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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to state air travel; requiring
3 the Department of Management Services to
4 establish a central database to maintain a
5 record of all state-related travel; providing
6 an appropriation for the development,
7 maintenance, and improvements to the database;
8 requiring the Comptroller to establish object
9 codes that uniquely identify expenses related
10 to air travel, car rental, and motel or hotel
11 accommodations; authorizing the Department of
12 Management Services to negotiate and contract
13 with an air carrier for service; requiring
14 local matching funds; providing an effective
15 date.

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

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19 Section 1. (1) The Department of Management Services
20 shall establish and maintain a central database to record and
21 maintain all state-approved or reimbursed travel, including
22 information related to each employee's origination and
23 destination and any other information considered necessary by
24 the department. The department may contract with an outside
25 firm for the creation or maintenance of the database and may
26 expend funds to develop, maintain, and improve the database.
27 On January 1, 2001, and annually thereafter, the department
28 shall furnish to the Legislature and the Governor a summary of
29 all state travel and any recommendations for approving the
30 efficiency or cost of that travel.

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