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1	A bill to be entitled
2	An act relating to appropriations; providing an
3	appropriation to the Grants and Donations Trust Fund
4	within the Agency for Health Care Administration for use
5	in the Medicaid program and Low-Income Pool Program;
6	providing a contingency for the transfer of funds from the
7	low-income pool; providing for a portion of the
8	appropriation to be used as the state match for the
9	disproportionate share hospital programs and as payments
10	to Shands Teaching Hospital to continue the original
11	purpose of providing health care services to indigent
12	patients through Shands HealthCare System; providing an
13	effective date.
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15	Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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17	Section 1. (1) For the 2010-2011 fiscal year only, the
18	sum of \$9,673,569 of recurring funds is appropriated from the
19	General Revenue Fund to the Agency for Health Care
20	Administration as grants and aids for the Shands Teaching
21	Hospital. Such funds shall be primarily designated for transfer
22	to the Grants and Donations Trust Fund within the Agency for
23	Health Care Administration for use in the Medicaid program or
24	Low-Income Pool Program.
25	(2) Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$3,820,670
26	may be used in the Low-Income Pool Program or as funding to buy
27	back the Medicaid inpatient and outpatient trend adjustments
28	applied to Shands HealthCare System's individual hospital rates

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29	and other Medicaid reductions to their rates up to the actual
30	Medicaid inpatient and outpatient costs. The transfer of the
31	funds from the low-income pool is contingent upon another local
32	government or health care taxing district providing an
33	equivalent amount of funds to be used in the Low-Income Pool
34	Program.
35	(3) Of the funds appropriated in this section, \$5,852,899
36	may be used as the state match for the disproportionate share
37	hospital programs funded in Specific Appropriation 190 of
38	chapter 2010-152, Laws of Florida.
39	(4) To the extent that the Agency for Health Care
40	Administration cannot use the full amount of the funds
41	appropriated in this section as directed in subsections (2) and
42	(3), the remaining funds may be used secondarily for payments to
43	Shands Teaching Hospital to continue the original purpose of
44	providing health care services to indigent patients through
45	Shands HealthCare System.
46	Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.
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