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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to public depositories; amending s.

280.02, F.S.; revising the definition of the term

"qualified public depository"; amending s. 280.07, F.S.;

conforming provisions to changes made by the act;

providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Subsection (26) of section 280.02, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

280.02 Definitions.—As used in this chapter, the term:

- (26) "Qualified public depository" means any <u>financial</u> institution bank, savings bank, or savings association that:
- (a) Is organized and exists under the laws of the United States, the laws of this state, or the laws of any other state or territory of the United States.
- (b) Has its principal place of business in this state or has a branch office in this state which is authorized under the laws of this state or of the United States to receive deposits in this state.
- (c) <u>Is insured by the Federal Has</u> Deposit Insurance Corporation, the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation, or the National Credit Union Share Insurance Fund under the provision of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act, as amended, 12 U.S.C. ss. 1811 et seq.
- (d) Has procedures and practices for accurate identification, classification, reporting, and collateralization

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- (e) Meets all the requirements of this chapter.
- (f) Has been designated by the Chief Financial Officer as a qualified public depository.
- Section 2. Section 280.07, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
- 280.07 Mutual responsibility and contingent liability.—Any financial institution bank or savings association that is designated as a qualified public depository and that is not insolvent shall guarantee public depositors against loss caused by the default or insolvency of other qualified public depositories. Each qualified public depository shall execute a form prescribed by the Chief Financial Officer for such guarantee which shall be approved by the board of directors and shall become an official record of the institution.
- Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2011.