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17-1431-04 See HB 915 A bill to be entitled 1 2 An act relating to enterprise zones; creating s. 290.00702, F.S.; authorizing the City of 3 4 Lake Wales to apply to the Office of Tourism, 5 Trade, and Economic Development to designate an 6 enterprise zone; providing requirements; 7 requiring the office to establish an effective date of the designated enterprise zone; 8 9 providing an effective date. 10 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 11 12 Section 1. Section 290.00702, Florida Statutes, is 13 created to read: 14 290.00702 Enterprise zone designation for the City of 15 Lake Wales. -- The City of Lake Wales may apply to the Office of 16 17 Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development for designation of one enterprise zone for an area within the City of Lake Wales, 18 19 which zone shall encompass an area up to 3 contiguous square 20 miles. The application must be submitted by December 31, 2004, 21 and must comply with the requirements of s. 290.0055. 22 Notwithstanding the provisions of s. 290.0065, limiting the 23 total number of enterprise zones designated and the number of enterprise zones within a population category, the Office of 24 25 Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development may designate one 26 enterprise zone under this section. The Office of Tourism, 27 Trade, and Economic Development shall establish the initial 28 effective date of the enterprise zone designated pursuant to 29 this section.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2004.