

HB 1155

2018

1                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to anatomical gifts; amending s.  
3           765.513, F.S.; authorizing a nonprofit surgical  
4           training center to become a donee of anatomical gifts  
5           for education, research, or training purposes;  
6           defining the term "nonprofit surgical training  
7           center"; prohibiting a nonprofit surgical training  
8           center from providing an anatomical gift to another  
9           facility; 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. Subsection (1) of section 765.513, Florida  
14           Statutes, is amended, and subsection (2) is republished, to  
15           read:

16           765.513 Donees; purposes for which anatomical gifts may be  
17           made.—

18           (1) The following persons or entities may become donees of  
19           anatomical gifts of bodies or parts of them for the purposes  
20           stated:

21           (a) Any procurement organization or accredited medical or  
22           dental school, college, or university for education, research,  
23           therapy, or transplantation.

24           (b) Any individual specified by name for therapy or  
25           transplantation needed by him or her.

26 (c) The anatomical board or a nontransplant anatomical  
27 donation organization, as defined in s. 406.49, for donation of  
28 the whole body for medical or dental education or research.

29 (d) A nonprofit surgical training center for education,  
30 research, or training.

31 1. For purposes of this section, the term "nonprofit  
32 surgical training center" means a nonprofit facility or  
33 department, owned by a hospital licensed under chapter 395,  
34 which offers multidisciplinary learning opportunities, including  
35 continuing medical education courses.

36 2. A nonprofit surgical training center may not provide an  
37 anatomical gift to another facility.

38 (2) If multiple purposes are set forth in the document of  
39 gift but are not set forth in any priority order, the anatomical  
40 gift shall be used first for transplantation or therapy, if  
41 suitable. If the gift cannot be used for transplantation or  
42 therapy, the gift may be used for research or education.

43 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2018.