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**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
COMMITTEE ON  
CRIMINAL JUSTICE APPROPRIATIONS  
TRUST FUND RE-CREATION ANALYSIS**

**BILL #:** HB 1879 (PCB CJA 02-31)

**RELATING TO:** Criminal Justice Standards and Training Trust Fund

**SPONSOR(S):** Committee on Criminal Justice Appropriations and Representative Ball

**TIED BILL(S):**

**ORIGINATING COMMITTEE(S)/COUNCIL(S)/COMMITTEE(S) OF REFERENCE:**

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I. SUMMARY:

This legislation re-creates the Criminal Justice Standards and Training Trust Fund, FLAIR number 702148, without modification. The Criminal Justice Standards and Training Trust Fund is administered by the Department of Corrections.

II. SUBSTANTIVE ANALYSIS:

A. PRESENT SITUATION:

1. MAJOR STATUTES THAT CONTROL THE TRUST FUND:

Section 943.25, F.S., creates the trust fund and provides for its purpose.

2. BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE FUND'S USES OR PURPOSES:

The Criminal Justice Training Trust Fund was created to provide for Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission (Commission) approved criminal justice advanced and specialized training and criminal justice training school enhancements

For the 2001-2002 fiscal year, the Legislature appropriated \$1,080,134.

3. MAJOR SOURCES OF REVENUE FOR THE FUND:

The trust fund's revenues are basically from two sources. The first source is the court fee of three dollars that is assessed to every person convicted of a criminal violation of a state penal or a criminal justice statute (s. 943.25(3)). The second source is five and one-tenth percent of all civil penalties received by county courts.

Total receipts for the 2000-2001 fiscal year were \$1,841,955. Agency estimates for the 2001-2002 fiscal year and 2002-2003 fiscal year are \$1,801,770 and \$1,494,480, respectively.

B. EFFECT OF PROPOSED CHANGES:

This bill re-creates the trust fund without modification.

III. FISCAL ANALYSIS & ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT:

This legislation has no fiscal impact on state agencies or state funds, on local governments as a whole or on the private sector. It simply re-creates, without modification, an existing state trust fund and continues the current use of the fund.

IV. COMMENTS:

None.

V. AMENDMENTS OR COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE CHANGES:

N/A

VI. SIGNATURES:

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