CONFERENCE COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

Florida Senate - 2009 Bill No. CS for SB 10-A



LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Conference Committee on CS for SB 10-A recommended the following:

Senate Conference Committee Amendment (with title amendment)

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Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Subsection (12) of section 215.5602, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

215.5602 James and Esther King Biomedical Research Program.-

(12) For the 2008-2009 Beginning in fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter 2006-2007, the sum of \$4.5  $\frac{1}{56}$  million is Florida Senate - 2009 Bill No. CS for SB 10-A



12 appropriated annually from recurring funds in the General 13 Revenue Fund to the Biomedical Research Trust Fund within the 14 Department of Health for purposes of the James and Esther King 15 Biomedical Research Program pursuant to this section. From these 16 funds up to \$250,000 shall be available for the operating costs 17 of the Florida Center for Universal Research to Eradicate 18 Disease.

Section 2. Subsection (5) of section 381.922, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

21 381.922 William G. "Bill" Bankhead, Jr., and David Coley 22 Cancer Research Program.—

23 (5) For the 2008-2009 Beginning in fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter  $\frac{2006-2007}{2007}$ , the sum of \$6.75  $\frac{9}{9}$  million is 24 25 appropriated annually from recurring funds in the General Revenue Fund to the Biomedical Research Trust Fund within the 26 27 Department of Health for purposes of the William G. "Bill" 28 Bankhead, Jr., and David Coley Cancer Research Program and shall 29 be distributed pursuant to this section to provide grants to 30 researchers seeking cures for cancer, with emphasis given to the 31 goals enumerated in s. 381.921. From the total funds 32 appropriated, an amount of up to 10 percent may be used for 33 administrative expenses.

34 Section 3. (1) If, during the 2008-2009 fiscal year, more 35 than \$4.5 million has been transferred from the General Revenue 36 Fund to the Biomedical Research Trust Fund within the Department 37 of Health pursuant to s. 215.5602, Florida Statutes, any amount 38 in excess of \$4.5 million shall be transferred from the 39 Biomedical Research Trust Fund to the General Revenue Fund by 40 March 15, 2009.

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41	(2) If, during the 2008-2009 fiscal year, more than \$6.75			
42	million has been transferred from the General Revenue Fund to			
43	the Biomedical Research Trust Fund within the Department of			
44	Health pursuant to s. 381.922, Florida Statutes, any amount in			
45	excess of \$6.75 million shall be transferred from the Biomedical			
46	6 Research Trust Fund to the General Revenue Fund by March 15,			
47	<u>2009.</u>			
48	Section 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.			
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51	And the title is amended as follows:			
52	Delete everything before the enacting clause			
53	and insert:			
54	A bill to be entitled			
55	An act relating to biomedical research; amending ss. 215.5602			
56	and 381.922, F.S.; revising the amount of annual appropriations			
57	to the Biomedical Research Trust Fund within the Department of			
58	Health; requiring that moneys transferred to the trust fund			
59	during the 2008-2009 fiscal year in excess of specified amounts			
60	be transferred to the General Revenue Fund by a specified date;			
61	providing an effective date.			

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