOR: Committee on Fiscal Policy and Senator Laurent

SUBJECT: Care and Maintenance Trust Fund

DATE: March 24, 1999

REVISED: _____

	ANALYST	STAFF DIRECTOR	REFERENCE	ACTION
1.	<u>Mannelli</u>	<u>Hadi</u>	<u>FP</u>	<u>Favorable/CS</u>
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I. Summary:

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill 1650 creates the Juvenile Care and Maintenance Trust Fund in the Department of Juvenile Justice for the benefit of juvenile offenders.

II. Present Situation:

The Department of Juvenile Justice is utilizing the statutory authority granted in s. 402.17, Florida Statutes, to deposit and invest funds received on behalf of juvenile offenders in the custody of the department. Continued use of the authority of s. 402.17, F.S., is problematic since that section applies to the Department of Children and Family Services.

III. Effect of Proposed Changes:

The Juvenile Care and Maintenance Trust Fund created by this bill would enable the Department of Juvenile Justice to no longer use a similar trust fund in the Department of Children and Family Services. It would allow the Department of Juvenile Justice to administer money or property received for the personal use or benefit of individual youth in its custody. The Department would be able to deposit and invest funds and withdraw funds to meet current needs of youth on whose behalf the funds were deposited or invested.

IV. Constitutional Issues:**A. Municipality/County Mandates Restrictions:**

None.

B. Public Records/Open Meetings Issues:

None.

C. Trust Funds Restrictions:

None.

D. Other Constitutional Issues:**V. Economic Impact and Fiscal Note:****A. Tax/Fee Issues:**

None.

B. Private Sector Impact:**C. Government Sector Impact:****VI. Technical Deficiencies:**

None.

VII. Related Issues:

None.

VIII. Amendments:

None.