SENATE STAFF ANALYSIS AND ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT

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

BILL:	SB 784				
SPONSOR:	Senator Cowin				
SUBJECT:	Operating Trust Fund				
DATE:	E: December 20, 2001 REVISED:				
	ANALYST	STAFF DIRECTOR	REFERENCE	ACTION	
1. Mannelli		Beck	APJ	Favorable	
2.			AP	Withdrawn: Favorable	
3.					
4.					
5.					
6.	<u>.</u>				

I. Summary:

This legislation re-creates the Operating Trust Fund without modification, effective upon becoming a law. The Operating Trust Fund, FLAIR #70-2-510, is administered by the Department of Corrections. This fund was created by Chapter 98-348.

II. Present Situation:

The Operating Trust Fund was created to receive funds generated by court-imposed fees, cost of supervision payments and subsistence payments by inmates in community facilities.

III. Effect of Proposed Changes:

This bill re-creates the trust fund without modification.

IV. Constitutional Issues:

A. Municipality/County Mandates Restrictions:

None.

B. Public Records/Open Meetings Issues:

None.

C. Trust Funds Restrictions:

None.

V. Economic Impact and Fiscal Note:

A. Tax/Fee Issues:

None.

B. Private Sector Impact:

None.

C. Government Sector Impact:

This legislation has no fiscal impact on state agencies or state funds, on local governments as a whole or on the private sector. It simply re-creates, without modification, an existing state trust fund and continues the current use of the fund.

VI. Technical Deficiencies:

None.

VII. Related Issues:

None.

VIII. Amendments:

None.

This Senate staff analysis does not reflect the intent or official position of the bill's sponsor or the Florida Senate.