By Senator Cowin

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| | 309-943-02 See HB |
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| 1 | A bill to be entitled |
| 2 | An act relating to trust funds; terminating and |
| 3 | re-creating the Federal Law Enforcement Trust |
| 4 | Fund within the Department of Law Enforcement |
| 5 | without modification; carrying forward current |
| 6 | balances and continuing current sources and |
| 7 | uses thereof; providing an effective date. |
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| 9 | WHEREAS, the Legislature wishes to extend the life of |
| 10 | the Federal Law Enforcement Trust Fund within the Department |
| 11 | of Law Enforcement, which is otherwise scheduled to be |
| 12 | terminated pursuant to constitutional mandate, and |
| 13 | WHEREAS, the Legislature has reviewed the trust fund |
| 14 | before its scheduled termination date and has found that it |
| 15 | continues to meet an important public purpose, and |
| 16 | WHEREAS, the Legislature has found that existing public |
| 17 | policy concerning the trust fund sets adequate parameters for |
| 18 | its use, NOW, THEREFORE, |
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| 20 | Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: |
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| 22 | Section 1. (1) The Federal Law Enforcement Trust Fund |
| 23 | within the Department of Law Enforcement, FLAIR number |
| 24 | 71-2-719, which is to be terminated pursuant to Section 19(f), |
| 25 | Article III of the State Constitution on July 1, 2006, unless |
| 26 | terminated sooner by law, is terminated on November 4, 2004, |
| 27 | and re-created. |
| 28 | (2) All current balances of the trust fund are carried |
| 29 | forward, and all current sources and uses of the trust fund |
| 30 | are continued. |

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                Section 2. This act shall take effect November 4,
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        Terminates and re-creates the Federal Law Enforcement Trust Fund within the Department of Law Enforcement in order to synchronize its review cycle with other trust funds of the department.
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