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8 9 An act relating to the re-creation of the Florida Forever Program Trust Fund without modification; re-creating the trust fund; carrying forward current balances and continuing current sources and uses thereof; repealing s. 20.3315(3), F.S., which provides for the future termination of the trust fund; providing an effective date.

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WHEREAS, the Legislature wishes to extend the life of the Florida Forever Program Trust Fund, which is otherwise scheduled to be terminated pursuant to constitutional mandate, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature has reviewed the trust fund before its scheduled termination date and has found that it continues to meet an important public purpose, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature has found that existing public policy concerning the trust fund sets adequate parameters for its use, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. (1) The Florida Forever Program Trust Fund within the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, FLAIR Number 77-2-349, which was created by chapter 2000-280, Laws of Florida, and which is to be terminated pursuant to Section 19(f), Article III of the State Constitution on July 1, 2004, is re-created.

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          (2) All current balances of the trust fund are carried
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           Section 2. Subsection (3) of section 20.3315, Florida
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    Statutes, as created by section 1 of chapter 2000-280, Laws of
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           Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2004.
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