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1	A bill to be entitled
2	An act relating to the Rupert J. Smith Law Library,
3	St. Lucie County; amending ch. 2001-326, Laws of
4	Florida, as amended; providing for the appointment of
5	an additional member to the board of trustees;
6	providing an effective date.
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8	Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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10	Section 1. Section 1 of section 3 of chapter 2001-326,
11	Laws of Florida, as amended by chapter 2006-326, Laws of
12	Florida, is amended to read:
13	Section 1. There is hereby created a Board of Trustees to
14	be known as "Board of Trustees, Rupert J. Smith Law Library of
15	Saint Lucie County," which said board shall consist of <u>six</u> five
16	members; the membership of the said board shall consist of a
17	Circuit Judge who is a resident of Saint Lucie County, to be
18	designated by the Chief Judge of the Nineteenth Judicial
19	Circuit, one member of the Board of County Commissioners of
20	Saint Lucie County to be chosen by the said Board of County
21	Commissioners biennially, two active practicing attorneys who
22	reside in the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit Saint Lucie County,
23	one to be appointed by the president of the Saint Lucie County
24	Bar Association and one to be appointed by the president of the
25	Port Saint Lucie Bar Association, one and a lay member to be
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26 appointed by the president of the Friends of Saint Lucie County 27 Library Association, Inc., and one honorary member to be 28 appointed by the Board of Trustees, Rupert J. Smith Law Library 29 of Saint Lucie County. At the time this act takes effect, two 30 attorneys shall be appointed for a term of 1 year, beginning on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January of each 31 32 year. The Board of Trustees shall have full power and authority 33 to establish, operate, and maintain one or more law library 34 facilities within Saint Lucie County at such place or places as may, from time to time, be designated by said Board of Trustees; 35 36 to prescribe rules and regulations as to its own functions and organization; and to prescribe and enforce rules and regulations 37 38 as to the use, maintenance, and operation of said law library. 39 Said Board of Trustees shall purchase books, furniture, equipment, and supplies either for cash or upon retained title 40 41 or other contracts that shall be payable solely out of said law library fund and not otherwise. 42

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Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

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