

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to the Division of Emergency Management;
 3 transferring the Division of Emergency Management from the
 4 Department of Community Affairs to the Executive Office of
 5 the Governor by a type one transfer; creating s. 14.2012,
 6 F.S.; establishing the Division of Emergency Management
 7 within the Executive Office of the Governor; amending s.
 8 20.18, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the
 9 act; providing an effective date.

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

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 13 Section 1. All powers, duties, functions, records,
 14 offices, personnel, property, pending issues and existing
 15 contracts, administrative authority, administrative rules, and
 16 unexpended balances of appropriations, allocations, and other
 17 funds of the Division of Emergency Management within the
 18 Department of Community Affairs are transferred by a type one
 19 transfer, as defined in s. 20.06(1), Florida Statutes, to the
 20 Executive Office of the Governor.

21 Section 2. Section 14.2012, Florida Statutes, is created
 22 to read:

23 14.2012 Division of Emergency Management.-The director of
 24 the division shall be appointed by and shall serve at the
 25 pleasure of the Governor. The division shall enter into a
 26 service agreement for professional, technological, and
 27 administrative support services. The division shall collaborate
 28 and coordinate with the Department of Community Affairs on

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29 nonemergency response matters, including, but not limited to,
30 disaster recovery programs, grant programs, mitigation programs,
31 and emergency matters related to comprehensive plans.

32 Section 3. Subsection (2) of section 20.18, Florida
33 Statutes, is amended to read:

34 20.18 Department of Community Affairs.—There is created a
35 Department of Community Affairs.

36 (2) The following units of the Department of Community
37 Affairs are established:

38 ~~(a) Division of Emergency Management. The division is a~~
39 ~~separate budget entity and is not subject to control,~~
40 ~~supervision, or direction by the Department of Community Affairs~~
41 ~~in any manner including, but not limited to, personnel,~~
42 ~~purchasing, transactions involving personal property, and~~
43 ~~budgetary matters. The division director shall be appointed by~~
44 ~~the Governor, shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor, and~~
45 ~~shall be the agency head of the division for all purposes. The~~
46 ~~division shall enter into a service agreement with the~~
47 ~~department for professional, technological, and administrative~~
48 ~~support services. The division shall collaborate and coordinate~~
49 ~~with the department on nonemergency response matters, including,~~
50 ~~but not limited to, disaster recovery programs, grant programs,~~
51 ~~mitigation programs, and emergency matters related to~~
52 ~~comprehensive plans.~~

53 (a)(b) Division of Housing and Community Development.

54 (b)(c) Division of Community Planning.

55 Section 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 2011.