

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 902

SPONSOR: Senator Peaden

SUBJECT: Department of Health Tobacco Settlement Trust Fund

DATE: February 5, 2004

REVISED: _____

	ANALYST	STAFF DIRECTOR	REFERENCE	ACTION
1.	Belcher	Belcher	AHS	Favorable
2.			AP	Withdrawn: Favorable
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I. Summary:

This bill re-creates the Department of Health Tobacco Settlement Trust Fund without modification, effective November 4, 2004. The Department of Health Tobacco Settlement Trust Fund, FLAIR # 64-2-122, is administered by the Department of Health. This fund was last re-created effective November 4, 2000 by Chapter 2000-39, Laws of Florida.

This bill re-creates section 20.435, Florida Statutes.

II. Present Situation:

The fund tracks receipts and expenditures of those tobacco settlement funds that are authorized by law to be expended by the Department of Health.

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:

None.

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.
