By the Committee on Transportation; and Senators Dawson and
Bullard

306-2191-04

 1   A bill to be entitled

 2   An act relating to bridge designation;

 3   designating the Skypass Bridge in the City of

 4   Riviera Beach as the L. E. Buie Memorial

 5   Bridge; directing the Department of

 6   Transportation to erect suitable markers;

 7   providing an effective date.

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 9   WHEREAS, Louise E. Buie, was a resident of Riviera

10 Beach since 1961, and was a tireless champion of equal rights

11 until her death on December 2, 2003, and

12   WHEREAS, Louise E. Buie was a strong community leader

13 and held several leadership positions in the NAACP and the

14 Palm Beach Voters League, and

15   WHEREAS, Louise E. Buie was instrumental in opening

16 public facilities to all on an equal basis from Riviera Beach

17 to Miami, and

18   WHEREAS, Louise E. Buie participated in many

19 civil-rights marches, locally, statewide, and nationally,

20 including the March on Washington in 1963, and

21   WHEREAS, Louise E. Buie was a role model for dedication

22 to family, community, and helping others, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

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26   Section 1. L. E. Buie Memorial Bridge designated;

27 department to erect suitable markers.--

28   (1) The Skypass Bridge (bridge number 930470) in the

29 City of Riviera Beach in Palm Beach County is designated as

30 "L. E. Buie Memorial Bridge."

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1   (2) The Department of Transportation is directed to

2 erect suitable markers designating the L. E. Buie Memorial

3 Bridge as described in subsection (1).

4   Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a

5 law.

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7   STATEMENT OF SUBSTANTIAL CHANGES CONTAINED IN
                  COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
8   Senate Bill 552

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   City of Riviera Beach in Palm Beach County as the L.E. Buie
11 Memorial Bridge.

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