A bill to be entitled An act implementing the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act; providing legislative intent; incorporating by reference certain calculations of the Florida Education Finance Program; amending s. 1012.731, F.S.; delaying the expiration of the Florida Best and Brightest Teacher Scholarship Program; revising the computation of the district sparsity index for districts that meet certain criteria; amending s. 1004.345, F.S.; delaying the date by which the Florida Polytechnic University must meet specified criteria established by the Board of Governors; providing for the future expiration and reversion of statutory text related to the Florida Polytechnic University in meeting specified criteria; incorporating by reference certain calculations of the Medicaid Low-Income Pool, Disproportionate Share Hospital, and Hospital Reimbursement programs; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration, with the Department of Health, to submit a budget amendment to realign funding for certain agencies based on a specific component of the Statewide Medicaid Managed Care program of the Department of Health; requiring the funding realignment to meet certain criteria; authorizing the Agency for Health

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Care administration to submit a request to transfer federal funds to the Department of Health; requiring the Agency for Persons with Disabilities to use specified methodologies if it ceases to have an algorithm and allocation methodology adopted by valid rule; authorizing increases in iBudget funding under certain circumstances; amending s. 893.055, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the authority of the Department of Health to use certain funds for the administration of the prescription drug monitoring program; prohibiting the use of funds received from a settlement agreement to administer the program; amending s. 296.37, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the requirement that certain residents of a veterans' nursing home contribute to their maintenance and support; amending s. 216.262, F.S,; extending for 1 fiscal year the authority of the Department of Corrections to submit a budget amendment for additional positions and appropriations under certain circumstances; amending s. 215.18, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the authority and related repayment requirements for temporary trust fund loans to the state court system which are sufficient to meet the system's appropriation; authorizing the Department of Corrections to submit certain budget amendments to

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transfer funds into the Inmate Health Services category; providing that such transfers are subject to notice, review, and objection procedures; requiring the Department of Juvenile Justice to review county juvenile detention payments to determine if the county has met specified financial responsibilities; requiring amounts owed by the county for such financial responsibilities to be deducted from certain county funds; requiring the Department of Revenue to transfer funds withheld to specified trust funds; requiring the Department of Revenue to ensure that such reductions in amounts distributed do not reduce distributions below amounts necessary for certain payments due on bonds and comply with bond covenants; requiring the Department of Revenue to notify the Department of Juvenile Justice if bond payment requirements require a reduction in deductions for amounts owed by a county; prohibiting the Department of Juvenile Justice from providing to certain nonfiscally constrained counties reimbursements or credits against identified juvenile detention center costs under specified circumstances; prohibiting a nonfiscally constrained county from applying, deducting, or receiving such reimbursements or credits; amending s. 27.5304, F.S.; revising certain

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limitations on compensation for private courtappointed counsel; requiring the Justice Administrative Commission to provide funds to the clerks of court for specified uses related to juries; providing procedures for clerks of court to receive such funds; providing an apportionment methodology if funds are estimated to be insufficient to pay all amounts requested; requiring the clerks of court to pay amounts in excess of appropriated amounts; requiring the Department of Management Services to use tenant broker services to renegotiate or reprocure certain private lease agreements for office or storage space; requiring the Department of Management Services to provide a report to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; specifying the amount of the transaction fee to be collected for use of an online procurement system; authorizing the Executive Office of the Governor, subject to notice, review, and objection procedures, to transfer funds appropriated for certain data processing services between departments for a specified purpose; prohibiting an agency from transferring funds from a data processing category to another category that is not a data processing category; authorizing the Executive Office of the Governor, subject to notice, review, and

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objection procedures, to transfer funds between departments for purposes of aligning amounts paid for risk management insurance and for human resource management services; providing for replacement of the Florida Accounting Information Resource Subsystem; providing for project governance structure; amending s. 216.181, F.S.; extending by 1 fiscal year the authority for the Legislative Budget Commission to increase amounts appropriated to the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission or the Department of Environmental Protection for certain fixed capital outlay projects from specified sources; amending s. 215.18, F.S.; authorizing the Governor, if there is a specified deficiency in a land acquisition trust fund in the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department of Environmental Protection, the Department of State, or the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, to transfer funds from other trust funds in the State Treasury as a temporary loan to such trust fund for a specified period; providing procedures for the transfer and repayment of the loan; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to transfer designated proportions of the revenues deposited in the Land Acquisition Trust Fund within the department to land acquisition trust funds in the

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Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department of State, and the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission according to specified parameters and calculations; requiring the department to retain a proportionate share of revenues; specifying a limit on distributions; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to make transfers to land acquisition trust funds; specifying the method of determining transfer amounts; amending s. 373.470, F.S.; requiring distribution of funds to the South Florida Water Management District from the Land Acquisition Trust Fund to be equally matched by cumulative district contributions for certain Everglades restoration efforts; providing for the future expiration and reversion of statutory text related to distribution of funds to the South Florida Water Management District; amending s. 339.135, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Transportation to request the Executive Office of the Governor to amend the adopted work program for emergencies for certain projects, or phases thereof; providing for the future expiration and reversion of specified statutory text; reenacting s. 216.292(2)(a), F.S., relating to exceptions for nontransferable appropriations; providing for the future expiration and reversion of

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statutory text related to nontransferable appropriations; prohibiting a state agency from initiating a competitive solicitation for a product or service under certain circumstances; providing an exception; amending s. 112.24, F.S.; extending by 1 fiscal year the authorization, subject to specified requirements, for the assignment of an employee of a state agency under an employee interchange agreement; providing that the annual salaries of the members of the Legislature shall be maintained at a specified level; reenacting s. 215.32(2)(b), F.S., relating to the source and use of certain trust funds; providing for the future expiration and reversion of statutory text related to the source and use of specified trust funds; limiting the use of travel funds to activities that are critical to an agency's mission; providing exceptions; placing a monetary cap on the amount of money available for state employee travel to certain meetings organized or sponsored by a state agency or the judicial branch; authorizing employees to expend their own funds for lodging expenses in excess of the monetary caps; requiring executive branch state agencies and the judicial branch to collaborate with the Executive Office of the Governor regarding the statewide travel management system and to use such

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system; reenacting and amending s. 110.12315, F.S., relating to the state employees' prescription drug program; requiring the Department of Management Services to implement certain formulary management measures for prescription drugs and supplies; specifying mechanism for inclusion by medical necessity review if excluded from the formulary; providing for the future expiration and reversion of statutory text related to the state employees' prescription drug program; prohibiting agencies from entering into contracts containing certain nondisclosure agreements; providing conditions under which the veto of certain appropriations or proviso language in the General Appropriations Act voids language that implements such appropriation; providing for the continued operation of certain provisions notwithstanding a future repeal or expiration provided by the act; providing severability; providing an effective date.; providing an effective date.

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

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Section 1. It is the intent of the Legislature that the implementing and administering provisions of this act apply to the General Appropriations Act for the 2017-2018 fiscal year.

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Section 2. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
7, 8, 9, 91, and 92 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act,
the calculations of the Florida Education Finance Program for
the 2017-2018 fiscal year in the document titled "Public School
Funding: The Florida Education Finance Program," dated April 24,
2017, and filed with the Clerk of the House of Representatives,
are incorporated by reference for the purpose of displaying the
calculations used by the Legislature, consistent with the
requirements of state law, in making appropriations for the
Florida Education Finance Program. This section expires July 1,
2018.

Section 3. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 100A of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act Section 1012.731, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

1012.731 The Florida Best and Brightest Teacher Scholarship Program.—

(1) The Legislature recognizes that, second only to parents, teachers play the most critical role within schools in preparing students to achieve a high level of academic performance. The Legislature further recognizes that research has linked student outcomes to a teacher's own academic achievement. Therefore, it is the intent of the Legislature to designate teachers who have achieved high academic standards during their own education as Florida's best and brightest teacher scholars.

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- (2) There is created the Florida Best and Brightest Teacher Scholarship Program to be administered by the Department of Education. The scholarship program shall provide categorical funding for scholarships to be awarded to classroom teachers, as defined in s. 1012.01(2)(a), who have demonstrated a high level of academic achievement.
- (3) (a) To be eligible for a scholarship, a classroom teacher must have achieved a composite score at or above the 80th percentile on either the SAT or the ACT based on the National Percentile Ranks in effect when the classroom teacher took the assessment and have been evaluated as highly effective pursuant to s. 1012.34 in the school year immediately preceding the year in which the scholarship will be awarded, unless the classroom teacher is newly hired by the district school board and has not been evaluated pursuant to s. 1012.34.
- (b) In order to demonstrate eligibility for an award, an eligible classroom teacher must submit to the school district, no later than November 1, an official record of his or her SAT or ACT score demonstrating that the classroom teacher scored at or above the 80th percentile based on the National Percentile Ranks in effect when the teacher took the assessment. Once a classroom teacher is deemed eligible by the school district, including teachers deemed eligible in the 2015-2016 fiscal year, the teacher shall remain eligible as long as he or she remains employed by the school district as a classroom teacher at the

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time of the award and receives an annual performance evaluation rating of highly effective pursuant to s. 1012.34.

- (4) Annually, by December 1, each school district shall submit to the department the number of eligible classroom teachers who qualify for the scholarship.
- (5) Annually, by February 1, the department shall disburse scholarship funds to each school district for each eligible classroom teacher to receive a scholarship as provided in the General Appropriations Act. A scholarship in the amount provided in the General Appropriations Act shall be awarded to every eligible classroom teacher. If the number of eligible classroom teachers exceeds the total appropriation authorized in the General Appropriations Act, the department shall prorate the per-teacher scholarship amount.
- (6) Annually, by April 1, each school district shall award the scholarship to each eligible classroom teacher.
- (7) For purposes of this section, the term "school district" includes the Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind and charter school governing boards.
  - (8) This section expires July 1, 2018 <del>2017</del>.
- Section 4. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 91 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, upon the expiration and reversion of the amendment to section 1011.62, Florida Statutes, pursuant to section 23 of chapter 2016-62, Laws of Florida, paragraph (b) of subsection (7) of section 1011.62,

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Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

1011.62 Funds for operation of schools.—If the annual allocation from the Florida Education Finance Program to each district for operation of schools is not determined in the annual appropriations act or the substantive bill implementing the annual appropriations act, it shall be determined as follows:

- (7) DETERMINATION OF SPARSITY SUPPLEMENT.-
- dividing the total number of full-time equivalent students in all programs in the district by the number of senior high school centers in the district, not in excess of three, which centers are approved as permanent centers by a survey made by the Department of Education. For districts with a full-time equivalent student membership of at least 20,000, but no more than 24,000, the index shall be computed by dividing the total number of full-time equivalent students in all programs by the number of permanent senior high school centers in the district, not in excess of four.

Section 5. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 141 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, subsection (1) of section 1004.345, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:

1004.345 The Florida Polytechnic University.-

(1) By December 31, 2017, the Florida Polytechnic University shall meet the following criteria as established by

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the Board of Governors:

- (a) Achieve accreditation from the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools;
- (b) Initiate the development of the new programs in the fields of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics;
  - (c) Seek discipline-specific accreditation for programs;
- (d) Attain a minimum FTE of 1,244, with a minimum 50 percent of that FTE in the fields of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics and 20 percent in programs related to those fields;
- (e) Complete facilities and infrastructure, including the Science and Technology Building, Phase I of the Wellness Center, and a residence hall or halls containing no fewer than 190 beds; and
- (f) Have the ability to provide, either directly or where feasible through a shared services model, administration of financial aid, admissions, student support, information technology, and finance and accounting with an internal audit function.
- Section 6. The amendments made by this act to ss. 1011.62 and 1004.345, Florida Statutes, expire July 1, 2018, and the text of that section shall revert to that in existence on June 30, 2016, except that any amendments to such text enacted other than by this act shall be preserved and continue to operate to the extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the

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326	portions of text which expire pursuant to this section.
327	Section 7. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
328	198, 199, and 203 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act,
329	the calculations for the Medicaid, Disproportionate Share
330	Hospital, and Hospital Reimbursement programs for the 2017-2018
331	fiscal year contained in the document titled "Medicaid Hospital
332	Funding Programs," dated April 24, 2017, and filed with the
333	Clerk of the House of Representatives, are incorporated by
334	reference for the purpose of displaying the calculations used by
335	the Legislature, consistent with the requirements of state law,
336	in making appropriations for the Medicaid Low-Income Pool,
337	Disproportionate Share Hospital, and Hospital Reimbursement
338	programs. This section expires July 1, 2018.
339	Section 8. <u>In order to implement Specific Appropriations</u>
340	191 through 212A and 522 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations
341	Act and notwithstanding ss. 216.181 and 216.292, Florida
342	Statutes, the Agency for Health Care Administration, in
343	consultation with the Department of Health, may submit a budget
344	amendment, subject to the notice, review, and objection
345	procedures of s. 216.177, Florida Statutes, to realign funding
346	within and between agencies based on implementation of the
347	Managed Medical Assistance component of the Statewide Medicaid
348	Managed Care program for the Children's Medical Services program
349	of the Department of Health. The funding realignment shall
350	reflect the actual enrollment changes due to the transfer of

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351	beneficiaries from fee-for-service to the capitated Children's
352	Medical Services Network. The Agency for Health Care
353	Administration may submit a request for nonoperating budget
354	authority to transfer the federal funds to the Department of
355	Health pursuant to s. 216.181(12), Florida Statutes. This
356	section expires July 1, 2018.
357	Section 9. In order to implement Specific Appropriation
358	241 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act:
359	(1) If, during the 2017-2018 fiscal year, the Agency for
360	Persons with Disabilities ceases to have an algorithm and
361	allocation methodology adopted by valid rule pursuant to s.
362	393.0662, Florida Statutes, the agency shall use the following
363	until it adopts a new algorithm and allocation methodology:
364	(a) Each client's iBudget shall remain at that funding
365	level in effect as of the date the agency ceases to have an
366	algorithm and allocation methodology adopted by valid rule
367	pursuant to s. 393.0662, Florida Statutes.
368	(b) The Agency for Persons with Disabilities shall
369	determine the iBudget for each client newly enrolled in the home
370	and community-based services waiver program using the same
371	algorithm and allocation methodology used for the iBudgets
372	determined between January 1, 2017, and June 30, 2017.
373	(2) After a new algorithm and allocation methodology is
374	adopted by final rule, a client's new iBudget shall be
375	determined based on the new algorithm and allocation methodology

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and	shall	take	effect	as	of	the	client'	s next	support	plan
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- (3) Funding allocated under subsections (1) and (2) may be increased under s. 393.0662(1)(b), Florida Statutes, or as necessary to comply with federal regulations.
  - (4) This section expires July 1, 2018.

Section 10. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 532 through 542 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, subsection (17) of section 893.055, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

893.055 Prescription drug monitoring program.-

(17) Notwithstanding subsection (10), and for the 2017-2018 2016-2017 fiscal year only, the department may use state funds appropriated in the 2017-2018 2016-2017 General Appropriations Act to administer the prescription drug monitoring program. Neither the Attorney General nor the department may use funds received as part of a settlement agreement to administer the prescription drug monitoring program. This subsection expires July 1, 2018 2017.

Section 11. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 551 through 562 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, subsection (3) of section 296.37, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

296.37 Residents; contribution to support.

(3) Notwithstanding subsection (1), each resident of the

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home who receives a pension, compensation, or gratuity from the United States Government, or income from any other source, of more than \$105 per month shall contribute to his or her maintenance and support while a resident of the home in accordance with a payment schedule determined by the administrator and approved by the director. The total amount of such contributions shall be to the fullest extent possible, but, in no case, shall exceed the actual cost of operating and maintaining the home. This subsection expires July 1, 2018 2017.

Section 12. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 582 through 706 and 722 through 756 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, subsection (4) of section 216.262, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

216.262 Authorized positions.-

relating to increasing the number of authorized positions, and for the 2017-2018 2016-2017 fiscal year only, if the actual inmate population of the Department of Corrections exceeds the inmate population projections of the February 23, 2017 December 17, 2015, Criminal Justice Estimating Conference by 1 percent for 2 consecutive months or 2 percent for any month, the Executive Office of the Governor, with the approval of the Legislative Budget Commission, shall immediately notify the Criminal Justice Estimating Conference, which shall convene as soon as possible to revise the estimates. The Department of

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Corrections may then submit a budget amendment requesting the establishment of positions in excess of the number authorized by the Legislature and additional appropriations from unallocated general revenue sufficient to provide for essential staff, fixed capital improvements, and other resources to provide classification, security, food services, health services, and other variable expenses within the institutions to accommodate the estimated increase in the inmate population. All actions taken pursuant to this subsection are subject to review and approval by the Legislative Budget Commission. This subsection expires July 1, 2018 2017.

Section 13. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 3145 through 3212 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, subsection (2) of section 215.18, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

215.18 Transfers between funds; limitation.-

or more trust fund loans to ensure that the state court system has funds sufficient to meet its appropriations in the 2017-2018 2016-2017 General Appropriations Act. If the Chief Justice accesses the loan, he or she must notify the Governor and the chairs of the legislative appropriations committees in writing. The loan must come from other funds in the State Treasury which are for the time being or otherwise in excess of the amounts necessary to meet the just requirements of such last-mentioned

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funds. The Governor shall order the transfer of funds within 5 days after the written notification from the Chief Justice. If the Governor does not order the transfer, the Chief Financial Officer shall transfer the requested funds. The loan of funds from which any money is temporarily transferred must be repaid by the end of the 2017-2018 2016-2017 fiscal year. This subsection expires July 1, 2018 2017.

Section 14. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 727 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act and notwithstanding s. 216.292, Florida Statutes, the Department of Corrections is authorized to submit budget amendments to transfer funds from categories within the department other than fixed capital outlay categories into the Inmate Health Services category in order to continue the current level of care in the provision of health services. Such transfers are subject to the notice, review, and objection procedures of s. 216.177, Florida Statutes. This section expires July 1, 2018.

Appropriations 1104 through 1116 of the 2017-2018 General
Appropriations Act, the Department of Juvenile Justice is
required to review county juvenile detention payments to ensure
that counties fulfill their financial responsibilities required
in s. 985.6865, Florida Statutes. If the Department of Juvenile
Justice determines that a county has not met its obligations,
the department shall direct the Department of Revenue to deduct

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the amount owed to the Department of Juvenile Justice from the funds provided to the county under s. 218.23, Florida Statutes.

The Department of Revenue shall transfer the funds withheld to the Shared County/State Juvenile Detention Trust Fund.

(2) As an assurance to holders of bonds issued by counties before July 1, 2017, for which distributions made pursuant to s. 218.23, Florida Statutes, are pledged, or bonds issued to refund such bonds which mature no later than the bonds they refunded and which result in a reduction of debt service payable in each fiscal year, the amount available for distribution to a county shall remain as provided by law and continue to be subject to any lien or claim on behalf of the bondholders. The Department of Revenue must ensure, based on information provided by an affected county, that any reduction in amounts distributed pursuant to subsection (1) does not reduce the amount of distribution to a county below the amount necessary for the timely payment of principal and interest when due on the bonds and the amount necessary to comply with any covenant under the bond resolution or other documents relating to the issuance of the bonds. If a reduction to a county's monthly distribution must be decreased in order to comply with this subsection, the Department of Revenue must notify the Department of Juvenile Justice of the amount of the decrease, and the Department of Juvenile Justice must send a bill for payment of such amount to the affected county.

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501	(3) This section expires July 1, 2018.							
502	Section 16. In order to implement Specific Appropriations							
503	1104 through 1116 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act,							
504	the Department of Juvenile Justice may not provide, make, pay,							
505	or deduct, and a nonfiscally constrained county may not apply,							
506	deduct, or receive any reimbursement or any credit for any							
507	previous overpayment of juvenile detention care costs related to							
508	or for any previous state fiscal year, against the juvenile							
509	detention care costs due from the nonfiscally constrained county							
510	in the 2017-2018 fiscal year pursuant to s. 985.686, Florida							
511	Statutes, or any other law. This section expires July 1, 2018.							
512	Section 17. In order to implement Specific Appropriation							
513	782 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, subsection (13)							
514	is added to section 27.5304, Florida Statutes, to read:							
515	27.5304 Private court-appointed counsel; compensation;							
516	notice							
517	(13) Notwithstanding the limitation set forth in							
518	subsection (5) and for the 2017-2018 fiscal year only, the							
519	compensation for representation in a criminal proceeding may not							
520	exceed the following:							
521	(a) For misdemeanors and juveniles represented at the							
522	trial level: \$1,000.							
523	(b) For noncapital, nonlife felonies represented at the							
524	trial level: \$15,000.							
525	(c) For life felonies represented at the trial level:							

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- (d) For capital cases represented at the trial level: \$25,000. For purposes of this paragraph, a "capital case" is any offense for which the potential sentence is death and the state has not waived seeking the death penalty.
  - (e) For representation on appeal: \$9,000.
  - (f) This subsection expires July 1, 2018.

Section 18. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 774 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, and notwithstanding ss. 28.35 and 40.24, Florida Statutes, the Justice Administrative Commission shall provide funds to the clerks of the circuit court to pay compensation to jurors, for meals or lodging provided to jurors, and for jury-related personnel costs as provided in this section. Each clerk of the circuit court shall forward to the Justice Administrative Commission a quarterly estimate of funds necessary to pay compensation to jurors and for meals or lodging provided to jurors. The Florida Clerks of Court Operations Corporation shall forward to the Justice Administrative Commission a quarterly estimate of jury-related personnel costs necessary to pay each clerk of the circuit court personnel costs related to jury management. Upon receipt of such estimates, the Justice Administrative Commission shall endorse the amount deemed necessary for payment to the clerks of the circuit court during the quarter and shall submit a request for payment to the Chief

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Financial Officer. If the Justice Administrative Commission believes that the amount appropriated by the Legislature is insufficient to meet such costs during the remaining part of the state fiscal year, the commission may apportion the funds appropriated in the General Appropriations Act for those purposes among the several counties, basing the apportionment upon the amount expended for such purposes in each county during the prior fiscal year. In that case, the Chief Financial Officer shall only issue the appropriate apportioned amount by warrant to each county. The clerks of the circuit court are responsible for any costs of compensation to jurors, for meals or lodging provided to jurors, and for jury-related personnel costs that exceed the funding provided in the General Appropriations Act for these purposes. This section expires July 1, 2018. Section 19. In order to implement appropriations used to pay existing lease contracts for private lease space in excess of 2,000 square feet in the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, the Department of Management Services, with the cooperation of the agencies having the existing lease contracts for office or storage space, shall use tenant broker services to renegotiate or reprocure all private lease agreements for office or storage space expiring between July 1, 2018 and June 30, 2020, in order to reduce costs in future years. The department shall incorporate this initiative into its 2017 master leasing report required under s. 255.249(7), Florida Statutes, and may

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use tenant broker services to explore the possibilities of collocating office or storage space, to review the space needs of each agency, and to review the length and terms of potential renewals or renegotiations. The department shall provide a report to the Executive Office of the Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by November 1, 2017, which lists each lease contract for private office or storage space, the status of renegotiations, and the savings achieved. This section expires July 1, 2018. Section 20. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 2768 through 2780A of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act and notwithstanding rule 60A-1.031, Florida Administrative Code, the transaction fee collected for use of the online procurement system authorized in ss. 287.042(1)(h)1. and 287.057(22)(c), Florida Statutes, shall be seven-tenths of 1 percent for the 2017-2018 fiscal year. This section expires July 1, 2018. Section 21. In order to implement the appropriation of funds in the appropriation category "Data Processing Services-State Data Center" in the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, and pursuant to the notice, review, and objection procedures of s. 216.177, Florida Statutes, the Executive Office of the Governor may transfer funds appropriated in that category between departments in order to align the budget authority granted based on the estimated billing cycle and methodology used by the State Data Center for data processing services. This

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section expires July 1, 2018.

Section 22. In order to implement appropriations
authorized in the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act for data
center services, and notwithstanding s. 216.292(2)(a), Florida
Statutes, except as authorized in section 21, an agency may not
transfer funds from a data processing category to a category
other than another data processing category. This section
expires July 1, 2018.

Section 23. In order to implement the appropriation of funds in the appropriation category "Special Categories-Risk Management Insurance" in the 2017-2018 General Appropriations

Act, and pursuant to the notice, review, and objection procedures of s. 216.177, Florida Statutes, the Executive Office of the Governor may transfer funds appropriated in that category between departments in order to align the budget authority granted with the premiums paid by each department for risk management insurance. This section expires July 1, 2018.

Section 24. In order to implement the appropriation of funds in the appropriation category "Special Categories-Transfer to Department of Management Services-Human Resources Services

Purchased per Statewide Contract" in the 2017-2018 General

Appropriations Act, and pursuant to the notice, review, and objection procedures of s. 216.177, Florida Statutes, the

Executive Office of the Governor may transfer funds appropriated in that category between departments in order to align the

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626	budget authority granted with the assessments that must be paid							
627	by each agency to the Department of Management Services for							
628	human resource management services. This section expires July 1,							
629	<u>2018.</u>							
630	Section 25. In order to implement Specific Appropriation							
631	2334 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act:							
632	(1) The Department of Financial Services shall replace the							
633	four main components of the Florida Accounting Information							
634	Resource Subsystem (FLAIR), which include central FLAIR,							
635	departmental FLAIR, payroll, and information warehouse, and							
636	shall replace the cash management and accounting management							
637	components of the Cash Management Subsystem (CMS) with an							
638	integrated enterprise system that allows the state to organize,							
639	define, and standardize its financial management business							
640	processes and that complies with ss. 215.90-215.96, Florida							
641	Statutes. The department shall not include in the replacement of							
642	FLAIR and CMS:							
643	(a) Functionality that duplicates any of the other							
644	information subsystems of the Florida Financial Management							
645	Information System; or							
646	(b) Agency business processes related to any of the							
647	functions included in the Personnel Information System, the							
648	Purchasing Subsystem, or the Legislative Appropriations							
649	System/Planning and Budgeting Subsystem.							
650	(2) For purposes of replacing FLAIR and CMS, the							

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- (a) Take into consideration the cost and implementation data identified for Option 3 as recommended in the March 31, 2014, Florida Department of Financial Services FLAIR Study, version 031.
- (b) Ensure that all business requirements and technical specifications have been provided to all state agencies for their review and input and approved by the executive steering committee established in paragraph (c).
- (c) Implement a project governance structure that includes an executive steering committee composed of:
- 1. The Chief Financial Officer or the executive sponsor of the project.
- 2. A representative of the Division of Treasury of the Department of Financial Services appointed by the Chief Financial Officer.
- 3. A representative of the Division of Information Systems of the Department of Financial Services appointed by the Chief Financial Officer.
- 4. Four employees from the Division of Accounting and Auditing of the Department of Financial Services appointed by the Chief Financial Officer. Each employee must have experience relating to at least one of the four main components that comprise FLAIR.
  - 5. Two employees from the Executive Office of the Governor

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appointed by the Governor. One employee must have experience relating to the Legislative Appropriations System/Planning and Budgeting Subsystem.

- 6. One employee from the Department of Revenue appointed by the executive director of the department who has experience relating to the department's SUNTAX system.
- 7. Two employees from the Department of Management
  Services appointed by the Secretary of Management Services. One
  employee must have experience relating to the department's
  personnel information subsystem and one employee must have
  experience relating to the department's purchasing subsystem.
- 8. Three state agency administrative services directors appointed by the Governor. One director must represent a regulatory and licensing state agency and one director must represent a health care-related state agency.
- (3) The Chief Financial Officer or the executive sponsor of the project shall serve as chair of the executive steering committee, and the committee shall take action by a vote of at least eight affirmative votes with the Chief Financial Officer or the executive sponsor of the project voting on the prevailing side. A quorum of the executive steering committee consists of at least ten members.
- (4) The executive steering committee has the overall responsibility for ensuring that the project to replace FLAIR and CMS meets its primary business objectives and shall:

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(a) Identify and recommend to the Executive Office of the
Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the
House of Representatives any statutory changes needed to
implement the replacement subsystem that will standardize to the
fullest extent possible the state's financial management
business processes.
(b) Review and approve any changes to the project's scope,
schedule, and budget that do not conflict with the requirements
of subsection (1).
(c) Ensure that adequate resources are provided throughout
all phases of the project.
(d) Approve all major project deliverables.
(e) Approve all solicitation-related documents associated
with the replacement of FLAIR and CMS.
(5) This section expires July 1, 2018.
Section 26. In order to implement Specific Appropriations
1603A, 1603B, 1604, and 1743 of the 2017-2018 General
Appropriations Act, paragraph (d) of subsection (11) of section
216.181, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
216.181 Approved budgets for operations and fixed capital
outlay.—
(11)
(d) Notwithstanding paragraph (b) and paragraph (2)(b),
and for the $2017-2018 \frac{2016-2017}{2016-2017}$ fiscal year only, the

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Legislative Budget Commission may increase the amounts

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appropriated to the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission or the Department of Environmental Protection for fixed capital outlay projects, including additional fixed capital outlay projects, using funds provided to the state from the Gulf Environmental Benefit Fund administered by the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation; funds provided to the state from the Gulf Coast Restoration Trust Fund related to the Resources and Ecosystems Sustainability, Tourist Opportunities, and Revived Economies of the Gulf Coast Act of 2012 (RESTORE Act); or funds provided by the British Petroleum Corporation (BP) for natural resource damage assessment restoration projects. Concurrent with submission of an amendment to the Legislative Budget Commission pursuant to this paragraph, any project that carries a continuing commitment for future appropriations by the Legislature must be specifically identified, together with the projected amount of the future commitment associated with the project and the fiscal years in which the commitment is expected to commence. This paragraph expires July 1, 2018 <del>2017</del>.

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The provisions of this subsection are subject to the notice and objection procedures set forth in s. 216.177.

Section 27. In order to implement specific appropriations from the land acquisition trust funds within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department of Environmental Protection, the Department of State, and the Fish

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and Wildlife Conservation Commission which are contained in the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, subsection (3) of section 215.18, Florida Statutes, is reenacted and amended to read:

215.18 Transfers between funds; limitation.-

(3) Notwithstanding subsection (1) and only with respect to a land acquisition trust fund in the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department of Environmental Protection, the Department of State, or the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, whenever there is a deficiency in a land acquisition trust fund which would render that trust fund temporarily insufficient to meet its just requirements, including the timely payment of appropriations from that trust fund, and other trust funds in the State Treasury have moneys that are for the time being or otherwise in excess of the amounts necessary to meet the just requirements, including appropriated obligations, of those other trust funds, the Governor may order a temporary transfer of moneys from one or more of the other trust funds to a land acquisition trust fund in the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department of Environmental Protection, the Department of State, or the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission. Any action proposed pursuant to this subsection is subject to the notice, review, and objection procedures of s. 216.177, and the Governor shall provide notice of such action at least 7 days before the effective date of the transfer of trust funds, except that

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during July 2017 2016, notice of such action shall be provided at least 3 days before the effective date of a transfer unless such 3-day notice is waived by the chair and vice-chair of the Legislative Budget Commission. Any transfer of trust funds to a land acquisition trust fund in the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department of Environmental Protection, the Department of State, or the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission must be repaid to the trust funds from which the moneys were loaned by the end of the 2017-2018 <del>2016-2017</del> fiscal year. The Legislature has determined that the repayment of the other trust fund moneys temporarily loaned to a land acquisition trust fund in the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department of Environmental Protection, the Department of State, or the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission pursuant to this subsection is an allowable use of the moneys in a land acquisition trust fund because the moneys from other trust funds temporarily loaned to a land acquisition trust fund shall be expended solely and exclusively in accordance with s. 28, Art. X of the State Constitution. This subsection expires July 1, 2018 <del>2017</del>.

Section 28. (1) In order to implement specific

appropriations from the land acquisition trust funds within the

Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department
of Environmental Protection, the Department of State, and the

Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission which are contained in

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the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, the Department of
Environmental Protection shall transfer revenues from the Land
Acquisition Trust Fund within the department to the land
acquisition trust funds within the Department of Agriculture and
Consumer Services, the Department of State, and the Fish and
Wildlife Conservation Commission, as provided in this section.
As used in this section, the term "department" means the
Department of Environmental Protection.

After subtracting any required debt service payments, the proportionate share of revenues to be transferred to each land acquisition trust fund shall be calculated by dividing the appropriations from each of the land acquisition trust funds for the fiscal year by the total appropriations from the Land Acquisition Trust Fund within the department and the land acquisition trust funds within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department of State, and the Fish and Wildlife Commission for the fiscal year. The department shall transfer the proportionate share of the revenues in the Land Acquisition Trust Fund within the department on a monthly basis to the appropriate land acquisition trust funds within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department of State, and the Fish and Wildlife Commission and shall retain its proportionate share of the revenues in the Land Acquisition Trust Fund within the department. Total distributions to a land acquisition trust fund within the Department of Agriculture and

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Consumer Services, the Department of State, and the Fish and
Wildlife Commission may not exceed the total appropriations from
such trust fund for the fiscal year.

- (3) In addition, the department shall transfer from the Land Acquisition Trust Fund to land acquisition trust funds within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department of State, and the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission amounts equal to the difference between the amounts appropriated in chapter 2016-66, Laws of Florida, to the department's Land Acquisition Trust Fund and the other land acquisition trust funds, and the amounts actually transferred between those trust funds during the 2016-2017 fiscal year.
  - (4) This section expires July 1, 2018.

Section 29. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 1594 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (a) of subsection (6) of section 373.470, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

373.470 Everglades restoration.

- (6) DISTRIBUTIONS FROM SAVE OUR EVERGLADES TRUST FUND.—
- (a) Except as provided in paragraphs (d) and (e) and for funds appropriated for debt service, the department shall distribute funds in the Save Our Everglades Trust Fund to the district in accordance with a legislative appropriation and s. 373.026(8)(b). Distribution of funds to the district from the Save Our Everglades Trust Fund or the Land Acquisition Trust

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<u>Fund</u> shall be equally matched by the cumulative contributions from the district by fiscal year 2019-2020 by providing funding or credits toward project components. The dollar value of inkind project design and construction work by the district in furtherance of the comprehensive plan and existing interest in public lands needed for a project component are credits towards the district's contributions.

Section 30. The amendment made by this act to s.

373.470(6)(a), Florida Statutes, expires July 1, 2018, and the text of that paragraph shall revert to that in existence on June 30, 2017, except that any amendments to such text enacted other than by this act shall be preserved and continue to operate to the extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the portions of text which expire pursuant to this section.

Section 31. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 1552 and 1553 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act paragraph (m) of subsection (3) of section 259.105, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

259.105 The Florida Forever Act.-

(3) Less the costs of issuing and the costs of funding reserve accounts and other costs associated with bonds, the proceeds of cash payments or bonds issued pursuant to this section shall be deposited into the Florida Forever Trust Fund created by s. 259.1051. The proceeds shall be distributed by the Department of Environmental Protection in the following manner:

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- (m) Notwithstanding paragraphs (a)-(j) and for the  $\underline{2017}$ -2018  $\underline{2016}$ -2017 fiscal year only:
- 1. The amount of \$15,156,206 to only the Division of State Lands within the Department of Environmental Protection for the Board of Trustees Florida Forever Priority List land acquisition projects.
- 2. The amount of \$5,360,906 for grants to local governments and eligible non-profit organizations to acquire lands for parks, open space and greenways.
- 2. Thirty-five million dollars to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services for the acquisition of agricultural lands through perpetual conservation easements and other perpetual less-than-fee techniques, which will achieve the objectives of Florida Forever and s. 570.71.
- 3.a. Notwithstanding any allocation required pursuant to paragraph (c), \$10 million shall be allocated to the Florida Communities Trust for projects acquiring conservation or recreation lands to enhance recreational opportunities for individuals with unique abilities.
- b. The Department of Environmental Protection may waive the local government matching fund requirement of paragraph (c) for projects acquiring conservation or recreation lands to enhance recreational opportunities for individuals with unique abilities.
  - c. Notwithstanding sub-subparagraphs a. and b., any funds

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required to be used to acquire conservation or recreation lands to enhance recreational opportunities for individuals with unique abilities which have not been awarded for those purposes by May 1, 2017, may be awarded to redevelop or renew outdoor recreational facilities on public lands, including recreational trails, parks, and urban open spaces, together with improvements required to enhance recreational enjoyment and public access to public lands, if such redevelopment and renewal is primarily geared toward enhancing recreational opportunities for individuals with unique abilities. The department may waive the local matching requirement of paragraph (c) for such redevelopment and renewal projects. This paragraph expires July 1, 2018 2017. Section 32. In order to implement Specific Appropriation 1610 and 1611 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act paragraph (e) is added to subsection (11) of section 216.181, Florida Statutes, to read: 216.181 Approved budgets for operations and fixed capital outlay.-(11)(e) Notwithstanding paragraph (b) and paragraph (2) (b), and for the 2017-2018 fiscal year only, the Legislative Budget

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Department of Environmental Protection for fixed capital outlay

Commission may increase the amounts appropriated to the

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Environmental Protection Agency, as a result of the Safe
Drinking Water Act and the Clean Water Act. Funds can be used
for low-interest loans for investments in water and sanitation
infrastructure such as sewage treatment, stormwater management
facilities and drinking water treatment, as well as for the
implementation of nonpoint source pollution control and estuary
protection projects. Concurrent with submission of an amendment
to the Legislative Budget Commission pursuant to this paragraph,
any project that carries a continuing commitment for future
appropriations by the Legislature must be specifically
identified, together with the projected amount of the future
commitment associated with the project and the fiscal years in
which the commitment is expected to commence. This paragraph
expires July 1, 2018.

The provisions of this subsection are subject to the notice and objection procedures set forth in s. 216.177.

Section 33. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 1869 through 1882, 1888 through 1891, 1905 through 1925, and 1964 through 1976 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (e) of subsection (7) of section 339.135, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

339.135 Work program; legislative budget request; definitions; preparation, adoption, execution, and amendment.—

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- (7) AMENDMENT OF THE ADOPTED WORK PROGRAM.
- Notwithstanding paragraphs (d), and (g), and (h) and ss. 216.177(2) and 216.351, the secretary may request the Executive Office of the Governor to amend the adopted work program when an emergency exists, as defined in s. 252.34, and the emergency relates to the repair or rehabilitation of any state transportation facility. The Executive Office of the Governor may approve the amendment to the adopted work program and amend that portion of the department's approved budget if a delay incident to the notification requirements in paragraph (d) would be detrimental to the interests of the state. However, the department shall immediately notify the parties specified in paragraph (d) and provide such parties written justification for the emergency action within 7 days after approval by the Executive Office of the Governor of the amendment to the adopted work program and the department's budget. The adopted work program may not be amended under this subsection without certification by the comptroller of the department that there are sufficient funds available pursuant to the 36-month cash forecast and applicable statutes.

Section 34. The amendment made by this act to s.

339.135(7), Florida Statutes, expires July 1, 2018, and the text of that section shall revert to that in existence on June 30,

2017, except that any amendments to such text enacted other than by this act shall be preserved and continue to operate to the

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extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the portions of text which expire pursuant to this section.

Section 35. In order to implement the salaries and benefits, expenses, other personal services, contracted services, special categories, and operating capital outlay categories of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of section 216.292, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:

216.292 Appropriations nontransferable; exceptions.-

- (2) The following transfers are authorized to be made by the head of each department or the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court whenever it is deemed necessary by reason of changed conditions:
- (a) The transfer of appropriations funded from identical funding sources, except appropriations for fixed capital outlay, and the transfer of amounts included within the total original approved budget and plans of releases of appropriations as furnished pursuant to ss. 216.181 and 216.192, as follows:
- 1. Between categories of appropriations within a budget entity, if no category of appropriation is increased or decreased by more than 5 percent of the original approved budget or \$250,000, whichever is greater, by all action taken under this subsection.
- 2. Between budget entities within identical categories of appropriations, if no category of appropriation is increased or

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decreased by more than 5 percent of the original approved budget or \$250,000, whichever is greater, by all action taken under this subsection.

- 3. Any agency exceeding salary rate established pursuant to s. 216.181(8) on June 30th of any fiscal year shall not be authorized to make transfers pursuant to subparagraphs 1. and 2. in the subsequent fiscal year.
- 4. Notice of proposed transfers under subparagraphs 1. and 2. shall be provided to the Executive Office of the Governor and the chairs of the legislative appropriations committees at least 3 days prior to agency implementation in order to provide an opportunity for review.

Statutes, as carried forward by this act from chapter 2015-222, Laws of Florida, expires July 1, 2018, and the text of that paragraph shall revert to that in existence on June 30, 2014, except that any amendments to such text enacted other than by this act shall be preserved and continue to operate to the extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the portions of text which expire pursuant to this section.

Section 37. In order to implement the appropriation of funds in the special categories, contracted services, and expenses categories of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, a state agency may not initiate a competitive solicitation for a product or service if the completion of such competitive

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1026 solicitation would:

- (1) Require a change in law; or
- (2) Require a change to the agency's budget other than a transfer authorized in s. 216.292(2) or (3), Florida Statutes, unless the initiation of such competitive solicitation is specifically authorized in law, in the General Appropriations Act, or by the Legislative Budget Commission.

This section does not apply to a competitive solicitation for which the agency head certifies that a valid emergency exists.

This section expires July 1, 2018.

Section 38. In order to implement appropriations for salaries and benefits in the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, subsection (6) of section 112.24, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

112.24 Intergovernmental interchange of public employees.—
To encourage economical and effective utilization of public employees in this state, the temporary assignment of employees among agencies of government, both state and local, and including school districts and public institutions of higher education is authorized under terms and conditions set forth in this section. State agencies, municipalities, and political subdivisions are authorized to enter into employee interchange agreements with other state agencies, the Federal Government, another state, a municipality, or a political subdivision

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including a school district, or with a public institution of higher education. State agencies are also authorized to enter into employee interchange agreements with private institutions of higher education and other nonprofit organizations under the terms and conditions provided in this section. In addition, the Governor or the Governor and Cabinet may enter into employee interchange agreements with a state agency, the Federal Government, another state, a municipality, or a political subdivision including a school district, or with a public institution of higher learning to fill, subject to the requirements of chapter 20, appointive offices which are within the executive branch of government and which are filled by appointment by the Governor or the Governor and Cabinet. Under no circumstances shall employee interchange agreements be utilized for the purpose of assigning individuals to participate in political campaigns. Duties and responsibilities of interchange employees shall be limited to the mission and goals of the agencies of government.

(6) For the 2017-2018 2016-2017 fiscal year only, the assignment of an employee of a state agency as provided in this section may be made if recommended by the Governor or Chief Justice, as appropriate, and approved by the chairs of the legislative appropriations committees. Such actions shall be deemed approved if neither chair provides written notice of objection within 14 days after receiving notice of the action

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pursuant to s. 216.177. This subsection expires July 1,  $\underline{2018}$   $\underline{2017}$ .

Section 39. In order to implement Specific Appropriations 2681 and 2682 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act and notwithstanding s. 11.13(1), Florida Statutes, the authorized salaries for members of the Legislature for the 2017-2018 fiscal year shall be set at the same level in effect on July 1, 2010. This section expires July 1, 2018.

Section 40. In order to implement the transfer of funds to the General Revenue Fund from trust funds in the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of section 215.32, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:

- 215.32 State funds; segregation.-
- (2) The source and use of each of these funds shall be as follows:
- (b)1. The trust funds shall consist of moneys received by the state which under law or under trust agreement are segregated for a purpose authorized by law. The state agency or branch of state government receiving or collecting such moneys is responsible for their proper expenditure as provided by law. Upon the request of the state agency or branch of state government responsible for the administration of the trust fund, the Chief Financial Officer may establish accounts within the trust fund at a level considered necessary for proper accountability. Once an account is established, the Chief

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Financial Officer may authorize payment from that account only upon determining that there is sufficient cash and releases at the level of the account.

- 2. In addition to other trust funds created by law, to the extent possible, each agency shall use the following trust funds as described in this subparagraph for day-to-day operations:
- a. Operations or operating trust fund, for use as a depository for funds to be used for program operations funded by program revenues, with the exception of administrative activities when the operations or operating trust fund is a proprietary fund.
- b. Operations and maintenance trust fund, for use as a depository for client services funded by third-party payors.
- c. Administrative trust fund, for use as a depository for funds to be used for management activities that are departmental in nature and funded by indirect cost earnings and assessments against trust funds. Proprietary funds are excluded from the requirement of using an administrative trust fund.
- d. Grants and donations trust fund, for use as a depository for funds to be used for allowable grant or donor agreement activities funded by restricted contractual revenue from private and public nonfederal sources.
- e. Agency working capital trust fund, for use as a depository for funds to be used pursuant to s. 216.272.
  - f. Clearing funds trust fund, for use as a depository for

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funds to account for collections pending distribution to lawful recipients.

- g. Federal grant trust fund, for use as a depository for funds to be used for allowable grant activities funded by restricted program revenues from federal sources.
- To the extent possible, each agency must adjust its internal accounting to use existing trust funds consistent with the requirements of this subparagraph. If an agency does not have trust funds listed in this subparagraph and cannot make such adjustment, the agency must recommend the creation of the necessary trust funds to the Legislature no later than the next scheduled review of the agency's trust funds pursuant to s. 215.3206.
- 3. All such moneys are hereby appropriated to be expended in accordance with the law or trust agreement under which they were received, subject always to the provisions of chapter 216 relating to the appropriation of funds and to the applicable laws relating to the deposit or expenditure of moneys in the State Treasury.
- 4.a. Notwithstanding any provision of law restricting the use of trust funds to specific purposes, unappropriated cash balances from selected trust funds may be authorized by the Legislature for transfer to the Budget Stabilization Fund and General Revenue Fund in the General Appropriations Act.

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This subparagraph does not apply to trust funds required by federal programs or mandates; trust funds established for bond covenants, indentures, or resolutions whose revenues are legally pledged by the state or public body to meet debt service or other financial requirements of any debt obligations of the state or any public body; the Division of Licensing Trust Fund in the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; the State Transportation Trust Fund; the trust fund containing the net annual proceeds from the Florida Education Lotteries; the Florida Retirement System Trust Fund; trust funds under the management of the State Board of Education or the Board of Governors of the State University System, where such trust funds are for auxiliary enterprises, self-insurance, and contracts, grants, and donations, as those terms are defined by general law; trust funds that serve as clearing funds or accounts for the Chief Financial Officer or state agencies; trust funds that account for assets held by the state in a trustee capacity as an agent or fiduciary for individuals, private organizations, or other governmental units; and other trust funds authorized by the State Constitution.

Statutes, as carried forward by this act from chapter 2011-47, Laws of Florida, expires July 1, 2018, and the text of that paragraph shall revert to that in existence on June 30, 2011, except that any amendments to such text enacted other than by

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this act shall be preserved and continue to operate to the extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the portions of text which expire pursuant to this section.

Section 42. In order to implement appropriations in the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act for state employee travel, the funds appropriated to each state agency which may be used for travel by state employees shall be limited during the 2017-2018 fiscal year to travel for activities that are critical to each state agency's mission. Funds may not be used for travel by state employees to foreign countries, other states, conferences, staff training activities, or other administrative functions unless the agency head has approved, in writing, that such activities are critical to the agency's mission. The agency head shall consider using teleconferencing and other forms of electronic communication to meet the needs of the proposed activity before approving mission-critical travel. This section does not apply to travel for law enforcement purposes, military purposes, emergency management activities, or public health activities. This section expires July 1, 2018.

Section 43. In order to implement appropriations in the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act for state employee travel and notwithstanding s. 112.061, Florida Statutes, costs for lodging associated with a meeting, conference, or convention organized or sponsored in whole or in part by a state agency or the judicial branch may not exceed \$150 per day. An employee may

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expend his or her own funds for any lodging expenses in excess of \$150 per day. For purposes of this section, a meeting does not include travel activities for conducting an audit, examination, inspection, or investigation or travel activities related to a litigation or emergency response. This section expires July 1, 2018.

Section 44. In order to implement appropriations in the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act for executive branch and judicial branch employee travel, the executive branch state agencies and the judicial branch must collaborate with the Executive Office of the Governor and the Department of Management Services to implement the statewide travel management system funded in Specific Appropriation 2718A in the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act. For the purpose of complying with s. 112.061, Florida Statutes, all executive branch state agencies and the judicial branch must use the statewide travel management system. This section expires July 1, 2018.

Section 45. In order to implement section 8 of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, section 110.12315, Florida Statutes, is reenacted to read:

110.12315 Prescription drug program.—The state employees' prescription drug program is established. This program shall be administered by the Department of Management Services, according to the terms and conditions of the plan as established by the relevant provisions of the annual General Appropriations Act and

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1226 implementing legislation, subject to the following conditions:

- (1) The department shall allow prescriptions written by health care providers under the plan to be filled by any licensed pharmacy pursuant to contractual claims-processing provisions. Nothing in this section may be construed as prohibiting a mail order prescription drug program distinct from the service provided by retail pharmacies.
- (2) In providing for reimbursement of pharmacies for prescription medicines dispensed to members of the state group health insurance plan and their dependents under the state employees' prescription drug program:
- (a) Retail pharmacies participating in the program must be reimbursed at a uniform rate and subject to uniform conditions, according to the terms and conditions of the plan.
- (b) There shall be a 30-day supply limit for prescription card purchases, a 90-day supply limit for maintenance prescription drug purchases, and a 90-day supply limit for mail order or mail order prescription drug purchases.
- (c) The pharmacy dispensing fee shall be negotiated by the department.
  - (3) Pharmacy reimbursement rates shall be as follows:
- (a) For mail order and specialty pharmacies contracting with the department, reimbursement rates shall be as established in the contract.
  - (b) For retail pharmacies, the reimbursement rate shall be

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at the same rate as mail order pharmacies under contract with the department.

- (4) The department shall maintain the preferred brand name drug list to be used in the administration of the state employees' prescription drug program.
- (5) The department shall maintain a list of maintenance drugs.
- (a) Preferred provider organization health plan members may have prescriptions for maintenance drugs filled up to three times as a 30-day supply through a retail pharmacy; thereafter, prescriptions for the same maintenance drug must be filled as a 90-day supply either through the department's contracted mail order pharmacy or through a retail pharmacy.
- (b) Health maintenance organization health plan members may have prescriptions for maintenance drugs filled as a 90-day supply either through a mail order pharmacy or through a retail pharmacy.
- (6) Copayments made by health plan members for a 90-day supply through a retail pharmacy shall be the same as copayments made for a 90-day supply through the department's contracted mail order pharmacy.
- (7) The department shall establish the reimbursement schedule for prescription pharmaceuticals dispensed under the program. Reimbursement rates for a prescription pharmaceutical must be based on the cost of the generic equivalent drug if a

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generic equivalent exists, unless the physician, advanced registered nurse practitioner, or physician assistant prescribing the pharmaceutical clearly states on the prescription that the brand name drug is medically necessary or that the drug product is included on the formulary of drug products that may not be interchanged as provided in chapter 465, in which case reimbursement must be based on the cost of the brand name drug as specified in the reimbursement schedule adopted by the department.

- (8) The department shall conduct a prescription utilization review program. In order to participate in the state employees' prescription drug program, retail pharmacies dispensing prescription medicines to members of the state group health insurance plan or their covered dependents, or to subscribers or covered dependents of a health maintenance organization plan under the state group insurance program, shall make their records available for this review.
- (9) The department shall implement such additional costsaving measures and adjustments as may be required to balance program funding within appropriations provided, including a trial or starter dose program and dispensing of long-termmaintenance medication in lieu of acute therapy medication.
- (10) Participating pharmacies must use a point-of-sale device or an online computer system to verify a participant's eligibility for coverage. The state is not liable for

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1301	reimbursement of a participating pharmacy for dispensing
1302	prescription drugs to any person whose current eligibility for
1303	coverage has not been verified by the state's contracted
1304	administrator or by the department.
1305	(11) Under the state employees' prescription drug program
1306	copayments must be made as follows:
1307	(a) Effective January 1, 2013, for the State Group Health
1308	Insurance Standard Plan:
1309	1. For generic drug with card\$7.
1310	2. For preferred brand name drug with card\$30.
1311	3. For nonpreferred brand name drug with card\$50.
1312	4. For generic mail order drug\$14.
1313	5. For preferred brand name mail order drug\$60.
1314	6. For nonpreferred brand name mail order drug\$100.
1315	(b) Effective January 1, 2006, for the State Group Health
1316	Insurance High Deductible Plan:
1317	1. Retail coinsurance for generic drug with card30%.
1318	2. Retail coinsurance for preferred brand name drug with
1319	card 30%.
1320	3. Retail coinsurance for nonpreferred brand name drug
1321	with card50%.
1322	4. Mail order coinsurance for generic drug30%.
1323	5. Mail order coinsurance for preferred brand name drug30%.
1324	6. Mail order coinsurance for nonpreferred brand name drug50%
1325	(c) The department shall create a preferred brand name
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drug list to be used in the administration of the state employees' prescription drug program.

Section 46. (1) The amendment to s. 110.12315(2)(b),
Florida Statutes, as carried forward by this act from chapter
2014-53, Laws of Florida, expires July 1, 2018, and the text of
that paragraph shall revert to that in existence on June 30,
2012, except that any amendments to such text enacted other than
by this act shall be preserved and continue to operate to the
extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the portions
of text which expire pursuant to this section.

- (2) The amendments to s. 110.12315(2)(c) and (3)-(6), Florida Statutes, as carried forward by this act from chapter 2014-53, Laws of Florida, expire July 1, 2018, and the text and numbering of those provisions shall revert to that in existence on June 30, 2014, except that any amendments to such text enacted other than by this act shall be preserved and continue to operate to the extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the portions of text that expire pursuant to this section.
- (3) The amendment to s. 110.12315(7), Florida Statutes, as carried forward by this act from chapter 2014-53, Laws of Florida, expires July 1, 2018, and shall revert to the text of that subsection in existence on December 31, 2010, except that any amendments to such text enacted other than by this act shall be preserved and continue to operate to the extent that such amendments are not dependent upon the portions of text which

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expire pursuant to this section.

Section 47. In order to implement the appropriation of funds in the special categories, contracted services, and expenses categories of the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act, a state agency may not enter into a contract containing a nondisclosure clause that prohibits the contractor from disclosing information relevant to the performance of the contract to members or staff of the Senate or the House of Representatives. This section expires July 1, 2018.

Section 48. Any section of this act which implements a specific appropriation or specifically identified proviso language in the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act is void if the specific appropriation or specifically identified proviso language is vetoed. Any section of this act which implements more than one specific appropriation or more than one portion of specifically identified proviso language in the 2017-2018 General Appropriations Act is void if all the specific appropriations or portions of specifically identified proviso language are vetoed.

Section 49. If any other act passed during the 2017
Regular Session of the Legislature contains a provision that is substantively the same as a provision in this act, but that removes or is otherwise not subject to the future repeal applied to such provision by this act, the Legislature intends that the provision in the other act takes precedence and continues to

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operate, notwithstanding the future repeal provided by this act.

Section 50. If any provision of this act or its

application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this act are severable.

Section 51. This act shall take effect July 1, 2017.

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