

1                                   A bill to be entitled  
 2           An act relating to trust funds; creating s. 16.616, F.S.;  
 3           creating the Operating Trust Fund within the Department of  
 4           Legal Affairs; providing for sources of funds and  
 5           purposes; providing for future termination or re-creation  
 6           of the trust fund; 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 16.616, Florida Statutes, is created to  
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12           16.616   Operating Trust Fund.—

13           (1) The Operating Trust Fund is created within the  
 14   Department of Legal Affairs.

15           (2) The fund is established for use as a depository of fees,  
 16   revenues, and transfers for the purpose of supporting operations  
 17   of the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit, the Office of Statewide  
 18   Prosecution and such other purposes as directed by the  
 19   Legislature. Funds from the Operating Trust Fund shall be  
 20   expended only pursuant to legislative appropriations.

21           Section 2.   In accordance with Article III, Section 19(f)(2)  
 22   of the State Constitution, the Operating Trust Fund within the  
 23   Department of Legal Affairs shall be terminated July 1, 2011  
 24   unless terminated sooner or recreated by the Legislature prior to  
 25   July 1, 2011.

26           Section 3.   This act shall take effect July 1, 2007.