

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to emergency management; amending s. 70.001, F.S.; prohibiting a cause of action under the Bert J. Harris, Jr., Private Property Rights Protection Act with respect to a governmental entity implementing a Flood Insurance Rate Map except under certain circumstances; amending s. 252.921, F.S.; revising a short title provision; creating s. 252.9335, F.S.; exempting state employees from specified travel expense provisions when traveling under the Emergency Management Assistance Compact pursuant to a request for assistance from another state under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Subsection (14) is added to section 70.001, Florida Statutes, to read:

70.001 Private property rights protection.—

(14) A cause of action does not exist under this section with respect to an administrative action taken or an ordinance adopted by a governmental entity to implement a Flood Insurance Rate Map issued by the Federal Emergency Management Agency for the purpose of participating in the National Flood Insurance Program unless such administrative action or ordinance

27 incorrectly applies any aspect of the Flood Insurance Rate Map
28 to a property such as, but not limited to, incorrectly assessing
29 the elevation of a property.

30 Section 2. Section 252.921, Florida Statutes, is amended
31 to read:

32 252.921 Short title.—Sections 252.921-252.933 ~~This part~~
33 may be cited as the "Emergency Management Assistance Compact."

34 Section 3. Section 252.9335, Florida Statutes, is created
35 to read:

36 252.9335 Expense reimbursement under compact.—Travel
37 expense reimbursement provisions of s. 112.061 do not apply to
38 an employee of the state traveling under the Emergency
39 Management Assistance Compact when such expenses are reimbursed
40 based on the amount agreed upon in an interstate mutual aid
41 request for assistance.

42 Section 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 2014.