

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to regulation of presidential
 3 libraries; creating s. 257.51, F.S.; providing
 4 legislative findings; preempting to the state all
 5 regulatory authority over the establishment,
 6 maintenance, activities, and operations of
 7 presidential libraries; deferring such regulatory
 8 authority to the Federal Government; defining the term
 9 "presidential library"; prohibiting counties,
 10 municipalities, or other political subdivisions from
 11 enacting or enforcing any ordinance, resolution, rule,
 12 or other measure regarding presidential libraries
 13 unless authorized by federal law; providing an
 14 effective date.

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

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 18 **Section 1. Section 257.51, Florida Statutes, is created to**
 19 **read:**

20 257.51 Preemption of regulation of presidential
 21 libraries.-

22 (1) The Legislature finds that presidential libraries are
 23 unique national institutions designated to house, preserve, and
 24 make accessible the records of former presidents. This section
 25 preempts to the state all regulation of the establishment,

26 maintenance, activities, and operations of any presidential
27 library within its jurisdiction and defers regulation of such
28 institutions to the Federal Government.

29 (2) As used in this section, the term "presidential
30 library" means an institution administered or designated under
31 the Presidential Libraries Act, as amended, Pub. L. No. 99-323,
32 established for the preservation and accessibility of
33 presidential records and related historical materials.

34 (3) A county, a municipality, or another political
35 subdivision of this state may not enact or enforce any
36 ordinance, resolution, rule, or other measure governing the
37 establishment, maintenance, or operation of a presidential
38 library or impose any requirement or restriction thereon, except
39 as otherwise authorized by federal law.

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